

AVERAGE K-12 TEACHER SALARY
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State	Estimated 2005-06	Rank	2004-05	Rank	2003-04	Rank	2002-03	Rank	2001-02	Rank	2000-01	Rank	1999-2000	Rank	1998-99	Rank	1997-98	Rank	1996-97	Rank	1995-96	Rank	1994-95	Rank	1993-94	Rank	1992-93	Rank	1991-92	Rank
USA	\$49,109		\$47,674		\$46,715		\$45,776		\$44,615		\$43,400		\$41,754		\$40,580		\$39,454		\$38,554		\$37,685		\$36,605		\$35,741		\$35,030		\$34,063	
Dist. of Columbia	\$61,195	1	\$58,456	1	\$57,009	2	\$50,763	10	\$47,049	13	\$48,704	7	\$47,076	7	\$46,350	6	\$45,012	7	\$43,700	7	\$43,700	6	\$42,543	6	\$42,543	6	\$38,702	10	\$38,798	7
Connecticut	\$59,499	2	\$57,737	3	\$57,337	1	\$55,367	2	\$53,551	2	\$52,693	1	\$51,780	2	\$51,424	1	\$50,730	1	\$50,426	2	\$50,254	1	\$49,769	1	\$49,769	1	\$48,343	1	\$46,971	1
California	\$59,345	3	\$57,876	2	\$56,444	3	\$55,693	1	\$54,348	1	\$52,480	2	\$47,680	6	\$46,129	8	\$44,585	8	\$42,992	9	\$43,114	8	\$41,078	8	\$40,264	8	\$40,035	7	\$39,922	6
Michigan	\$58,482	4	\$56,973	4	\$55,503	4	\$53,178	4	\$52,477	4	\$51,317	5	\$49,044	4	\$47,448	5	\$47,500	6	\$48,238	4	\$44,796	6	\$41,895	7	\$44,856	4	\$43,901	4	\$41,490	4
Illinois	\$57,819	5	\$55,421	7	\$54,230	7	\$51,475	7	\$49,435	8	\$47,847	11	\$46,486	10	\$45,269	10	\$43,690	11	\$42,125	11	\$40,919	12	\$39,431	12	\$39,387	11	\$38,632	11	\$36,461	11
New Jersey	\$57,707	6	\$56,682	5	\$55,344	5	\$54,166	3	\$53,192	3	\$52,268	3	\$52,174	1	\$51,193	2	\$50,442	2	\$49,786	3	\$47,910	4	\$46,087	4	\$44,693	5	\$42,680	5	\$41,027	5
New York	\$57,354	7	\$56,200	6	\$55,181	6	\$53,017	5	\$52,000	5	\$51,500	4	\$51,020	3	\$49,437	3	\$48,712	3	\$48,000	5	\$48,115	3	\$47,612	3	\$44,999	3	\$44,999	3	\$43,335	3
Massachusetts	\$56,587	8	\$54,679	8	\$53,733	8	\$51,803	6	\$49,242	10	\$48,649	8	\$46,580	9	\$45,075	11	\$43,930	10	\$42,650	10	\$42,882	9	\$40,600	11	\$39,413	10	\$38,774	8	\$37,845	10
Rhode Island	\$54,730	9	\$53,473	9	\$52,261	10	\$51,076	8	\$49,758	7	\$48,474	9	\$47,041	8	\$45,650	9	\$44,300	9	\$43,019	8	\$42,160	9	\$40,729	9	\$39,261	12	\$37,933	12	\$36,417	12
Maryland	\$54,486	10	\$52,331	12	\$50,261	12	\$49,677	12	\$48,251	12	\$45,963	13	\$44,048	13	\$43,112	13	\$41,739	14	\$41,148	13	\$41,215	11	\$40,661	10	\$39,453	9	\$38,753	9	\$38,728	8
Delaware	\$54,264	11	\$50,595	13	\$49,669	13	\$48,791	13	\$48,363	11	\$47,047	12	\$44,435	12	\$43,164	12	\$42,439	12	\$41,436	12	\$40,533	13	\$39,076	13	\$37,469	14	\$36,217	14	\$34,548	15
