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Georgia's Rankings Among the States:

Budget, Taxes and Other Indicators



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Introduction

Enclosed is a collection of quantitative metrics and state rankings that compare Georgia to states across the nation. While several of the comparisons focus on total state or local government revenue and expenditures, the report also includes a number of measures that provide comparisons of either expenditures or state characteristics within specific functional areas, such as education, health, and transportation. The state rankings for each topic are generally (with a few exceptions) determined by the reported total dollar value or percentage, with the highest state value or percentage ranked number one. This 2020 edition is an annual publication from the Fiscal Research Center. We hope it will serve as a convenient reference guide for policymakers, the media and the public.

Sources

The 37 metrics contained within the report are based upon data from a variety of sources. Each metric within the report contains a listing of the sources used to produce the reported information. Although each source is updated periodically in accordance with its own unique schedule, we have made an attempt to use the latest information available for each measure. A partial list of the data sources includes:

- ▶ U.S. Census Bureau, Annual Population Estimates
- ▶ U.S. Census Bureau, Annual Surveys of State and Local Government Finances
- ▶ U.S. Census Bureau, Poverty: American Community Survey Briefs
- ▶ Bureau of Economic Analysis
- ► College Board, Trends in College Pricing
- $\,\blacktriangleright\,$ National Association of State Budget Officers State Expenditure Report
- ▶ State Higher Education Executive Officers Association
- ▶ Bureau of Labor Statistics
- ► Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Georgia Trends, 2020 Edition

		MEASURE	RANK	TREND
I	Population, 2018	10,519,475	8	-
2	Percent Change in Population (2008-18)	8.5%	19	•
3	Per Capita Personal Income, 2018	\$46,482	37	A
4	Annual Unemployment Rate, 2018	3.9%	28	A
_5	Percentage of Population Living in Poverty, 2018	14.3%	12	▼
6	Per Capita State & Local General Revenue from Own Sources, FY 2017	\$5,432	48	•
7	State & Local General Revenue from Own Sources as a Percentage of Personal Income, FY 2017	12.3%	47	•
8	Per Capita State General Revenue from Own Sources, FY 2017	\$2,774	47	A
9	Per Capita Local General Revenue from Own Sources, FY 2017	\$2,658	32	_
10	Percentage of Total State & Local Tax Revenue from Individual Income Tax, FY 2017	28.2%	13	A
	Per Capita State & Local Taxes, FY 2017	\$3,739	42	-
12	State & Local Taxes as a Percentage of Personal Income, FY 2017	8.5%	41	•
13	Per Capita Local Taxes, FY 2017	\$1,586	31	•
14	Per Capita State Taxes, FY 2017	\$2,153	40	
15	Per Capita Federal Revenue, FY 2017	\$1,568	47	_
16	Per Capita Total State Expenditures, FY 2018	\$4,886	42	A
17 	Real Percent Change in Per Capita State Expenditures, FY 2008-18	10.1%	22	A
18	Per Capita General Fund Expenditures, FY 2018	\$2,236	29	_
19	Per Capita State & Local Debt Outstanding, FY 2017	\$5,551	43	_
20	State Credit Ratings, 2018	AAA	I	_

	м	EASURE	RANK	TREND
21	Per Capita Medicaid Expenditures, FY 2018	\$1,029	48	A
22	Percentage of Total State Expenditures on Public Assistance, FY 2017	39.0%	33	•
23	Percentage of Population Under Age 65 With Health Insurance, 2018	84.3%	47	_
24	Infant Mortality Rate, 2017	7.2	8	•
25	State & Local Per-Pupil School Funding, Pre-K to 12, 2016-17	\$10,693	35	A
26	State Per-Pupil School Funding, Pre-K to 12, 2016-17	\$5,317	37	A
27	Average Salary of Public School Teachers, 2017-18	\$56,329	21	A
28	Percentage of Population 25 Years & Older With at Least a High School Education, 2018	87.6%	39	A
29	Average Annual In-State Tuition & Fees at Public Four-Year Institutions, 2019-20	\$8,719	38	•
30	Real Percent Change in In-State Tuition & Fees at Public Four-Year Institutions, 2014-5 to 2019-20	0.6%	45	•
31	Per Capita State Support For Public & Private Higher Education, FY 2018	\$312	16	_
32	FTE Student Enrollment in Public Higher Education, FY 2018	350,448	8	A
33	Higher Education Appropriations Per FTE Student, FY 2018	\$9,166	9	A
34	State Motor Fuel Taxes, 2019	\$0.3515	17	A
35.	Per Capita State & Local Road Expenditures, FY 2017	\$418	45	•
36	Per Capita State Corrections Expenditures, FY 2017	\$124	35	A
37	State Government Workers Per 100 Persons, 2017	1.3	39	

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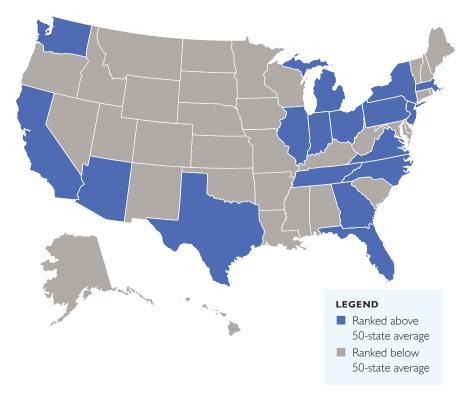
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Change in Rank from 2019 Edition: ▲ Up

Population, 2018

RANK	STATE	
ı	California	39,557,045
2	Texas	28,701,845
3	Florida	21,299,325
4	New York	19,542,209
5	Pennsylvania	12,807,060
6	Illinois	12,741,080
7	Ohio	11,689,442
8	Georgia	10,519,475
9	North Carolina	10,383,620
10	Michigan	9,995,915
	New Jersey	8,908,520
12	Virginia	8,517,685
13	Washington	7,535,591
14	Arizona	7,171,646
15	Massachusetts	6,902,149
16	Tennessee	6,770,010
17	Indiana	6,691,878
>	50-State Average	6,529,300
18	Missouri	6,126,452
19	Maryland	6,042,718
20	Wisconsin	5,813,568
21	Colorado	5,695,564
22	Minnesota	5,611,179
23	South Carolina	5,084,127
24	Alabama	4,887,871

