**New Jersey Fast Facts**

- **43%**
  - New Jersey Residents think K–12 education in New Jersey is headed in the right direction.

**New Jersey Parents' Schooling Preferences**

- **Public District School**: 42.0%
- **Charter School**: 8.0%
- **Private School**: 38.0%
- **Home School**: 7.0%
- **Don't Know/Refused/Skipped**: 5.0%

**Where & How New Jersey Students Attend School**

- **Public District School**: 83.0%
- **Charter School**: 3.0%
- **Private School Out of Pocket**: 11.0%
- **Private through a School Choice Program**: 0.0%
- **Home School**: 3.0%

**New Jersey K–12 Education Spending**

- **Total New Jersey Public Education Revenue**: $33.7 Billion
- **Avg. New Jersey Total Spending Per Pupil (Public)**: $17,771
- **Avg. New Jersey Total Spending Per Pupil (Charter)**: $23,856
- **Avg. National Private K–12 Tuition Per Pupil**: $14,187
- **Avg. District Busing Expenditure Per Pupil**: $1,686

**New Jersey Public School Hiring and Salary Trends since 1992**

- **Avg. Teacher Salaries**: $1,686
- **Avg. District Busing Expenditure**: 7%

**Inter-District**

- New Jersey school districts contract with each other for transportation services when students transfer between districts, with homeless students guaranteed transportation when transferring across district lines.

**Charter School**

- The students who reside in the school district in which the charter school is located must be provided transportation to the charter school on the same terms and conditions as transportation is provided to students attending the schools of the district.

**Private School**

- Pupils attending nonprofit, nonpublic schools not more than 20 miles from their residence are entitled to transportation if the school district provides transportation for public school pupils.