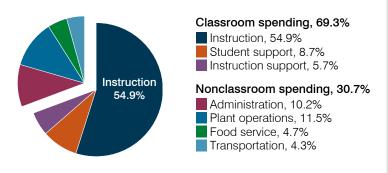
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Total operational spending¹: \$8,168,932,343 Total nonoperational spending: \$1,819,100,206

Total spending: \$9,988,032,549

Number of districts: 236 Number of schools: 1,377 Graduation rate (2019): 79%

Spending by operational area



Operational measures

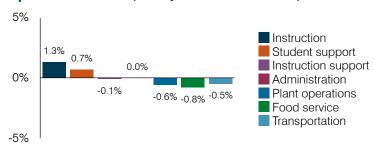
Operational area	Measure	2018	2019	2020
area				
Administration	Cost per pupil	\$860	\$903	\$936
	Students per administrative position	66	66	65
Plant operations	Cost per square foot	\$6.34	\$6.49	\$6.55
	Square footage per student	156	158	160
Food service	Cost per meal	\$3.02	\$3.08	\$3.46
Transportation	Cost per mile	\$4.05	\$4.29	\$4.28
	Cost per rider	\$1,301	\$1,424	\$1,370

Per pupil spending by area

		State		National average
Area	2018	2019	2020	2018
Classroom spending				
Instruction	\$4,480	\$ 4,869	\$ 5,016	\$ 7,676
Student support	693	754	796	751
Instruction support	462	497	513	629
Nonclassroom spending				
Administration	860	903	936	1,423
Plant operations	988	1,027	1,048	1,174
Food service	425	438	432	481
Transportation	388	417	395	518
Total operational	8,296	8,905	9,136	12,652
Land and buildings	827	1,086	1,053	1,100
Equipment	409	496	533	232
Interest	228	261	273	383
Other	169	180	175	163
Total nonoperational	1,633	2,023	2,034	1,878
Total per pupil spending	\$9,929	\$10,928	\$11,170	\$14,530

Students attending: 894,180
5-year change in students attending: 2% decrease
Special education population: 13%
English learner population: 7%
Poverty rate (2019): 18%
Free/reduced meal eligibility: 54%

Percentage point change in spending by operational area (fiscal year 2015 versus 2020)



Lowest, highest, and 2 most recent fiscal years' instructional spending percentages between 2001 and 2020

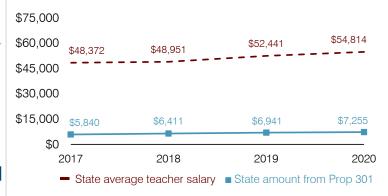
Lowest	Highest	Most recent years		
2016	2004	2019	2020	
53.5%	58.6%	54.7%	54.9%	

COVID-19 federal relief grant spending

	State
Total federal relief grant spending	\$ 86,609,980
Per pupil federal relief grant spending	\$ 97

Districts can use COVID-19 federal relief grants from March 2020 through September 2022. Amounts above were used by June 30, 2020.

Average teacher salary and other measures



Measure	2017	2018	2019	2020
Students per teacher	18.5	18.4	18.0	18.0
Average years of teacher experience	11.3	11.4	11.5	11.7
Percentage of teachers in first 3 years	19%	19%	19%	18%

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¹ See Appendix C for sources and methodology.