RANK	STATE	
25	Louisiana	4,659,978
26	Kentucky	4,468,402
27	Oregon	4,190,713
28	Oklahoma	3,943,079
29	Connecticut	3,572,665
30	Utah	3,161,105
31	lowa	3,156,145
32	Nevada	3,034,392
33	Arkansas	3,013,825
34	Mississippi	2,986,530
35	Kansas	2,911,505
36	New Mexico	2,095,428
37	Nebraska	1,929,268
38	West Virginia	1,805,832
39	Idaho	1,754,208
40	Hawaii	1,420,491
41	New Hampshire	1,356,458
42	Maine	1,338,404
43	Montana	1,062,305
44	Rhode Island	1,057,315
45	Delaware	967,171
46	South Dakota	882,235
47	North Dakota	760,077
48	Alaska	737,438
49	Vermont	626,299
50	Wyoming	577,737



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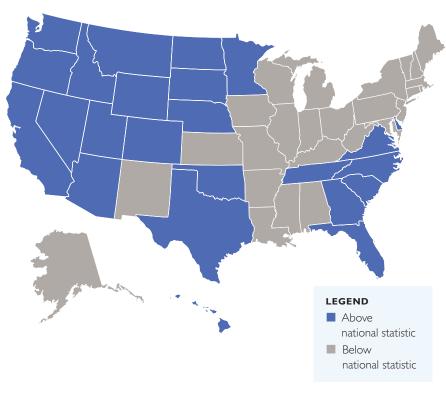
- ► Georgia's population increased 1.02 percent from 2017 to 2018, down from 1.05 percent in the previous year.
- ► The U.S. population was an estimated 326,464,979 in 2017, up 0.62 percent from 2017.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Annual Population Estimates (October 2019)

Percentage Change in Population (2008-18)

RANK	STATE	IN %
1	North Dakota	18.5
2	Texas	18.1
3	Nevada	16.0
4	Utah	15.9
5	Florida	15.6
6	Colorado	15.4
7	Idaho	14.8
8	Washington	14.8
9	South Carolina	12.9
10	North Carolina	12.3
11	Oregon	10.8
12	Delaware	10.4
13	Arizona	10.3
14	Hawaii	10.3
15	Montana	9.7
16	South Dakota	9.7
17	Virginia	9.3
18	Tennessee	8.5
19	Georgia	8.5
20	Wyoming	8.4
21	Nebraska	8.3
22	Oklahoma	8.2
23	California	8.1
24	Minnesota	7.3
•	United States	7.3

RANK	STATE	IN %
 25	Alaska	7.2
26	Maryland	6.8
27	Massachusetts	5.5
28	New Mexico	5.5
29	lowa	5.4
30	Arkansas	5.1
31	Indiana	4.8
32	Louisiana	4.7
33	Alabama	4.5
34	Kentucky	4.2
35	Kansas	4.1
36	Wisconsin	3.3
37	Missouri	2.9
38	New Jersey	2.8
39	New Hampshire	2.6
40	Connecticut	2.0
41	Pennsylvania	1.9
42	Mississippi	1.6
43	Maine	1.4
44	Ohio	1.4
45	Vermont	0.8
46	New York	0.4
47	Rhode Island	0.4
48	Michigan	-0.1
49	West Virginia	-0.5
50	Illinois	-0.8



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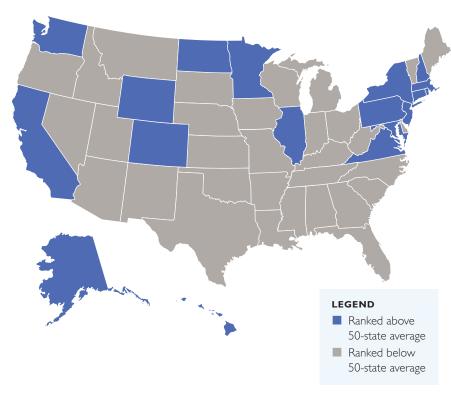
- ► Georgia's population increased by 8.5 percent from 2008 to 2018, which is was slightly above average in the Southeast.
- ▶ On average, state population increased by 7.2 percent from 2008 to 2018.

Sources: U.S. Census Bureau, Annual Population Estimates; and U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis

Per Capita Personal Income, 2018

RANK	STATE	IN \$
	Connecticut	76,456
2	Massachusetts	71,683
3	New York	68,668
4	New Jersey	68,236
5	California	63,557
6	Maryland	63,354
7	Washington	62,026
8	New Hampshire	61,294
9	Wyoming	60,361
10	Alaska	59,420
	Colorado	58,456
12	Virginia	57,799
13	Minnesota	57,515
14	Illinois	56,839
15	Pennsylvania	56,225
16	North Dakota	55,452
17	Hawaii	55,418
18	Rhode Island	54,850
>	50-State Average	52,407
19	Vermont	54,173
20	Nebraska	53,263
21	Delaware	52,507
22	South Dakota	52,216
23	Wisconsin	51,592
24	Kansas	51,471

RANK	STATE	IN \$
25	Oregon	50,843
26	Texas	50,355
27	lowa	50,124
28	Florida	50,070
29	Nevada	49,176
30	Maine	48,905
31	Ohio	48,739
32	Michigan	48,423
33	Missouri	47,746
34	Montana	47,538
35	Indiana	47,149
36	Tennessee	46,900
37	Georgia	46,482
38	Utah	46,320
39	Louisiana	46,242
40	Oklahoma	46,233
41	North Carolina	46,117
42	Arizona	44,329
43	Idaho	43,901
44	South Carolina	43,702
45	Arkansas	43,233
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46	Kentucky	42,458
46	Kentucky Alabama	42,458



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- ▶ Georgia's per capita personal income increased by 5.3 percent from 2017 to 2018, the 4th fastest growth among the southeastern U.S. states.
- ► The 50-state average per capita personal income increased by \$2,617 (5.3 percent) from 2017 to 2018.

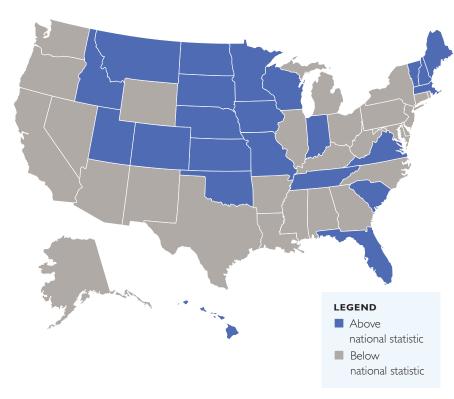
Note: Personal income is the income from net earnings (wages, salaries, and other labor income); property (personal dividend, interest, and rental income); and transfer payments such as Social Security and unemployment benefits. Personal income is measured before personal taxes are deducted.

