

Table 242. Public Elementary and Secondary School Enrollment by State: 1990 to 2007

[In thousands (29,878 represents 29,878,000), except rate. As of fall. Includes unclassified students. Based on survey of state education agencies; see source for details]

State	Prekindergarten through grade 8 ¹					Grades 9 through 12 ¹				
	1990	2000	2005	2006	2007	1990	2000	2005	2006	2007
United States	29,878	33,688	34,205	34,235	34,205	11,338	13,515	14,908	15,081	15,087
Alabama	527	539	529	529	527	195	201	212	215	218
Alaska	85	94	91	90	89	29	39	42	42	42
Arizona	479	641	740	760	771	161	237	355	309	316
Arkansas	314	318	336	337	340	123	132	138	140	139
California	3,615	4,408	4,466	4,410	4,329	1,336	1,733	1,971	1,997	2,015
Colorado	420	517	550	559	566	154	208	230	235	236
Connecticut	347	406	400	398	394	122	156	175	177	177
Delaware	73	81	85	85	85	27	34	36	37	38
District of Columbia	61	54	56	52	56	19	15	21	20	23
Florida	1,370	1,760	1,873	1,867	1,856	492	675	802	805	811
Georgia	849	1,060	1,145	1,167	1,179	303	385	453	463	471
Hawaii	123	132	127	126	126	49	52	55	55	54
Idaho	160	170	183	187	191	61	75	79	80	81
Illinois	1,310	1,474	1,480	1,478	1,473	512	575	631	641	640
Indiana	676	703	724	730	730	279	286	311	316	317
Iowa	345	334	326	326	330	139	161	157	157	156
Kansas	320	323	321	326	327	117	147	147	143	142
Kentucky	459	471	487	487	469	177	194	192	196	197
Louisiana	586	547	482	492	500	199	197	172	184	181
Maine	155	146	133	132	131	60	61	62	62	66
Maryland	527	609	589	579	576	188	244	271	273	269
Massachusetts	604	703	675	671	667	230	273	297	298	296
Michigan	1,145	1,222	1,191	1,171	1,137	440	498	551	552	556
Minnesota	546	578	558	558	558	211	277	281	282	279
Mississippi	372	364	358	356	354	131	134	137	139	141
Missouri	588	645	635	634	632	228	268	283	286	285
Montana	111	105	98	97	96	42	50	48	47	46
Nebraska	198	195	195	196	200	76	91	92	92	91
Nevada	150	251	296	303	308	51	90	116	122	122
New Hampshire	126	147	139	136	134	46	61	67	67	66
New Jersey	784	968	971	963	954	306	346	425	425	428
New Mexico	208	225	230	230	230	94	95	97	98	99
New York	1,828	2,029	1,909	1,887	1,856	770	853	906	922	909
North Carolina	783	945	1,003	1,027	1,072	304	348	413	417	417
North Dakota	85	72	66	64	63	33	37	33	32	32
Ohio	1,258	1,294	1,261	1,253	1,241	514	541	578	584	586
Oklahoma	425	445	457	460	463	154	178	178	179	179
Oregon	340	379	380	381	384	132	167	173	182	182
Pennsylvania	1,172	1,258	1,228	1,220	1,205	496	556	603	651	597
Rhode Island	102	114	104	102	99	37	44	50	50	48
South Carolina	452	493	498	501	505	170	184	204	207	208
South Dakota	95	88	84	83	83	34	41	38	38	38
Tennessee	598	668	677	692	682	226	241	277	286	283
Texas	2,511	2,943	3,268	3,320	3,375	872	1,117	1,257	1,280	1,300
Utah	325	333	358	371	410	122	148	151	152	166
Vermont	71	70	65	64	63	25	32	32	32	31
Virginia	728	816	841	842	850	270	329	372	379	380
Washington	613	694	699	695	697	227	310	333	332	333
West Virginia	224	201	197	198	199	98	85	84	84	84
Wisconsin	566	595	584	585	585	232	285	291	292	289
Wyoming	71	60	57	58	59	27	30	27	27	27

¹ Includes unclassified.

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