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Public School Districts (2025-2026)

Public Operating Elementary & Secondary Independent Districts (type 01)	325
Non-Operating Common School Districts (type 02)	2
Special School Districts (type 03)	2
Intermediate School Districts (type 06)	4
Integration Districts (type 62)	1
Charter Schools (type 07)	169
State Schools/Academies (type 70)	2
Education Districts (type 61)	12
Miscellaneous Cooperative Districts (type 50)	14
Special Education &/or Vocational Cooperative Districts (type 51,52,53)	20
Telecommunication Districts (classification 75)	6

Public Schools (2025-2026)

Number of Schools	2,264
· Alternative Learning (classification 41,42,43)	378
· Distance Learning Programs-state approved (classification 46)	142
· Tribal-Contract Schools (classification 40)	4
· Elementary Schools (classification 10) Grades PK-6	1,020
· Middle Schools (classification 20) Grades 5-8	254
· Secondary Schools (classification 31,32,33) Grades 7-12	466
- Junior Highs (classification 31) Grades 7-9	11
- Senior Highs (classification 32) Grades 9-12 or 10-12	217
- Combined (classification 33) Grades 7-12	238

Public School Teachers (2024-2025)

Teachers-Full Time Equivalent (FTE)	56,544
· Pre-Kindergarten & School Readiness	1,650
· Kindergarten	3,140
· Elementary (grades 1 through 6)	24,962
· Secondary (grades 7 through 12)	19,661
· Other/Un-Graded	2,645
· Special Education	11,469
Average Years of Teaching Experience-statewide	11
New Teachers FTE (newly licensed & first teaching assignment)	2,514

Total Staff (2024-2025)

Licensed staff headcount	74,584
Non-licensed staff headcount	66,674

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Public Schools Enrollment & Graduates (2024-2025)

K-12 Enrollment	876,746
· Pre-Kindergarten & Early Childhood Enrollment	29,099
· Kindergarten	58,284
· Elementary (grades 1 through 6)	377,905
- Grade 1	60,107
- Grade 2	62,379
- Grade 3	64,394
- Grade 4	62,540
- Grade 5	64,484
- Grade 6	64,001
· Secondary (grades 7 through 12)	411,458
- Grade 7	64,575
- Grade 8	64,281
- Grade 9	67,377
- Grade 10	68,745
- Grade 11	70,128
- Grade 12	76,352
· Male (grades PreK-12)	451,654
· Female (grades PreK-12)	425,092
· American Indian (grades PreK-12)	31,105
· Asian (grades PreK-12)	62,349
· Hispanic (grades PreK-12)	101,440
· Black (grades PreK-12)	106,379
· White (grades PreK-12)	527,984
· Multi (grades PreK-12)	45,770
· Hawaiian Pacific Islander (grades PreK-12)	1,082
· Other Indigenous Peoples (grades PreK-12)	637
· Special Education--receiving services (grades PreK-12)	166,982
· English Language Learners (grades PreK-12)	85,701
· Free & Reduced Lunch Eligible (grades PreK-12)	353,406
· Enrolled in Charter Schools (grades PreK-12)	72,352
- Elementary (grades PreK-6)	40,889
- Secondary (grades PreK-12)	30,380
· Open Enrolled to Non-Resident District [SAC 1, 4] (grades PreK-12)	93,134
- Elementary (grades PreK-6)	45,196
- Secondary (grades 7-12)	46,941
Enrollment in Alternatives:	13,166
· Alternative Learning Centers:	11,453
· Alternative Learning Programs:	1,206
· Private Alternative Programs:	507
Graduates (2023-2024):	63,197

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Non-Public Schools Enrollment (2024-2025)

Number of Students Home Schooled	31,216
Number of Non-Public Schools	467
Number of Non-Public School Reporting K-12 Enrollment	449
	72,871
· Kindergarten	6,441
· Elementary (grades 1 through 6)	37,665
- Grade 1	6,295
- Grade 2	6,354
- Grade 3	6,437
- Grade 4	6,328
- Grade 5	6,143
- Grade 6	6,108
· Secondary (grades 7 through 12)	28,765
- Grade 7	5,644
- Grade 8	5,408
- Grade 9	4,514
- Grade 10	4,586
- Grade 11	4,416
- Grade 12	4,197
Non-Public Previous Year Graduates (2023-2024):	3,993