Sources: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis; and U.S. Census Bureau, Annual Population Estimates

Annual Unemployment Rate, 2018

RANK	STATE	RATE
	lowa	2.5
2	Hawaii	2.6
2	New Hampshire	2.6
4	Vermont	2.7
5	North Dakota	2.8
5	Nebraska	2.8
5	Minnesota	2.8
8	South Dakota	2.9
8	Virginia	2.9
10	Idaho	3.0
10	Wisconsin	3.0
12	Missouri	3.2
13	Colorado	3.3
13	Utah	3.3
15	Kansas	3.4
15	Massachusetts	3.4
15	Oklahoma	3.4
18	Maine	3.5
18	Indiana	3.5
18	Tennessee	3.5
18	South Carolina	3.5
22	Florida	3.6
23	Montana	3.7
>	50-State Average	3.8
24	Arkansas	3.8
24	Texas	3.8

RANK	STATE	RATE
24	Delaware	3.8
24	North Carolina	3.8
28	Alabama	3.9
28	Georgia	3.9
30	Oregon	4.1
30	Rhode Island	4.1
30	Michigan	4.1
30	Connecticut	4.1
30	New York	4.1
35	Maryland	4.2
35	Wyoming	4.2
35	New Jersey	4.2
35	California	4.2
35	Illinois	4.2
40	Pennsylvania	4.3
41	Washington	4.4
41	Kentucky	4.4
43	Nevada	4.5
43	Ohio	4.5
45	Arizona	4.7
45	New Mexico	4.7
47	Mississippi	4.8
48	Louisiana	4.9
49	West Virginia	5.3
50	Alaska	6.6



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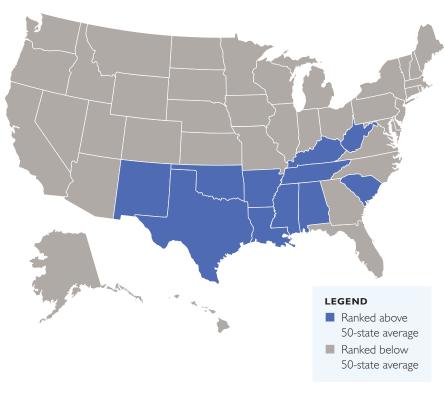
- ▶ Georgia's annual unemployment rate decreased by 0.8 percentage points from 2017, and was 0.1 percentage points lower than the southeastern states' average.
- ► The 50-state average unemployment rate was 3.8 percent in 2018, a 0.4-point decrease from 2017.

Sources: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics; and U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis

Percentage of Population Living in Poverty, 2018

RANK	STATE	IN %
	Mississippi	19.7
2	New Mexico	19.5
3	Louisiana	18.6
4	West Virginia	17.8
5	Arkansas	17.2
6	Kentucky	16.9
7	Alabama	16.8
8	Oklahoma	15.6
9	South Carolina	15.3
10	Tennessee	15.3
	Texas	14.9
•	50-State Average	14.9
12	Georgia	14.3
13	Michigan	14.1
14	Arizona	14.0
15	North Carolina	14.0
16	Ol :	120
	Ohio	13.9
17	Onio New York	13.9
17		
	New York	13.6
18	New York Florida	13.6
18	New York Florida Missouri	13.6
18 19 20	New York Florida Missouri Indiana	13.6 13.6 13.2
18 19 20 21	New York Florida Missouri Indiana South Dakota	13.6 13.6 13.2 13.1

RANK	STATE	IN %
25	California	12.8
26	Oregon	12.6
27	Delaware	12.5
28	Pennsylvania	12.2
29	Illinois	12.1
30	Kansas	12.0
31	Idaho	11.8
32	Maine	11.6
33	Iowa	11.2
34	Wyoming	11.1
35	Vermont	11.0
36	Wisconsin	11.0
37	Nebraska	11.0
38	Alaska	10.9
39	Virginia	10.7
40	North Dakota	10.7
41	Connecticut	10.4
42	Washington	10.3
43	Massachusetts	10.0
44	Colorado	9.6
45	Minnesota	9.6
46	New Jersey	9.5
47	Utah	9.0
48	Maryland	9.0
49	Hawaii	8.8
50	New Hampshire	7.6



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- ▶ 14.3 percent of Georgians live in poverty, a decrease of 0.6 percentage points from 2017 (14.9 percent).
- ► Georgia's poverty rate is above the national average (12.9), but below the southeastern average (15.9).

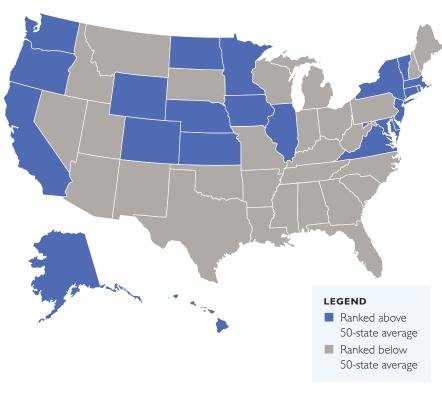
Note: The poverty threshold, as designated by the Census Bureau, was \$25,100 for a family of four, including two children, in 2018. This threshold is updated annually for changes in the cost of living.

