

GRADING SUMMARY

	OVERALL STATE GRADE			Quality Counts 2013		Quality Counts 2012		Quality Counts 2012		Quality Counts 2013		Quality Counts 2012		Quality Counts 2013	
				Chance for Success		K-12 Achievement		Standards, Assessments, & Accountability		Transitions & Alignment		Teaching Profession		School Finance	
	grade	score	rank	grade	rank	grade	rank	grade	rank	grade	rank	grade	rank	grade	rank
Alabama	C+	76.6	30	C-	43	D	44	A-	13	B	14	C	19	C-	32
Alaska	C-	71.0	47	C	35	D	43	C	43	C-	42	D-	51	B-	13
Arizona	C-	72.2	43	C-	47	D+	31	B+	25	C+	26	D-	47	D+	43
Arkansas	B-	81.7	5	C-	42	D	34	A	6	A	2	B+	2	C	26
California	C	75.5	36	C-	44	D	35	A	10	B-	20	C-	25	C-	38
Colorado	C	76.1	32	B	10	C	10	B-	32	B-	20	D	42	C-	37
Connecticut	C+	78.9	16	B+	5	C-	16	C+	39	C+	26	C	29	B+	5
Delaware	C+	78.0	19	B-	18	D+	29	B+	26	C+	26	C	22	B-	14
District of Columbia	C-	71.5	45	C+	21	F	51	B	30	C+	26	D-	48	NA	NA
Florida	B-	81.1	6	C	34	C-	12	A	5	A	4	B	4	D+	39
Georgia	B-	81.0	7	C	37	C-	22	A-	18	A	1	B-	10	C-	31
Hawaii	C+	76.7	29	C+	29	D+	28	B+	22	C-	42	C+	17	NA	NA
Idaho	C-	70.9	49	C	33	C-	18	B+	27	C-	42	D-	50	D-	49
Illinois	C+	76.7	28	C+	24	C-	21	A-	19	C	36	D+	34	C+	18
Indiana	C+	77.8	20	C	31	D+	33	A	1	B+	9	D	46	C	24
Iowa	C	75.9	34	B-	12	D	40	C	47	B-	20	C+	13	C	27
Kansas	C	75.2	37	B-	14	D+	26	B-	34	C	36	D+	37	C+	20
Kentucky	B-	80.1	10	C	38	C-	13	A-	20	A	4	B-	5	C-	34
Louisiana	C+	79.0	15	C-	48	F	48	A	2	A	4	B-	11	C	21
Maine	C	75.9	33	C+	25	C	11	C-	50	B-	20	D+	35	B	10
Maryland	B+	87.5	1	B+	6	B	3	B+	24	A	2	B	3	B	8
Massachusetts	B	84.1	2	A-	1	B	1	B+	23	C	36	C+	14	B	9
Michigan	C+	77.3	24	C	30	D	41	A-	17	B-	20	C	19	C	22
Minnesota	C	74.2	39	B	7	C	9	C-	49	C-	42	D+	36	C	23
Mississippi	C-	71.0	48	D+	49	F	50	A	10	C	36	D	41	D	45
Missouri	C	72.8	41	C+	28	D	37	C+	38	C	36	D+	33	C-	36
Montana	C-	72.2	44	C+	22	C	6	C	41	D-	51	D+	32	C	28
Nebraska	C-	71.2	46	B-	13	D	39	D+	51	D	49	C-	31	C+	15
Nevada	C-	69.7	50	D	51	D	36	C	45	C	36	C-	28	D	46
New Hampshire	C+	77.1	25	B+	3	C+	5	C	42	C+	26	D	44	C+	19
New Jersey	B-	80.8	8	B+	4	B	2	C	44	B-	20	D+	38	B	7
New Mexico	C	75.9	35	D	50	D-	47	A-	15	B+	9	C	23	C-	30
New York	B	83.1	3	B-	16	C-	24	A-	15	B	14	B-	7	B+	3
North Carolina	C+	77.7	21	C	32	C-	20	A	10	B	14	C+	16	D	48
North Dakota	C+	76.8	27	B	8	C-	23	B	28	C+	26	D+	40	C	25
Ohio	B-	79.6	12	C+	27	C-	15	A	4	C+	26	C	18	C+	17
Oklahoma	C+	76.5	31	C	39	D	38	A	8	B+	9	C-	24	D+	44
Oregon	C	72.7	42	C	41	D	46	B-	35	B	14	D	45	C-	33
Pennsylvania	C+	78.2	18	B-	11	C	7	C+	40	C+	26	C	21	B-	12
Rhode Island	C+	78.7	17	B-	19	C-	19	B	29	C+	26	C-	27	B	6
South Carolina	C+	76.9	26	C	40	D	45	A	6	C-	42	B+	1	C-	35
South Dakota	D+	69.3	51	B-	17	D+	30	C	48	D	49	D-	49	D+	40
Tennessee	C+	77.6	22	C-	45	D	42	A-	21	A	4	B-	9	D+	42
Texas	C+	79.4	14	C	36	C-	17	A-	13	A	4	C+	15	D+	41
Utah	C	74.6	38	C+	20	D+	32	B-	33	B+	9	D	43	D	47
Vermont	B-	79.9	11	B+	2	C+	4	B	30	C-	42	C-	30	B+	4
Virginia	B	82.9	4	B	9	C	8	A	8	B	14	B-	6	C+	16
Washington	C	73.8	40	C+	26	C-	25	C+	37	C-	42	C-	26	C	29
West Virginia	B-	80.8	9	C-	46	F	49	A	3	B+	9	B-	8	A-	2
Wisconsin	C+	79.4	13	B-	15	C-	14	C	46	B	14	C+	12	B	11
Wyoming	C+	77.5	23	C+	23	D+	27	C+	36	C+	26	D+	39	A	1
U.S.	C+	76.9		C+		C-		B		B-		C		C	

Note: States are ranked based on unrounded scores. The District of Columbia and Hawaii are single-district jurisdictions. As a result, it is not possible to calculate measures of financial equity, which capture the distribution of funding across districts within a state. The District of Columbia and Hawaii do not receive grades for school finance.

SOURCE: EPE Research Center, 2013. This table integrates findings reported in the 2012 and 2013 editions of *Quality Counts*.