

Higher Education Support Per Capita FY2009*

New Jersey ranked 34th among the 50 states in support for higher education per capita.

Rk	State	\$	Rk	State	\$	Rk	State	\$
1	Wyoming	588.82	18	Maryland	292.33	35	Ohio	217.64
2	Hawaii	475.69	19	Washington	286.55	36	Montana	210.90
3	Alaska	459.34	20	Connecticut	286.07	37	Oregon	208.80
4	New Mexico	454.44	21	Oklahoma	281.42	38	Michigan	206.04
5	North Carolina	425.06	22	Idaho	278.70	39	Maine	202.36
6	North Dakota	395.80	23	Delaware	278.17	40	Tennessee	202.07
7	Louisiana	389.02	24	New York	272.16	41	Arizona	188.86
8	Alabama	376.30	25	Georgia	269.16	42	South Carolina	183.60
9	Mississippi	364.43	26	West Virginia	259.42	43	Florida	182.47
10	Nebraska	354.88	27	South Dakota	250.59	44	Pennsylvania	180.11
11	California	319.94	28	Indiana	250.03	45	Missouri	173.76
12	Iowa	311.46	29	Virginia	244.47	46	Colorado	162.45
13	Utah	301.98	30	Nevada	241.52	47	Massachusetts	159.81
14	Minnesota	301.95	31	Texas	237.34	48	Rhode Island	154.49
15	Arkansas	300.66	32	Illinois	233.44	49	Vermont	142.06
16	Kentucky	300.58	33	Wisconsin	229.58	50	New Hampshire	105.27
17	Kansas	299.60	34	New Jersey	228.61	United States		258.77

*Population data are July 2008 estimates from the U.S. Census Bureau.

Source: Center for the Study of Education Policy, Illinois State University