Pennsylvania	\$54,027	12	\$53,258	10	\$52,590	9	\$50,992	9	\$50,599	6	\$49,528	6	\$48,321	5	\$48,457	4	\$47,542	5	\$47,147	6	\$46,087	5	\$44,510	5	\$42,411	7	\$41,215	6	\$38,715	9
Alaska	\$53,553	13	\$52,424	11	\$51,736	11	\$49,685	11	\$49,418	9	\$48,123	10	\$46,462	11	\$46,845	7	\$47,601	4	\$50,647	1	\$49,620	2	\$47,951	2	\$47,512	2	\$46,701	2	\$44,661	2
Hawaii	\$51,599	14	\$46,149	19	\$45,479	18	\$44,464	20	\$42,615	20	\$40,052	24	\$40,578	20	\$39,871	18	\$38,377	19	\$35,842	24	\$35,807	22	\$38,518	15	\$36,564	15	\$36,470	13	\$34,528	16
Ohio	\$50,314	15	\$48,692	14	\$47,482	15	\$45,490	16	\$44,019	17	\$42,764	16	\$41,436	15	\$40,561	17	\$38,985	17	\$38,676	17	\$37,835	17	\$36,802	17	\$35,673	19	\$34,519	21	\$33,212	22
Oregon	\$48,981	16	\$48,330	15	\$47,829	14	\$47,600	14	\$46,081	14	\$44,989	14	\$40,919	19	\$42,833	14	\$42,200	13	\$40,960	14	\$39,575	14	\$38,590	14	\$37,590	13	\$35,880	16	\$34,100	18
Minnesota	\$48,489	17	\$46,906	16	\$45,375	20	\$44,745	19	\$42,194	22	\$42,212	18	\$39,802	21	\$39,458	20	\$37,932	20	\$38,281	18	\$36,937	19	\$35,948	20	\$35,440	20	\$35,093	18	\$34,451	17
Georgia	\$48,300	18	\$46,526	18	\$45,988	16	\$45,533	15	\$44,073	16	\$42,216	17	\$41,023	18	\$39,765	19	\$37,569	21	\$35,596	27	\$34,087	27	\$32,291	29	\$30,712	33	\$30,223	32	\$29,372	32
Indiana	\$47,255	19	\$46,583	17	\$45,791	17	\$44,966	17	\$44,195	15	\$43,311	15	\$41,850	14	\$41,159	15	\$39,750	15	\$38,845	16	\$37,677	18	\$36,785	18	\$35,712	18	\$35,066	19	\$34,006	19
Vermont	\$46,622	20	\$44,535	21	\$42,007	26	\$41,991	27	\$39,232	31	\$38,253	28	\$37,714	27	\$36,800	28	\$36,299	27	\$36,053	22	\$36,295	20	\$35,406	21	\$34,517	21	\$34,824	20	\$33,646	21
Wisconsin	\$46,390	21	\$44,299	22	\$42,882	23	\$42,775	21	\$42,232	21	\$42,122	20	\$41,153	16	\$40,657	16	\$39,357	16	\$39,057	15	\$38,182	15	\$37,746	16	\$35,990	16	\$35,926	15	\$35,227	13
Washington	\$46,326	22	\$45,718	20	\$45,434	19	\$44,958	18	\$43,464	18	\$42,137	19	\$41,043	17	\$38,687	22	\$38,765	18	\$37,815	19	\$38,025	16	\$36,151	19	\$35,863	17	\$35,759	17	\$34,823	14
Colorado	\$45,616	23	\$43,949	23	\$43,319	21	\$42,680	22	\$40,659	25	\$39,184	25	\$38,163	25	\$38,157	23	\$37,240	22	\$36,271	21	\$35,364	24	\$34,571	25	\$33,826	25	\$33,541	24	\$33,072	24
New Hampshire	\$45,263	24	\$43,941	24	\$42,689	24	\$41,909	25	\$40,002	26	\$38,301	27	\$37,734	26	\$37,405	25	\$36,663	25	\$36,029	23	\$35,792	23	\$34,720	23	\$34,121	22	\$33,931	23	\$33,170	23