Sources: U.S. Census Bureau, Poverty: 2017 and 2018 (Oct 2019); and U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis

Per Capita State & Local General Revenue from Own Sources, FY 2017

RANK	STATE	IN \$
	New York	11,852
2	Alaska	10,967
3	Hawaii	9,923
4	Wyoming	9,742
5	North Dakota	9,585
6	Connecticut	9,176
7	New Jersey	9,086
8	California	8,963
9	Massachusetts	8,789
10	Minnesota	8,397
	Washington	8,247
12	lowa	8,138
13	Maryland	8,089
14	Vermont	8,033
15	Delaware	7,983
16	Oregon	7,940
17	Rhode Island	7,724
18	Kansas	7,676
19	Illinois	7,491
20	Colorado	7,482
21	Nebraska	7,419
22	Virginia	7,337
>	50-State Average	7,262
23	Pennsylvania	7,255
24	Wisconsin	7,073

RANK	STATE	IN \$
25	Utah	7,047
26	Ohio	6,978
27	Maine	6,870
28	New Mexico	6,798
29	New Hampshire	6,766
30	Michigan	6,614
31	South Carolina	6,580
32	West Virginia	6,337
33	North Carolina	6,318
34	Louisiana	6,273
35	Texas	6,256
36	South Dakota	6,181
37	Nevada	6,126
38	Indiana	6,037
39	Mississippi	5,966
40	Alabama	5,957
41	Florida	5,922
42	Missouri	5,827
43	Arkansas	5,820
44	Oklahoma	5,741
45	Kentucky	5,656
46	Montana	5,616
47	Idaho	5,465
48	Georgia	5,432
49	Tennessee	5,160
50	Arizona	5,013



Quick Stats

- ▶ Georgia's per capita state and local revenue from own sources increased by \$167 (3.2 percent) from FY 2016 to FY 2017.
- ▶ The U.S. 50-state average per capita state and local government general revenue from own sources increased by \$229 from FY 2016 to FY 2017.

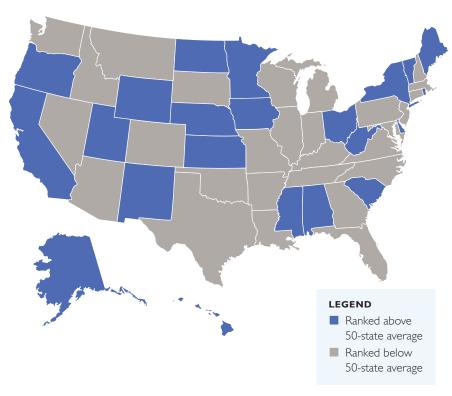
Note: The table uses own-source general revenue data; this includes taxes, charges, and miscellaneous general revenue, but excludes utility revenue, liquor store revenue, insurance trust revenue and intergovernmental revenue.

Sources: U.S. Census Bureau, Annual Surveys of State and Local Government Finances; U.S. Census Bureau, Annual Population Estimates; and U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis

State & Local General Revenue from Own Sources as a Percentage of Personal Income, FY 2017

RANK	STATE	IN %
I	Alaska	19.2
2	Hawaii	18.8
3	New York	18.4
4	North Dakota	18.3
5	lowa	17.3
6	New Mexico	17.1
7	Wyoming	17.0
8	Oregon	16.5
8	West Virginia	16.5
10	Mississippi	16.3
11	Utah	16.2
12	Delaware	16.1
13	Kansas	15.8
13	South Carolina	15.8
15	Minnesota	15.4
15	Vermont	15.4
17	California	15.0
18	Ohio	14.9
19	Maine	14.8
20	Rhode Island	14.6
20	Nebraska	14.6
20	Alabama	14.6
>	50-State Average	14.6
23	Wisconsin	14.5
24	Louisiana	14.4

RANK	STATE	IN %
25	Michigan	14.3
25	North Carolina	14.3
27	Washington	14.2
27	Arkansas	14.2
29	New Jersey	14.1
30	Kentucky	13.9
31	Illinois	13.8
32	Colorado	13.7
33	Pennsylvania	13.6
34	Indiana	13.4
35	Virginia	13.3
35	Maryland	13.3
35	Nevada	13.3
38	Texas	13.2
39	Idaho	13.1
40	Massachusetts	13.0
40	Missouri	13.0
42	Oklahoma	12.9
43	Connecticut	12.8
44	South Dakota	12.7
45	Florida	12.4
45	Montana	12.4
47	Georgia	12.3
48	Arizona	11.9
49	New Hampshire	11.3
49	Tennessee	11.3



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▶ In FY 2017, Georgia's state and local revenue from own sources as a percentage of personal income decreased by 0.3 percent from FY 2016.

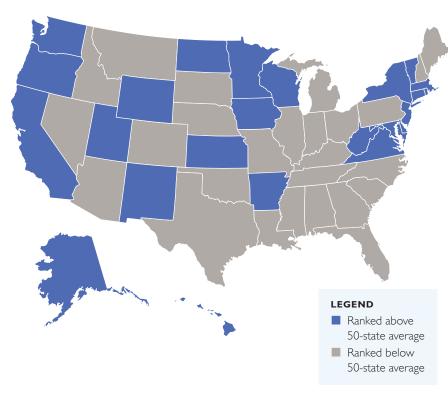
Note: Values presented in the table are rounded to one decimal. States that have similar values but different rankings indicate that the value differs beyond the first decimal.

Sources: U.S. Census Bureau, Annual Surveys of State and Local Government Finances; and Bureau of Economic Analysis, State Income and Employment Summary

Per Capita State General Revenue from Own Sources, FY 2017

RANK	STATE	IN \$
	Hawaii	7,488
2	Alaska	6,838
3	Vermont	6,460
4	North Dakota	6,385
5	Delaware	6,190
6	Connecticut	5,670
7	Massachusetts	5,603
8	Minnesota	5,462
9	New York	5,320
10	Wyoming	5,100
11	California	4,964
12	New Jersey	4,951
13	Oregon	4,911
14	New Mexico	4,771
15	lowa	4,736
16	Rhode Island	4,721
17	Kansas	4,647
18	Maryland	4,617
19	Utah	4,568
20	Wisconsin	4,482
21	West Virginia	4,443
22	Washington	4,441
23	Arkansas	4,406
24	Virginia	4,310
>	50-State Average	4,289

RANK	STATE	IN \$
25	Michigan	4,275
26	Pennsylvania	4,229
27	Maine	4,164
28	Ohio	3,898
29	Kentucky	3,791
30	Illinois	3,774
31	North Carolina	3,582
32	Indiana	3,570
33	Nebraska	3,570
34	Oklahoma	3,515
35	Mississippi	3,514
36	Colorado	3,456
37	Alabama	3,451
38	South Carolina	3,422
39	Idaho	3,406
40	Nevada	3,400
41	Montana	3,384
42	Louisiana	3,245
43	South Dakota	3,244
44	New Hampshire	3,180
45	Missouri	2,981
46	Texas	2,969
47	Georgia	2,774
48	Arizona	2,764
49	Tennessee	2,719
50	Florida	2,677



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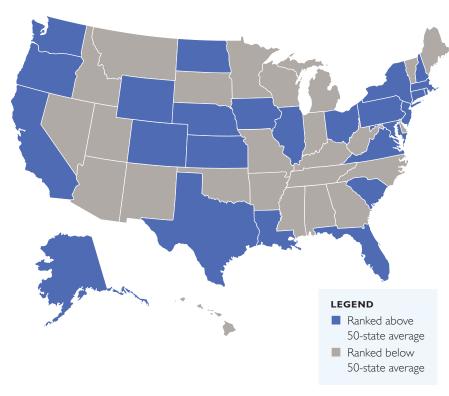
- ▶ Georgia's per capita state general revenue from own sources increased by \$85 (3.2 percent) in FY 2017.
- ▶ The U.S. 50-state average per capita state general revenue from own sources decreased by \$118 (2.8 percent) between FY 2016 and FY 2017.

