

**Table 10.—Enrollment¹ in public elementary and secondary schools, by state:
Fall 1969 to fall 1992**

State or other area	Fall 1969	Fall 1970	Fall 1971	Fall 1972	Fall 1973	Fall 1974	Fall 1975	Fall 1976	Fall 1977	Fall 1978
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
United States	45,550,284	45,893,960	46,071,327	45,726,408	45,444,787	45,073,441	44,819,327	44,310,966	43,577,373	42,550,893
Alabama	826,237	805,205	806,315	783,383	770,739	764,341	759,346	752,507	761,880	761,666
Alaska ²	76,828	79,845	84,381	85,332	82,505	86,576	89,295	91,190	90,344	90,728
Arizona	418,069	439,524	464,478	485,088	521,240	487,040	492,995	502,817	513,817	509,830
Arkansas	460,115	463,320	461,260	461,431	450,114	454,406	456,703	460,593	458,778	456,698
California	4,597,700	4,633,198	4,601,550	4,500,978	4,459,328	4,427,443	4,419,571	4,380,400	4,303,665	4,187,967
Colorado	538,175	550,060	564,502	574,248	573,154	568,060	568,851	564,087	561,807	558,285
Connecticut ³	646,393	662,205	666,867	664,761	667,088	660,067	652,449	635,000	616,389	593,757
Delaware	130,471	132,745	135,013	134,317	132,940	130,616	127,476	122,273	118,000	111,034
District of Columbia	149,054	145,704	142,512	139,918	136,036	131,691	129,969	125,848	119,875	113,858
Florida	1,408,095	1,427,896	1,478,504	1,514,359	1,537,952	1,557,054	1,551,373	1,537,336	1,535,570	1,513,819
Georgia	1,112,416	1,098,901	1,093,407	1,090,280	1,085,881	1,081,485	1,090,292	1,095,142	1,089,625	1,093,256
Hawaii	178,448	180,641	183,654	181,979	178,511	177,030	176,430	174,943	172,356	170,761
Idaho	179,873	182,333	185,114	184,663	189,133	187,552	196,616	200,005	201,433	203,022
Illinois	2,324,516	2,356,636	2,379,646	2,354,562	2,320,672	2,296,241	2,269,892	2,238,129	2,173,352	2,039,430
Indiana	1,223,747	1,231,458	1,230,796	1,220,543	1,207,420	1,186,800	1,173,863	1,163,179	1,143,722	1,113,331
Iowa	660,389	660,104	652,958	646,408	631,132	617,485	612,111	605,127	588,760	568,540
Kansas	518,867	513,394	505,267	491,765	479,344	471,460	465,355	458,330	446,592	433,538
Kentucky	703,720	717,205	720,309	714,632	709,764	701,373	691,612	694,000	697,000	692,999
Louisiana	853,766	842,365	851,074	845,841	842,152	840,742	847,202	839,499	839,000	816,669
Maine	240,169	244,670	246,406	250,448	245,467	250,643	250,931	248,822	245,768	240,016
Maryland	891,981	916,244	922,051	920,896	911,097	894,209	880,927	860,929	836,912	809,933
Massachusetts	1,147,561	1,167,713	1,191,179	1,202,597	1,205,142	1,210,100	1,198,410	1,169,000	1,116,810	1,081,464
Michigan	2,138,979	2,152,256	2,182,885	2,164,949	2,123,611	2,137,612	2,073,288	2,035,703	1,968,975	1,911,345
Minnesota	913,915	920,839	913,955	909,653	900,377	889,535	879,944	862,591	836,420	807,716
Mississippi	575,284	534,395	529,366	526,366	519,786	513,476	512,407	510,209	502,025	493,710
Missouri	1,077,288	1,039,477	1,023,374	1,030,008	1,019,803	1,001,705	965,360	950,142	931,232	900,002
Montana	174,784	176,712	178,367	179,877	173,559	172,158	171,788	170,552	168,732	164,326
Nebraska	330,990	329,110	332,375	329,192	323,211	318,792	315,669	312,024	306,207	297,796
Nevada	123,663	127,550	130,186	131,660	135,406	137,051	139,745	141,791	143,444	146,281
New Hampshire	152,188	158,756	164,102	168,094	171,482	172,117	174,597	175,496	174,618	172,389
