Iowa Fast Facts

35% of Iowans think K–12 education in Iowa is headed in the right direction. (EdChoice Public Opinion Tracker)

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<th>Iowa Parents' Schooling Preferences</th>
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Where K–12 Iowa Students Attend School Now

- Public District School: 89.0%
- Charter School: 0.1%
- Private School Out of Pocket: 6.0%
- Private through a School Choice Program: 2.0%
- Home School: 2.9%

Iowa K–12 Education Spending: $7.4 Billion

- Total Iowa Public Education Revenue: $7.4 Billion

Iowa Public Education Funding Sources

- State: 53.0%
- Local: 40.0%
- Federal: 7.0%

Iowa K-12 Education Spending Out of Total

- Per Pupil $14,320
- Private K–12 Tuition Per Pupil $5,260
- Avg. Cost Per Pupil (Tuition and Textbook Tax Credit) $1,463
- Avg. Cost Per Pupil (School Tuition Organization Tax Credit) $133

Iowa Public School Hiring and Salary Trends since 1992

- Avg. Teacher Salaries
- Avg. Students
- Avg. All Staff
- Avg. Teachers
- Avg. All Other Staff

Iowa Student Transportation

- INTER-DISTRICT: Parents are responsible for transporting students to and from the designated bus stop in the receiving district. School districts with open enrollment agreements may make transportation arrangements. Open enrollment students meeting certain income guidelines receive transportation assistance from the sending district, including reimbursement.
- CHARTER SCHOOL: Iowa does not provide transportation for charter school students.
- PRIVATE SCHOOL: Private school students are entitled to transportation services on the same basis as provided for public school pupils.

Iowa Student Transportation Statutes

- Public school students are entitled to transportation services on the same basis as provided for public school pupils.