Sources: U.S. Census Bureau, Annual Surveys of State and Local Government Finances; and U.S. Census Bureau, Annual Population Estimates

Per Capita Local General Revenue from Own Sources, FY 2017

RANK	STATE	IN \$
I	New York	6,532
2	Wyoming	4,642
3	New Jersey	4,135
4	Alaska	4,129
5	Colorado	4,026
6	California	3,999
7	Nebraska	3,849
8	Washington	3,807
9	Illinois	3,717
10	New Hampshire	3,587
П	Connecticut	3,506
12	Maryland	3,472
13	lowa	3,402
14	Texas	3,287
15	Florida	3,245
16	North Dakota	3,200
17	Massachusetts	3,186
18	South Carolina	3,158
19	Ohio	3,080
20	Kansas	3,030
21	Oregon	3,029
22	Louisiana	3,028
23	Virginia	3,027
24	Pennsylvania	3,025
25	Rhode Island	3,003

RANK	STATE	IN \$
>	50-State Average	2,974
26	South Dakota	2,938
27	Minnesota	2,935
28	Missouri	2,846
29	North Carolina	2,736
30	Nevada	2,725
31	Maine	2,706
32	Georgia	2,658
33	Wisconsin	2,591
34	Alabama	2,506
35	Utah	2,479
36	Indiana	2,467
37	Mississippi	2,452
38	Tennessee	2,441
39	Hawaii	2,436
40	Michigan	2,339
41	Arizona	2,249
42	Montana	2,232
43	Oklahoma	2,227
44	Idaho	2,059
45	New Mexico	2,027
46	West Virginia	1,894
47	Kentucky	1,865
48	Delaware	1,793
49	Vermont	1,573
50	Arkansas	1,414



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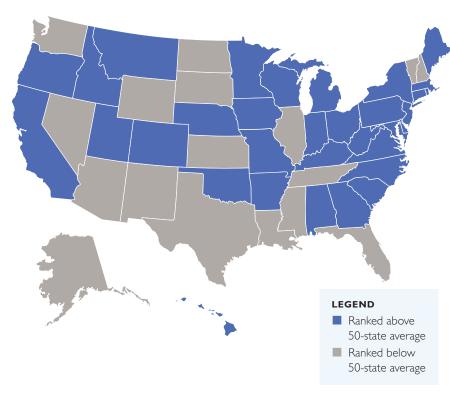
- ▶ Georgia's per capita local general revenue from own sources increased by \$82 in FY 2017, about 3.2 percent.
- ▶ The U.S. 50-state average per capita local general revenue from own sources increased by \$112 in FY 2017, about 3.9 percent.

Sources: U.S. Census Bureau, Annual Surveys of State and Local Government Finances; and U.S. Census Bureau, Annual Population Estimates

Percentage of Total State & Local Tax Revenue from Individual Income Tax, FY 2017

RANK	STATE	IN %
-	Oregon	42.7
2	Maryland	37.9
3	California	34.6
4	Kentucky	33.7
5	Massachusetts	32.7
6	Virginia	32.1
7	Minnesota	31.9
8	New York	31.7
9	North Carolina	29.7
10	Connecticut	29.2
	Montana	28.8
12	Utah	28.7
13	Georgia	28.2
14	Missouri	28.1
ır	Wisconsin	27.5
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16	Delaware	26.5
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- ► Georgia's total individual income tax revenue grew by 5.2 percent from FY 2016 to FY 2017.
- ▶ Seven states have no state individual income tax. New Hampshire and Tennessee tax only dividend and interest income.

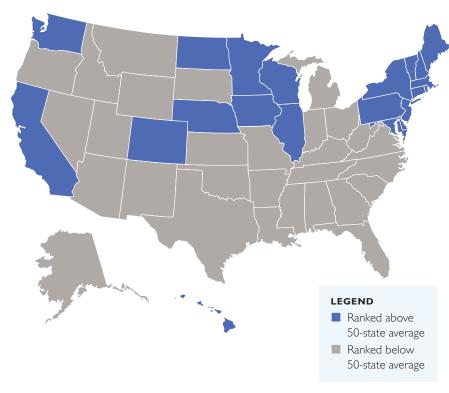
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Sources: U.S. Census Bureau, Annual Surveys of State and Local Government Finances; and U.S. Census Bureau, Annual Population Estimates

Per Capita State & Local Taxes, FY 2017

RANK	STATE	IN \$
I	New York	9,073
2	Connecticut	7,638
3	New Jersey	6,978
4	North Dakota	6,665
5	Hawaii	6,640
6	Massachusetts	6,564
7	Maryland	6,301
8	Minnesota	6,176
9	California	6,170
10	Vermont	6,044
11	Illinois	5,764
12	Rhode Island	5,562
13	Washington	5,342
14	Maine	5,302
15	Pennsylvania	5,166
16	Nebraska	5,118
17	lowa	4,992
18	New Hampshire	4,895
19	Wisconsin	4,891
20	Delaware	4,886
21	Colorado	4,881
>	50-State Average	4,836
22	Virginia	4,797
23	Oregon	4,731
24	Wyoming	4,698

RANK	STATE	IN \$
25	Ohio	4,682
26	Kansas	4,643
27	Nevada	4,495
28	Louisiana	4,328
29	South Dakota	4,260
30	Michigan	4,189
31	Texas	4,161
32	New Mexico	4,117
33	Alaska	4,096
34	Utah	4,063
35	Arkansas	4,002
36	North Carolina	3,960
37	West Virginia	3,954
38	Kentucky	3,894
39	Indiana	3,893
40	Montana	3,878
41	Missouri	3,821
42	Georgia	3,739
43	Idaho	3,712
44	Mississippi	3,678
45	Florida	3,653
46	Oklahoma	3,544
47	South Carolina	3,522
48	Arizona	3,472
49	Tennessee	3,405
50	Alabama	3,370