New Jersey	1,454,378	1,482,000	1,497,841	1,510,519	1,481,605	1,466,956	1,458,000	1,427,000	1,381,528	1,337,327
New Mexico	276,286	281,372	284,948	285,094	283,550	282,382	274,612	284,719	281,896	279,249
New York	3,442,809	3,489,245	3,538,474	3,508,004	3,465,450	3,434,116	3,417,453	3,338,809	3,222,612	3,093,885
North Carolina	1,185,592	1,192,187	1,176,308	1,161,326	1,173,415	1,177,860	1,184,996	1,191,316	1,181,831	1,162,810
North Dakota	147,782	147,013	144,419	141,535	138,302	133,241	131,331	129,106	125,085	122,021
Ohio	2,423,831	2,425,643	2,438,743	2,422,654	2,378,349	2,330,150	2,292,647	2,249,440	2,181,979	2,102,440
Oklahoma	612,374	626,956	625,740	607,084	600,948	596,380	594,816	597,665	594,468	588,870
Oregon	478,923	479,527	478,502	471,395	476,518	476,583	477,559	474,707	473,279	471,374
Pennsylvania	2,346,002	2,363,817	2,370,665	2,361,285	2,321,437	2,277,451	2,246,147	2,193,673	2,128,873	2,046,746
Rhode Island	180,285	188,090	190,696	189,693	184,624	178,662	176,317	172,373	166,629	161,285
South Carolina	648,182	637,800	648,643	623,778	626,914	627,205	629,729	620,711	620,723	624,931
South Dakota	166,693	166,305	165,267	162,398	157,522	153,592	151,217	148,080	143,630	138,228
Tennessee	891,414	899,893	897,598	891,775	902,704	872,819	876,926	841,974	878,424	873,036
Texas	2,754,600	2,839,900	2,811,700	2,738,131	2,782,151	2,785,296	2,812,888	2,822,754	2,842,842	2,867,254
Utah	302,394	304,002	305,740	305,916	305,800	306,388	309,708	314,471	317,332	325,026
Vermont	99,957	103,130	105,340	106,517	106,236	105,376	104,874	104,356	102,934	101,292
Virginia	1,076,749	1,078,754	1,074,073	1,069,345	1,085,295	1,093,309	1,103,669	1,100,723	1,082,184	1,055,238
Washington	820,482	817,712	805,049	790,502	788,324	785,457	785,449	780,730	776,463	769,246
West Virginia	401,366	399,531	403,377	409,989	409,184	404,441	404,119	404,771	401,369	395,722
Wisconsin	980,064	993,736	999,921	995,223	987,022	974,333	964,219	945,337	917,863	886,419
Wyoming	86,440	86,886	86,430	86,017	85,391	86,584	88,184	90,587	92,321	94,328
Outlying areas	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
American Samoa	8,779	—	8,018	8,165	10,296	10,186	10,119	9,950	9,291	—
Guam	21,725	24,757	26,000	26,922	27,329	28,184	28,591	28,570	—	—
Northern Marianas	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4,513
Puerto Rico	672,249	686,777	697,410	711,238	712,588	—	697,159	688,592	—	721,419
Trust Territories	—	29,723	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Virgin Islands	—	—	18,860	20,826	22,022	23,343	24,512	25,026	25,571	25,138

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State or other area	Fall 1979	Fall 1980	Fall 1981	Fall 1982	Fall 1983	Fall 1984	Fall 1985	Fall 1986	Fall 1987	Fall 1988
1	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
United States	41,650,712	40,877,481	40,044,093	39,565,610	39,252,308	39,208,252	39,421,961	39,753,172	40,008,213	40,188,690
Alabama	754,181	758,721	743,448	724,037	721,901	712,586	730,460	733,735	729,234	724,751
Alaska ²	88,573	86,514	90,858	89,413	98,206	104,599	107,345	107,848	106,869	106,481
Arizona	509,252	513,790	507,199	510,296	506,682	530,062	548,252	534,538	572,421	574,890
Arkansas	453,125	447,700	437,121	432,565	432,120	432,668	433,410	437,438	437,036	436,387
California	4,119,511	4,076,421	4,046,156	4,065,486	4,089,017	4,151,110	4,255,554	4,377,989	4,488,398	4,618,120
