

Table A–5. States — Education, Income, and Poverty

State	Public school enrollment			Educational attainment, 1990			Median household income ²			Persons below poverty level, ² 1997				
	Fall		1990	Persons 25 years and over	Percent—		1997 (dollars)	1989 (dollars)	Percent change, 1989– 1997	Number			Percent	
	1998– 1999	1994– 1995 ¹			High school gradu- ate or higher	Bach- elor's degree or higher				Persons of all ages		Persons under 18 years	Persons of all ages	Persons under 18 years
										Total	Net change, 1989– 1997			
UNITED STATES	46 368 903	43 993 459	41 058 718	158 868 436	75.2	20.3	37 005	30 056	23.1	35 573 858	3 830 994	14 113 067	13.3	19.9
Alabama	737 639	727 989	716 155	2 545 969	66.9	15.7	30 790	23 597	30.5	700 944	–22 670	260 970	16.2	23.8
Alaska	135 374	126 348	108 967	323 429	86.6	23.0	43 657	41 408	5.4	68 409	20 503	31 968	11.2	16.2
Arizona	847 416	735 752	635 900	2 301 177	78.7	20.3	34 751	27 540	26.2	720 713	156 351	305 109	15.5	23.2
Arkansas	452 267	448 109	425 717	1 496 150	66.3	13.3	27 875	21 147	31.8	442 856	5 767	169 089	17.5	25.0
California	5 844 111	5 342 071	5 002 596	18 695 499	76.2	23.4	39 595	35 798	10.6	5 195 477	1 567 892	2 223 674	16.0	24.6
Colorado	699 135	640 521	567 007	2 107 072	84.4	27.0	40 853	30 140	35.5	403 410	28 196	155 960	10.2	14.6
Connecticut	544 698	506 824	473 898	2 198 963	79.2	27.2	46 648	41 721	11.8	291 242	73 895	121 256	8.9	14.7
Delaware	113 735	107 228	96 156	428 499	77.5	21.4	41 315	34 875	18.5	73 868	17 645	28 193	10.0	15.4
District of Columbia	71 889	80 450	72 810	409 131	73.1	33.3	34 980	30 727	13.8	96 253	–25	33 503	19.3	33.7
Florida	2 337 757	2 108 968	1 812 155	8 887 168	74.4	18.3	32 877	27 483	19.6	2 129 825	525 639	775 812	14.4	21.8
Georgia	1 401 291	1 270 948	1 134 100	4 023 420	70.9	19.3	36 372	29 021	25.3	1 113 562	190 477	470 440	14.7	22.8
Hawaii	188 069	183 869	167 841	709 820	80.1	22.9	43 627	38 829	12.4	130 644	42 236	48 849	11.1	16.2
Idaho	244 722	240 601	214 664	601 292	79.7	17.7	33 612	25 257	33.1	159 237	28 649	61 496	13.0	17.3
Illinois	2 011 530	1 929 153	1 824 313	7 293 930	76.2	21.0	41 179	32 252	27.7	1 353 506	26 775	564 675	11.3	17.5
Indiana	989 015	969 419	947 784	3 489 470	75.6	15.6	37 909	28 797	31.6	583 055	9 423	228 246	9.9	14.8
Iowa	499 819	500 414	479 505	1 776 798	80.1	16.9	35 427	26 229	35.1	280 797	–26 623	100 262	9.9	13.7
Kansas	469 758	460 905	430 595	1 565 936	81.3	21.1	36 488	27 291	33.7	283 038	8 415	109 324	10.9	15.4
Kentucky	653 128	639 708	632 679	2 333 833	64.6	13.6	31 730	22 534	40.8	624 219	–57 608	229 043	16.0	23.1
Louisiana	768 734	799 237	765 022	2 536 994	68.3	16.1	30 466	21 949	38.8	793 472	–173 530	316 991	18.4	26.0
Maine	210 080	212 225	212 465	795 613	78.8	18.8	33 140	27 854	19.0	132 809	4 343	44 122	10.7	14.9
Maryland	841 671	790 938	703 379	3 122 665	78.4	26.5	45 289	39 386	15.0	484 987	99 691	194 703	9.5	14.9
Massachusetts	937 647	893 727	830 138	3 962 223	80.0	27.2	43 015	36 952	16.4	649 293	129 954	250 244	10.7	17.0
Michigan	1 698 501	1 604 141	1 636 182	5 842 642	76.8	17.4	38 883	31 020	25.3	1 127 886	–62 812	468 947	11.5	18.0
Minnesota	856 410	821 404	747 713	2 770 562	82.4	21.8	41 591	30 909	34.6	417 797	–17 534	167 853	8.9	13.1