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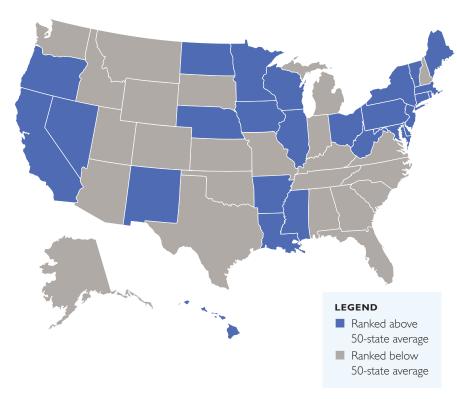
- ▶ Georgia recorded \$77 more in per capita state and local taxes in FY 2017 compared to FY 2016, an increase of 2.1 percent.
- ▶ The 50-state average of per capita state and local taxes increased by \$122 or 2.6 percent in FY 2017.

Sources: U.S. Census Bureau, Annual Surveys of State and Local Government Finances; and U.S. Census Bureau, Annual Population Estimates

State & Local Taxes as a Percentage of Personal Income, FY 2017

RANK	STATE	IN %
	New York	14.1
2	North Dakota	12.8
3	Hawaii	12.6
4	Vermont	11.6
5	Maine	11.4
5	Minnesota	11.4
7	New Jersey	10.8
8	Illinois	10.6
8	Connecticut	10.6
8	lowa	10.6
11	Rhode Island	10.5
12	Maryland	10.4
13	New Mexico	10.3
13	California	10.3
13	West Virginia	10.3
16	Nebraska	10.1
17	Mississippi	10.0
17	Ohio	10.0
17	Wisconsin	10.0
20	Louisiana	9.9
21	Delaware	9.8
21	Oregon	9.8
23	Arkansas	9.7
23	Nevada	9.7
23	Massachusetts	9.7

RANK	STATE	IN %
23	Pennsylvania	9.7
>	50-State Average	9.6
27	Kentucky	9.6
27	Kansas	9.6
29	Utah	9.3
30	Washington	9.2
31	Michigan	9.1
32	North Carolina	9.0
33	Colorado	8.9
33	Idaho	8.9
35	Texas	8.8
36	South Dakota	8.7
36	Virginia	8.7
38	Indiana	8.6
39	Montana	8.5
39	Missouri	8.5
39	Georgia	8.5
39	South Carolina	8.5
43	Alabama	8.3
44	Arizona	8.2
44	New Hampshire	8.2
44	Wyoming	8.2
47	Oklahoma	8.0
48	Florida	7.7
49	Tennessee	7.5
50	Alaska	7.2



Quick Stats

- ► Georgia's state and local tax revenue as a percentage of personal income was 8.5 percent in FY 2017, 0.3 percentage points lower than in FY 2016.
- ▶ The average state and local taxes as a percent of personal income for the southeastern U.S. states was 9.0 percent in FY 2017, 0.5 percent higher than for Georgia.

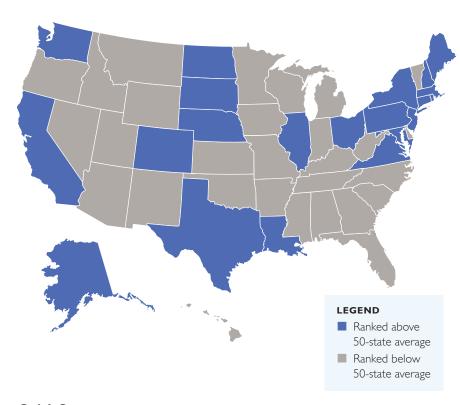
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Sources: U.S. Census Bureau, Annual Surveys of State and Local Government Finances; and Bureau of Economic Analysis, State Income and Employment Summary

Per Capita Local Taxes, FY 2017

RANK	STATE	IN \$
ı	New York	5,006
2	New Jersey	3,341
3	Connecticut	3,064
4	New Hampshire	3,045
5	Illinois	2,794
6	Maryland	2,716
7	Massachusetts	2,555
8	Colorado	2,531
9	Alaska	2,488
10	Rhode Island	2,470
11	Nebraska	2,457
12	Texas	2,268
13	California	2,220
14	Pennsylvania	2,206
15	Virginia	2,173
16	South Dakota	2,166
17	Maine	2,132
18	Washington	2,110
19	Ohio	2,083
20	North Dakota	2,076
21	Louisiana	1,951
>	50-State Average	1,913
22	lowa	1,889
23	Oregon	1,858
24	Wyoming	1,849

RANK	STATE	IN \$
25	Kansas	1,835
26	Missouri	1,775
27	Wisconsin	1,760
28	Florida	1,735
29	Hawaii	1,705
30	Nevada	1,594
31	Georgia	1,586
32	Minnesota	1,580
33	South Carolina	1,565
34	Utah	1,539
35	Arizona	1,501
36	Oklahoma	1,364
37	New Mexico	1,358
38	Montana	1,358
39	North Carolina	1,346
40	Tennessee	1,334
41	Michigan	1,319
42	Alabama	1,233
43	Kentucky	1,220
44	Indiana	1,183
45	West Virginia	1,151
46	Delaware	1,136
47	Idaho	1,087
48	Mississippi	1,075
49	Vermont	1,036
50	Arkansas	833



Quick Stats

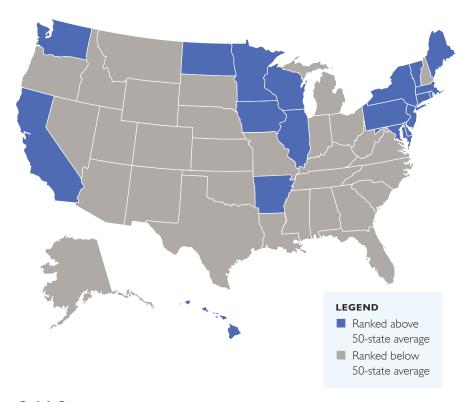
- ► Georgia's per capita local taxes stayed within I percent of FY 2016.
- ▶ The U.S. 50-state average per capita local taxes increased by \$73 (4.0 percent).

