

Estimated Student-to-Counselor Ratios U.S. Elementary Schools*

<u>U.S. States</u>	<u># of Students</u>	<u># of Counselors</u>	<u>Student-to-Counselor Ratio</u>
Alabama	527,479	965	547:1
Alaska	91,225	142	642:1
Arizona	739,359	645	1,146:1
Arkansas	335,223	665	504:1
California	4,431,994	2,701	1,641:1
Colorado	549,875	279	1,971:1
Connecticut	399,705	555	720:1
Delaware	84,639	102	830:1
District of Columbia	52,186	21	2,485:1
Florida	1,873,395	1,763	1,063:1
Georgia	1,145,446	1,418	808:1
Hawaii	127,379	277	460:1
Idaho	182,829	238	768:1
Illinois	1,480,047	1,000	1,480:1
Indiana	724,467	492	1,472:1
Iowa	326,160	650	502:1
Kansas	309,555	399	776:1
Kentucky	483,797	809	598:1
Louisiana	482,082	1,970	245:1
Maine	133,491	345	387:1
Maryland	588,571	1,077	546:1
Massachusetts	675,398	900	750:1
Michigan	1,165,704	1,256	928:1
Minnesota	557,493	136	4,099:1
Mississippi	350,983	485	724:1
Missouri	635,142	1,104	575:1
Montana	97,575	264	370:1
Nebraska	195,055	394	495:1
Nevada	295,011	247	1,194:1
New Hampshire	138,043	486	284:1
New Jersey	926,870	1,066	869:1
New Mexico	229,552	299	768:1
New York	1,857,165	1,554	1,195:1
North Carolina	1,003,118	2,436	412:1
North Dakota	65,638	142	462:1
Ohio	1,261,331	1,879	671:1
Oklahoma	454,254	540	841:1
Oregon	378,892	576	658:1
Pennsylvania	1,225,383	1,682	729:1
Rhode Island	103,870	1,316 **	79:1
South Carolina	498,030	1,107	450:1
South Dakota	83,530	202	414:1
Tennessee	662,219	1,157	572:1
Texas	3,268,339	4,129	792:1
Utah	357,644	118	3,031:1
Vermont	64,662	165	392:1
Virginia	841,435	1,270	663:1
Washington	699,482	674	1,038:1
West Virginia	196,988	306	644:1
Wisconsin	583,998	1,098	532:1
Wyoming	57,195	159	360:1

*Estimate based on student enrollment in public elementary (PK-8) schools, and the state-reported number of elementary school counselors (grade levels not determined).

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