Colorado	550,527	546,033	544,174	545,209	542,196	545,427	550,642	558,415	560,236	560,081
Connecticut ³	566,634	531,459	505,386	486,470	477,585	468,145	462,026	468,847	465,465	460,637
Delaware	104,035	99,403	95,072	92,646	91,406	91,767	92,901	94,410	95,659	96,678
District of Columbia	106,156	100,049	94,975	91,105	88,843	87,397	87,092	85,612	86,435	84,792
Florida	1,508,337	1,510,225	1,487,721	1,484,734	1,495,543	1,524,107	1,562,283	1,607,320	1,664,774	1,720,930
Georgia	1,078,462	1,068,737	1,056,117	1,053,689	1,050,859	1,062,315	1,079,594	1,096,425	1,110,947	1,107,994
Hawaii	168,660	165,068	162,805	162,024	162,241	163,860	164,169	164,640	166,160	167,488
Idaho	202,758	203,247	204,524	202,973	206,352	208,080	208,669	208,391	212,444	214,615
Illinois	2,043,239	1,983,463	1,924,084	1,880,289	1,853,316	1,834,355	1,826,478	1,825,185	1,811,446	1,794,916
Indiana	1,083,826	1,055,589	1,025,172	999,542	984,384	972,659	966,106	966,780	964,129	960,994
Iowa	548,317	533,857	516,216	504,983	497,287	491,011	485,332	481,286	480,826	478,200
Kansas	422,924	415,291	409,909	407,074	405,222	405,347	410,229	416,091	421,112	426,596
Kentucky	677,123	669,798	658,350	651,084	647,414	644,421	643,833	642,778	642,696	637,627
Louisiana	800,435	777,560	782,053	784,027	800,193	800,941	788,349	795,188	793,093	786,683
Maine	227,823	222,497	216,293	211,986	209,753	207,537	206,101	211,752	211,817	212,902
Maryland	777,725	750,665	721,841	699,201	683,491	673,840	671,560	675,747	683,797	688,947
Massachusetts	1,035,724	1,021,885	947,037	908,984	878,844	859,391	844,330	833,918	825,320	823,428
Michigan	1,860,498	1,797,052	1,724,787	1,674,697	1,635,963	1,609,448	1,602,747	1,597,154	1,589,287	1,582,785
Minnesota	778,056	754,318	733,741	715,190	705,236	701,697	705,140	711,134	721,481	726,950
Mississippi	482,039	477,059	471,615	468,294	467,744	466,058	471,195	498,639	505,550	503,326
Missouri	872,933	844,648	818,705	802,535	795,453	793,793	795,107	800,606	802,060	806,639
Montana	158,208	155,193	153,435	152,335	153,646	154,412	153,869	153,327	152,207	152,191
Nebraska	287,288	280,430	273,340	269,009	266,998	265,599	265,819	267,139	268,100	269,434
Nevada	147,734	149,481	151,339	151,104	150,442	151,633	154,948	161,239	168,353	176,474
New Hampshire	170,546	167,232	163,827	160,197	159,030	158,614	160,974	163,717	166,045	169,413
New Jersey	1,287,809	1,246,008	1,199,643	1,172,520	1,147,841	1,129,223	1,116,194	1,107,467	1,092,982	1,080,871
New Mexico	275,572	271,198	268,091	268,632	269,711	272,478	277,551	281,943	287,229	292,425
New York	2,969,216	2,871,724	2,783,017	2,718,678	2,674,818	2,645,811	2,621,378	2,607,719	2,594,070	2,573,715
North Carolina	1,150,053	1,129,376	1,108,960	1,096,815	1,089,606	1,088,724	1,086,165	1,085,248	1,085,976	1,083,156
North Dakota	117,688	116,885	117,708	117,078	117,213	118,711	118,570	118,703	119,004	118,809
Ohio	2,025,256	1,957,381	1,898,501	1,860,245	1,827,300	1,805,440	1,793,965	1,793,508	1,793,431	1,778,544
Oklahoma	583,458	577,807	582,572	593,825	591,389	589,690	592,327	593,183	584,212	580,426
Oregon	467,128	464,599	457,165	448,184	447,109	446,884	447,527	449,307	455,895	461,752
Pennsylvania	1,968,801	1,909,292	1,839,015	1,783,969	1,737,952	1,701,880	1,683,221	1,674,161	1,668,542	1,659,714