Sources: U.S. Census Bureau, Annual Surveys of State and Local Government Finances; and U.S. Census Bureau, Annual Population Estimates

Per Capita State Taxes, FY 2017

RANK	STATE	IN \$
ı	Vermont	5,008
2	Hawaii	4,935
3	Minnesota	4,597
4	North Dakota	4,589
5	Connecticut	4,574
6	New York	4,067
7	Massachusetts	4,010
8	California	3,950
9	Delaware	3,750
10	New Jersey	3,637
11	Maryland	3,585
12	Washington	3,232
13	Maine	3,170
14	Arkansas	3,169
15	Wisconsin	3,131
16	lowa	3,103
17	Rhode Island	3,092
18	Illinois	2,970
19	Pennsylvania	2,959
>	50-State Average	2,923
20	Nevada	2,902
21	Oregon	2,873
22	Michigan	2,870
23	Wyoming	2,849
24	Kansas	2,808

RANK	STATE	IN \$
25	West Virginia	2,802
26	New Mexico	2,759
27	Indiana	2,710
28	Kentucky	2,674
29	Nebraska	2,661
30	Idaho	2,624
31	Virginia	2,624
32	North Carolina	2,615
33	Mississippi	2,603
34	Ohio	2,598
35	Utah	2,524
36	Montana	2,521
37	Louisiana	2,377
38	Colorado	2,350
39	Oklahoma	2,179
40	Georgia	2,153
41	Alabama	2,137
42	South Dakota	2,094
43	Tennessee	2,071
44	Missouri	2,046
45	Arizona	1,970
46	South Carolina	1,957
47	Florida	1,917
48	Texas	1,893
49	New Hampshire	1,850
50	Alaska	1,608



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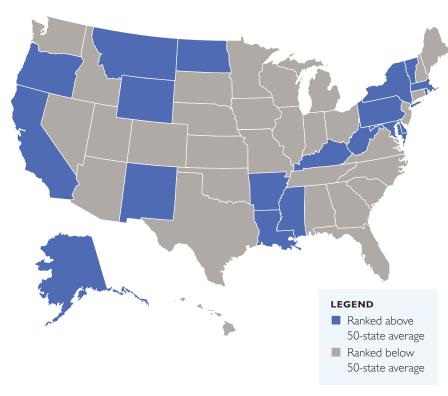
- ► Georgia's per capita state taxes increased by \$71 in FY 2017 from FY 2016, a 3.4 percent change.
- ▶ The 50-state average state tax increased by \$49 or 1.7 percent from FY 2016.

Sources: U.S. Census Bureau, Annual Surveys of State and Local Government Finances; and U.S. Census Bureau, Annual Population Estimates

Per Capita Federal Revenue, FY 2017

RANK	STATE	IN \$
-	Alaska	4,756
2	Wyoming	4,480
3	New Mexico	3,539
4	New York	3,385
5	Vermont	3,297
6	Montana	3,112
7	West Virginia	2,872
8	Mississippi	2,855
9	Louisiana	2,785
10	Arkansas	2,718
	North Dakota	2,694
12	Oregon	2,599
13	California	2,558
14	Delaware	2,551
15	Kentucky	2,541
16	Pennsylvania	2,514
17	Massachusetts	2,502
18	Rhode Island	2,484
19	Maryland	2,331
•	50-State Average	2,314
20	Maine	2,290
21	Michigan	2,289
22	Indiana	2,268
23	Connecticut	2,266
24	Arizona	2,257

RANK	STATE	IN \$
25	Alabama	2,250
26	Ohio	2,224
27	Hawaii	2,176
28	New Jersey	2,124
29	lowa	2,122
30	Washington	2,111
31	Minnesota	2,101
32	Missouri	1,959
33	Oklahoma	1,947
34	South Dakota	1,943
35	Nevada	1,876
36	New Hampshire	1,803
37	Nebraska	1,802
38	North Carolina	1,794
39	Illinois	1,788
40	Tennessee	1,757
41	South Carolina	1,749
42	Wisconsin	1,716
43	Colorado	1,691
44	Texas	1,620
45	Utah	1,616
46	Idaho	1,603
47	Georgia	1,568
48	Kansas	1,516
49	Florida	1,492
50	Virginia	1,393



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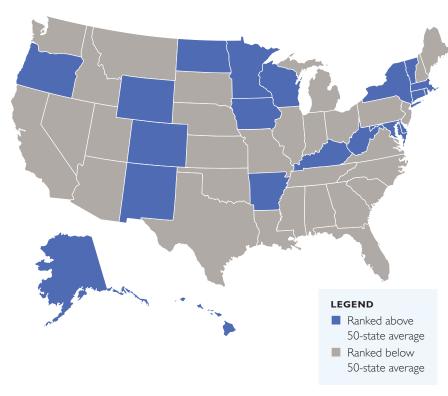
- ► Georgia's per capita revenue from federal sources increased by \$49 in FY 2017 or 3.2 percent.
- ▶ The U.S. 50-state average per capita federal revenue increased by \$82 or 3.7 percent in FY 2017 from FY 2016.

Sources: U.S. Census Bureau, Annual Surveys of State and Local Government Finances; and U.S. Census Bureau, Annual Population Estimates

Per Capita State Expenditures, FY 2018

RANK	STATE	IN \$
-	Alaska	13,970
2	Delaware	11,215
3	Hawaii	10,700
4	New Mexico	9,764
5	Oregon	9,693
6	West Virginia	9,335
7	Connecticut	9,279
8	Vermont	9,061
9	Rhode Island	8,760
10	Arkansas	8,506
П	New York	8,379
12	Wisconsin	8,291
13	Massachusetts	8,276
14	North Dakota	7,748
15	Wyoming	7,659
16	Kentucky	7,621
17	lowa	7,408
18	Maryland	7,248
19	Minnesota	7,096
20	Colorado	6,990
>	50-State Average	6,829
21	New Jersey	6,822
22	California	6,817
23	Louisiana	6,707
24	Pennsylvania	6,630

RANK	STATE	IN \$
25	Mississippi	6,581
26	Montana	6,544
27	Nebraska	6,293
28	Maine	6,284
29	Virginia	6,114
30	Washington	6,107
31	Ohio	5,961
32	Oklahoma	5,749
33	Illinois	5,712
34	Michigan	5,664
35	Alabama	5,577
36	Kansas	5,473
37	Arizona	5,228
38	South Dakota	5,052
39	Tennessee	5,050
40	Indiana	5,024
41	South Carolina	4,968
42	Georgia	4,886
43	North Carolina	4,799
44	Nevada	4,700
45	Utah	4,678
46	Idaho	4,539
47	New Hampshire	4,520
48	Missouri	4,250
49	Texas	4,014
50	Florida	3,687



Quick Stats

- ▶ Georgia's per capita state expenditures increased by \$122 in FY 2018 compared to FY 2017, an increase of 2.6 percent.
- ▶ The U.S. 50-state average per capita state expenditures decreased by \$787 between FY 2017 and FY 2018.