Mississippi	503 742	505 962	509 252	1 538 997	64.3	14.7	28 527	20 136	41.7	494 044	–136 985	188 272	18.1	24.5
Missouri	913 689	864 301	808 221	3 291 579	73.9	17.8	34 502	26 362	30.9	658 159	–4 916	252 485	12.2	17.7
Montana	159 988	164 341	153 344	507 851	81.0	19.8	29 672	22 988	29.1	135 691	10 838	49 055	15.5	21.3
Nebraska	291 140	287 100	272 985	996 049	81.8	18.9	35 337	26 016	35.8	158 962	–11 654	57 013	9.6	12.6
Nevada	311 236	250 910	190 335	789 638	78.8	15.3	39 280	31 011	26.7	186 345	66 685	74 006	10.7	15.4
New Hampshire	204 713	189 286	171 104	713 894	82.2	24.4	42 023	36 329	15.7	87 975	18 871	30 356	7.5	10.0
New Jersey	1 259 166	1 173 960	1 097 317	5 166 233	76.7	24.9	47 903	40 927	17.0	749 198	176 046	302 459	9.3	14.8
New Mexico	328 715	327 253	301 380	922 590	75.1	20.4	30 836	24 087	28.0	333 913	27 979	139 854	19.3	27.5
New York	2 877 142	2 766 208	2 650 601	11 818 569	74.8	23.1	36 369	32 965	10.3	2 814 460	537 164	1 121 585	15.6	24.7
North Carolina	1 254 821	1 156 786	1 091 659	4 253 494	70.0	17.4	35 320	26 647	32.5	940 547	110 689	361 170	12.6	18.6
North Dakota	114 927	120 900	120 680	396 550	76.7	18.1	31 764	23 213	36.8	78 461	–9 815	27 807	12.5	16.8
Ohio	1 849 182	1 829 761	1 779 522	6 924 764	75.7	17.0	36 029	28 706	25.5	1 223 791	–101 977	465 752	11.0	16.0
Oklahoma	628 522	609 743	571 787	1 995 424	74.6	17.8	30 002	23 577	27.3	536 804	26 950	210 470	16.3	23.7
Oregon	542 809	519 945	471 013	1 855 369	81.5	20.6	37 284	27 250	36.8	379 506	34 639	134 932	11.6	16.3
Pennsylvania	1 816 414	1 764 946	1 666 743	7 872 932	74.7	17.9	37 267	29 069	28.2	1 297 614	13 985	482 596	10.9	16.6
Rhode Island	154 785	147 493	138 054	658 956	72.0	21.3	36 699	32 181	14.0	108 836	16 166	41 893	11.2	17.3
South Carolina	655 650	640 756	633 545	2 167 590	68.3	16.6	33 325	26 256	26.9	569 045	51 252	224 380	14.9	23.0
South Dakota	132 495	143 482	132 431	430 500	77.1	17.2	31 354	22 503	39.3	100 537	–5 768	38 270	14.0	19.0
Tennessee	892 936	870 594	806 796	3 139 066	67.1	16.0	32 047	24 807	29.2	734 108	–10 833	258 288	13.6	18.9
Texas	3 945 367	3 670 193	3 303 198	10 310 605	72.1	20.3	34 478	27 016	27.6	3 259 559	259 044	1 350 837	16.7	23.6
Utah	479 854	473 308	438 499	897 321	85.1	22.3	38 884	29 470	31.9	210 783	18 368	89 867	10.0	12.5
Vermont	105 120	104 593	95 243	357 245	80.8	24.3	35 210	29 792	18.2	56 967	3 598	18 244	9.7	12.7
Virginia	1 120 819	1 060 809	985 675	3 974 814	75.2	24.5	40 209	33 328	20.6	782 827	171 216	286 182	11.6	17.0
Washington	999 616	938 314	814 938	3 126 390	83.8	22.9	41 715	31 183	33.8	579 789	61 856	227 904	10.2	15.2
West Virginia	297 129	310 511	320 282	1 171 766	66.0	12.3	27 432	20 795	31.9	302 521	–42 572	102 253	16.8	24.7
Wisconsin	879 542	860 686	800 466	3 094 226	78.6	17.7	39 800	29 442	35.2	478 698	–29 847	196 327	9.2	14.3
Wyoming	94 988	100 369	95 907	277 769	83.0	18.8	33 197	27 096	22.5	57 421	4 968	20 080	12.0	15.3

¹ Revised. ² 1997 data are model-based estimates; 1989 data are census estimates. For more information on these estimates, see appendix A. Source Notes and Explanations or <<http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/saie.html>>.

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