

# Higher Education Support: Does Your State Make the Grade?

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State	Final Grade	Tuition	State Approp Average	Burden on Families Average	Aid for students	Higher Ed as priority
Wyoming	96%	A	A	A	F	F
New York	93%	C	B-	A	A	D-
Alaska	93%	C+	A	A	F	C
Oklahoma	90%	B-	D	B	B	A
North Dakota	89%	C	A	A	F	A
West Virginia	89%	B-	C-	B-	A	B
Kentucky	88%	D+	D	D	A	A
North Carolina	87%	C	B	B+	A	D
Texas	87%	B-	C	B	A	A
New Mexico	87%	B	B+	C-	B-	A
Nebraska	82%	B	B	B	F	A
Arkansas	82%	B-	F	B	A	B+
Tennessee	81%	D+	F	D+	A	B-
Washington	81%	F	F	F	A	A-
South Carolina	79%	F	F	F	A	A
Illinois	78%	F	A	C-	B	F
California	78%	F	D+	A	A	F
Georgia	77%	F	F	F	A	A
Maryland	76%	C+	D	B+	D	B
New Jersey	76%	F	F	D	A	D-
Wisconsin	75%	C-	D	C+	C	A-
Louisiana	75%	D	F	C	A	B
Iowa	75%	C	F	C-	F	A
Mississippi	75%	B	F	B	F	A
Kansas	73%	B-	D	B-	F	A
Nevada	71%	C	F	B	A	F
Indiana	71%	C-	F	D	A	F
Montana	69%	A-	F	B	F	C-
South Dakota	68%	F	F	C-	F	A
Utah	65%	B-	F	B-	F	C+
Virginia	64%	F	F	D-	B-	B+
Massachusetts	64%	F	F	B-	F	B-
Connecticut	63%	D	D	C+	F	C-
Minnesota	63%	F	F	D-	A	F
Missouri	63%	B	F	C-	D	F
Hawaii	63%	F	D+	B	F	B-
Maine	62%	C+	D	D	F	F
Florida	62%	D	F	C	B-	F
Idaho	62%	D+	F	B-	F	C
Pennsylvania	58%	F	F	F	A	F
Delaware	56%	D	F	F	D	F
Rhode Island	54%	F	F	F	F	B-
Alabama	54%	F	F	F	F	A
Ohio	53%	C-	F	F	F	F
Arizona	51%	F	F	F	F	C+
Colorado	48%	F	F	D-	D	F
Vermont	45%	F	F	F	A-	F
Michigan	45%	D	F	F	F	F
Oregon	44%	D	F	D	D-	F
New Hampshire	17%	F	F	F	F	F