Rhode Island	154,699	148,956	143,414	139,959	136,412	134,610	133,949	134,690	134,800	133,585
South Carolina	624,795	619,223	609,158	608,518	604,553	602,718	606,643	611,629	614,921	615,774
South Dakota	133,840	128,507	125,657	123,897	123,060	123,314	124,291	125,458	126,817	126,910
Tennessee	866,117	853,569	838,297	828,264	822,057	817,212	813,753	818,073	823,783	821,580
Texas	2,872,719	2,900,073	2,935,547	2,985,659	2,989,796	3,040,305	3,131,705	3,209,515	3,236,787	3,283,707
Utah	333,049	343,618	355,554	370,183	378,208	390,141	403,305	415,994	423,386	431,119
Vermont	98,338	95,815	93,183	91,454	90,416	90,089	90,157	92,112	92,755	93,381
Virginia	1,031,403	1,010,371	989,548	975,727	966,110	965,222	968,104	975,135	979,417	982,393
Washington	764,879	757,639	750,188	739,215	736,239	741,177	749,706	761,428	775,755	790,918
West Virginia	387,966	383,503	377,772	375,115	371,251	362,941	357,923	351,837	344,236	335,912
Wisconsin	857,855	830,247	804,262	784,830	774,646	767,542	768,234	767,819	772,363	774,857
Wyoming	95,422	98,305	99,541	101,665	99,254	101,261	102,779	100,955	98,455	97,793
Outlying areas	—	—	—	—	808,546	—	—	—	739,860	729,069
American Samoa	—	9,647	9,896	—	10,124	—	—	11,055	11,248	11,764
Guam	27,582	26,420	25,084	25,676	26,249	—	26,043	25,676	25,936	26,041
Northern Marianas	4,407	—	5,300	—	4,499	4,841	—	—	5,819	6,079
Puerto Rico	—	712,880	721,419	708,794	701,925	692,923	686,914	679,489	672,837	661,693
Trust Territories	—	—	—	—	39,623	—	—	—	—	—
Virgin Islands	25,553	25,201	25,525	25,699	26,126	26,122	25,448	24,435	24,020	23,492

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					Fall 1982 to fall 1992	Fall 1972 to fall 1992	Fall 1972 to fall 1977	Fall 1977 to fall 1982	Fall 1982 to fall 1987	Fall 1987 to fall 1992
1	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
United States	40,542,707	41,216,683	42,046,878	42,734,746	8.0	-6.5	-4.7	-9.2	1.1	6.8
Alabama	723,743	721,806	722,004	723,410	-0.1	-7.7	-2.7	-5.0	0.7	-0.8
Alaska ²	109,280	113,903	118,680	122,487	37.0	43.5	5.9	-1.0	19.5	14.6
Arizona	607,615	639,853	656,980	673,477	32.0	38.8	5.9	-0.7	12.2	17.7
Arkansas	434,960	436,286	438,518	441,490	2.1	-4.3	-0.6	-5.7	1.0	1.0
California	4,771,978	4,950,474	5,107,145	5,195,777	27.8	15.4	-4.4	-5.5	10.4	15.8
Colorado	562,755	574,213	593,030	612,635	12.4	6.7	-2.2	-3.0	2.8	9.4
Connecticut ³	461,560	469,123	481,050	488,476	0.4	-26.5	-7.3	-21.1	-4.3	4.9
Delaware	97,808	99,658	102,196	104,321	12.6	-22.3	-12.1	-21.5	3.3	9.1
District of Columbia	81,301	80,694	80,618	80,937	-11.2	-42.2	-14.3	-24.0	-5.1	-6.4
Florida	1,789,925	1,861,592	1,932,131	1,981,407	33.5	30.8	1.4	-3.3	12.1	19.0
Georgia	1,126,535	1,151,687	1,177,569	1,207,186	14.6	10.7	-0.1	-3.3	5.4	8.7
Hawaii	169,493	171,708	174,747	177,448	9.5	-2.5	-5.3	-6.0	2.6	6.8
Idaho	214,932	220,840	225,680	231,668	14.1	25.5	9.1	0.8	4.7	9.0
Illinois	1,797,355	1,821,407	1,848,166	1,873,567	-0.4	-20.4	-7.7	-13.5	-3.7	3.4
Indiana	954,165	954,525	956,988	960,630	-3.9	-21.3	-6.3	-12.6	-3.5	-0.4
Iowa	478,486	483,652	491,363	494,839	-2.0	-23.4	-8.9	-14.2	-4.8	2.9
Kansas	430,864	437,034	445,390	451,536	10.9	-8.2	-9.2	-8.8	3.4	7.2
Kentucky	630,688	636,401	646,024	655,041	0.6	-8.3	-2.5	-6.6	-1.3	1.9
Louisiana	783,025	784,757	794,128	797,985	1.8	-5.7	-0.8	-6.6	1.2	0.6
