Connecticut Fast Facts

45% Connecticut residents think K–12 education in Connecticut is headed in the right direction.

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Connecticut Parents' Schooling Preferences

- Public District School: 41.0%
- Charter School: 7.0%
- Private School: 40.0%
- Home School: 6.0%
- Don't Know/Refused/Skipped: 6.0%

Where K–12 Connecticut Students Attend School Now

- Public District School: 88.0%
- Charter School: 1.0%
- Private School: 9.0%
- Home School: 2.0%

Education Spending

Connecticut Total Public Education Revenue: $11.9 Billion

State: 40.0%
Local: 56.0%
Federal: 4.0%

Connecticut Average Total Per Pupil Spending

- Public: $14,732
- Charter: $22,694
- Private: $27,936

Connecticut School Spending/Costs By Sector

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- Charter: $14,732
- Private: $27,936

Connecticut Public School Hiring and Salary Trends

- Avg. Teacher Salaries: $1,961
- Avg. District Busing Expenditure: $4,593

State Student Transportation Statutes

INTER-DISTRICT
The state provides funding for transfers and the receiving districts can pay for transportation on a voluntary basis.

CHARTER SCHOOL
The local or regional board of education of the school district in which the charter school is located provides transportation services for students of the charter school who reside in the district.

PRIVATE SCHOOL
Districts will provide the same kind of transportation services for students attending private schools when a majority of the children attending the private school are residents of the state of Connecticut.

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