Arizona	\$44,672	25	\$42,905	27	\$41,843	27	\$40,894	28	\$39,973	27	\$37,167	33	\$35,650	36	\$35,025	33	\$34,411	31	\$33,300	32	\$32,484	33	\$32,175	31	\$31,800	28	\$31,352	27	\$31,176	26
Nevada	\$44,426	26	\$43,394	25	\$42,254	25	\$41,795	26	\$40,764	24	\$40,443	22	\$39,390	23	\$38,883	21	\$37,094	23	\$37,340	20	\$36,167	21	\$34,836	22	\$33,955	23	\$34,119	22	\$33,857	20
North Carolina	\$43,922	27	\$43,348	26	\$43,211	22	\$42,411	24	\$42,680	19	\$41,480	21	\$39,419	22	\$38,883	27	\$33,129	38	\$31,167	43	\$30,411	43	\$30,793	40	\$29,728	38	\$29,315	37	\$28,791	36
Virginia	\$43,823	28	\$42,768	28	\$41,791	28	\$42,665	23	\$41,239	23	\$40,175	23	\$38,744	24	\$37,266	26	\$36,654	26	\$35,691	26	\$35,037	26	\$33,987	26	\$33,000	26	\$32,257	26	\$31,764	25
Idaho	\$43,390	29	\$42,122	30	\$41,080	30	\$40,148	31	\$39,591	29	\$37,450	31	\$35,162	38	\$34,063	41	\$32,834	39	\$31,818	40	\$30,891	41	\$29,783	42	\$27,756	44	\$27,011	44	\$26,334	45
Florida	\$43,302	30	\$41,590	32	\$40,591	31	\$40,281	30	\$39,275	30	\$38,230	29	\$36,722	29	\$35,916	29	\$34,475	30	\$33,889	29	\$33,330	29	\$32,588	27	\$31,944	27	\$31,172	28	\$31,070	27
Wyoming	\$43,255	31	\$40,497	35	\$39,532	36	\$38,840	36	\$37,853	37	\$34,678	42	\$34,127	42	\$33,500	42	\$32,022	43	\$31,715	42	\$31,571	38	\$31,285	35	\$30,952	31	\$30,080	34	\$30,425	30
South Carolina	\$43,242	32	\$42,189	29	\$41,162	29	\$40,362	29	\$39,923	28	\$37,938	30	\$36,081	33	\$34,506	37	\$33,697	36	\$32,830	37	\$31,622	37	\$30,279	41	\$29,566	39	\$29,224	38	\$28,068	38
Tennessee	\$42,537	33	\$42,076	31	\$40,318	33	\$39,186	33	\$38,515	33	\$37,431	32	\$36,328	32	\$35,490	32	\$35,340	28	\$34,222	28	\$33,126	30	\$32,477	28	\$30,514	36	\$28,960	39	\$28,621	37
Arkansas	\$42,093	34	\$40,495	36	\$39,314	37	\$38,167	41	\$36,962	41	\$34,641	43	\$33,386	43	\$32,330	46	\$31,592	44	\$30,319	45	\$29,322	46	\$28,934	44	\$28,098	43	\$27,433	42	\$27,070	42
Kentucky	\$41,903	35	\$40,522	34	\$40,240	34	\$38,981	35	\$37,951	36	\$36,589	36	\$36,380	31	\$35,526	31	\$34,613	29	\$33,797	30	\$33,080	31	\$32,257	30	\$31,625	29	\$31,115	29	\$30,870	28
Texas	\$41,744	36	\$41,011	33	\$40,476	32	\$39,974	32	\$39,232	31	\$38,361	26	\$37,567	28	\$34,337	38	\$34,133	33	\$33,038	36	\$32,000	36	\$31,223	36	\$30,529	35	\$29,935	35	\$29,041	34
New Mexico	\$41,637	37	\$39,391	40	\$37,877	46	\$36,965	46	\$36,440	43	\$33,785	46	\$32,554	46	\$32,398	44	\$30,152	47	\$30,131	46	\$29,632	44	\$28,493	46	\$27,202	46	\$26,532	46	\$26,239	46
Kansas	\$41,369	38	\$39,345	41	\$38,623	39	\$37,795	43	\$37,093	40																				