Maine	213,775	215,149	216,400	216,453	2.1	-13.6	-1.9	-13.7	-0.1	2.2
Maryland	698,806	715,176	736,238	751,850	7.5	-18.4	-9.1	-16.5	-2.2	10.0
Massachusetts	825,588	834,314	846,155	859,948	-5.4	-28.5	-7.1	-18.6	-9.2	4.2
Michigan	1,576,785	1,584,431	1,593,561	1,603,610	-4.2	-25.9	-9.1	-14.9	-5.1	0.9
Minnesota	739,553	756,374	773,571	793,724	11.0	-12.7	-8.1	-14.5	0.9	10.0
Mississippi	502,020	502,417	504,127	506,668	8.2	-3.7	-4.6	-6.7	8.0	0.2
Missouri	807,934	816,558	842,965	859,357	7.1	-16.6	-9.6	-13.8	-0.1	7.1
Montana	151,265	152,974	155,779	160,011	5.0	-11.0	-6.2	-9.7	-0.1	5.1
Nebraska	270,920	274,081	279,552	282,476	5.0	-14.2	-7.0	-12.1	-0.3	5.4
Nevada	186,834	201,316	211,810	222,974	47.6	69.4	9.0	5.3	11.4	32.4
New Hampshire	171,696	172,785	177,138	181,247	13.1	7.8	3.9	-8.3	3.7	9.2
New Jersey	1,076,005	1,089,646	1,109,796	1,130,560	-3.6	-25.2	-8.5	-15.1	-6.8	3.4
New Mexico	296,057	301,881	308,667	315,668	17.5	10.7	-1.1	-4.7	6.9	9.9
New York	2,565,841	2,598,337	2,643,993	2,689,686	-1.1	-23.3	-8.1	-15.6	-4.6	3.7
North Carolina	1,080,744	1,086,871	1,097,598	1,114,083	1.6	-4.1	1.8	-7.2	-1.0	2.6
North Dakota	117,816	117,825	118,376	118,734	1.4	-16.1	-11.6	-6.4	1.6	-0.2
Ohio	1,764,410	1,771,089	1,783,767	1,796,418	-3.4	-25.8	-9.9	-14.7	-3.6	0.2
Oklahoma	578,580	579,087	588,263	597,096	0.6	-1.6	-2.1	-0.1	-1.6	2.2
Oregon	472,394	472,394	498,614	510,122	13.8	8.2	0.4	-5.3	1.7	11.9
Pennsylvania	1,655,279	1,667,834	1,692,797	1,717,613	-3.7	-27.3	-9.8	-16.2	-6.5	2.9
Rhode Island	135,729	138,813	142,144	143,798	2.7	-24.2	-12.2	-16.0	-3.7	6.7
South Carolina	616,177	622,112	627,470	633,419	4.1	1.5	-0.5	-2.0	1.1	3.0
South Dakota	127,329	129,164	131,576	134,573	8.6	-17.1	-11.6	-13.7	2.4	6.1
Tennessee	819,660	824,595	833,651	845,618	2.1	-5.2	-1.5	-5.7	-0.5	2.7
Texas	3,328,514	3,382,887	3,464,371	3,535,871	18.4	29.1	3.8	5.0	8.4	9.2
Utah	438,554	446,652	456,430	463,870	25.3	51.6	3.7	16.7	14.4	9.6
Vermont	94,779	95,762	97,137	98,558	7.8	-7.5	-3.4	-11.2	1.4	6.3
Virginia	985,346	998,601	1,016,204	1,031,925	5.8	-3.5	1.2	-9.8	0.4	5.4
Washington	810,232	839,709	869,327	896,475	21.3	13.4	-1.8	-4.8	4.9	15.6
West Virginia	327,540	322,389	320,249	318,296	-15.1	-22.4	-2.1	-6.5	-8.2	-7.5
Wisconsin	782,905	797,621	814,671	829,415	5.7	-16.7	-7.8	-14.5	-1.6	7.4
Wyoming	97,172	98,226	102,074	100,313	-1.3	16.6	7.3	10.1	-3.2	1.9
Outlying areas	717,270	711,787	713,533	712,058	—	—	—	—	—	-3.8
American Samoa	12,258	12,463	13,365	13,994	—	71.4	13.8	—	—	24.4
Guam	26,493	26,391	28,334	30,057	17.1	11.6	—	—	1.0	15.9
Northern Marianas	6,101	6,449	7,096	8,086	—	—	—	—	—	39.0
Puerto Rico	651,225	644,734	642,392	637,034	-10.1	-10.4	—	—	-5.1	-5.3
Trust Territories	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Virgin Islands	21,193	21,750	22,346	22,887	-10.9	9.9	22.8	0.5	-6.5	-4.7

¹ Includes a relatively small number of prekindergarten students.

—Data not available or not applicable.

² Beginning in 1983, data include students enrolled in public schools on federal bases and other special arrangements.³ Beginning in 1986, data include state vocational/technical students.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, "Statistics of Public Elementary and Secondary Day Schools," various years; and Common Core of Data surveys. (This table was prepared September 1994.)