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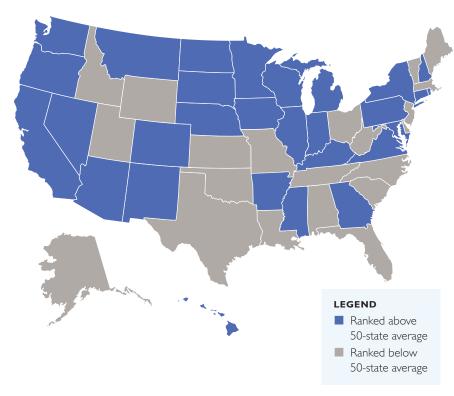
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Sources: National Association of State Budget Officers State Expenditure Report, Fiscal 2017-2019; and U.S. Census Annual Population Estimates

Real Percent Change in Per Capita State Expenditures, FY 2008-18

RANK	STATE	IN %
-	Oregon	38.3
2	Illinois	33.7
3	Arkansas	23.3
4	Kentucky	21.4
5	Pennsylvania	21.2
6	Montana	20.8
7	New York	20.0
8	North Dakota	18.0
9	Maryland	17.5
10	lowa	17.4
11	Arizona	17.4
12	Colorado	17.2
13	Virginia	15.2
14	Nevada	13.6
15	Connecticut	13.1
16	Indiana	13.1
17	New Mexico	12.0
18	Minnesota	11.4
19	Rhode Island	11.0
20	Wisconsin	10.4
21	South Dakota	10.2
22	Georgia	10.1
23	Michigan	10.0
24	Nebraska	9.9
25	California	9.6

RANK	STATE	IN %
26	Washington	7.9
27	New Hampshire	6.2
28	Mississippi	5.9
29	Hawaii	5.4
•	50-State Average	5.0
30	Massachusetts	4.8
31	New Jersey	3.6
32	Ohio	3.4
33	Kansas	3.0
34	Tennessee	2.2
35	Missouri	2.1
36	Texas	1.4
37	Idaho	-0.1
38	Delaware	-2.7
39	Maine	-4.6
40	South Carolina	-8.1
41	North Carolina	-8.9
42	Vermont	-9.5
43	Florida	-9.9
44	Oklahoma	-10.4
45	Utah	-12.3
46	Louisiana	-15.0
47	West Virginia	-22.7
48	Wyoming	-29.7
49	Alaska	-33.4
50	Alabama	-44.5



Quick Stats

▶ Total state expenditures, not adjusted for inflation and population, increased by 39.8 percent in Georgia and an average rate of 31.8 percent across all 50 states from FY 2008-18.

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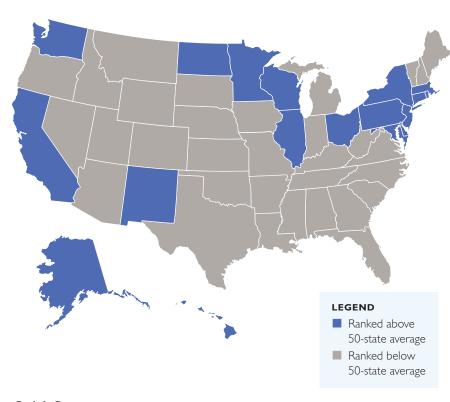
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Per Capita General Fund Expenditures, FY 2018

Alaska Hawaii Connecticut Delaware Minnesota New Jersey Massachusetts Rhode Island New York	6,108 5,494 5,209 4,258 3,983 3,943 3,940 3,593
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Massachusetts Rhode Island	3,940
Rhode Island	
	3,593
New York	
	3,568
California	3,154
New Mexico	2,912
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linois	2,779
North Dakota	2,767
Pennsylvania	2,726
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0-State Average	2,570
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/ermont	2,534
Kentucky	2,511
/irginia	2,452
Dregon	2,429
Vyoming	2,399
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RANK	STATE	IN \$
25	Indiana	2,368
26	lowa	2,298
27	Kansas	2,284
28	Nebraska	2,255
29	Georgia	2,236
30	Tennessee	2,202
31	North Carolina	2,191
32	Utah	2,132
33	Montana	2,111
34	Louisiana	2,049
35	West Virginia	2,015
36	Colorado	1,985
37	Idaho	1,975
38	Texas	1,939
39	Mississippi	1,867
40	South Dakota	1,803
41	Arkansas	1,783
42	Alabama	1,690
43	South Carolina	1,585
44	Missouri	1,512
45	Florida	1,486
46	Oklahoma	1,485
47	Arizona	1,369
48	Nevada	1,324
49	New Hampshire	1,109
50	Michigan	1,015



Quick Stats

- ► Georgia's per capita general fund expenditures increased by \$66 or 3.02 percent from FY 2017 to FY 2018.
- ► Georgia's total general fund expenditures were \$23.5 billion in FY 2018, an increase of \$920 million over FY 2017.

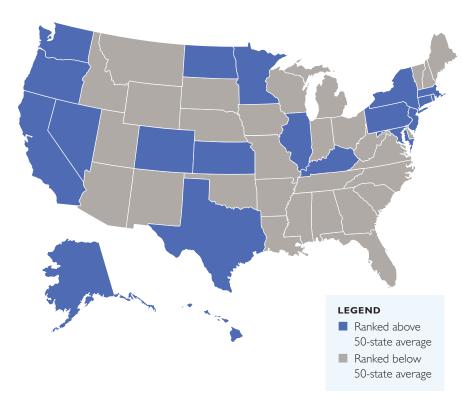
Note: The general fund, the predominant fund for financing a state's operations, receives revenues from broad-based state taxes. Specific functions are financed differently from state to state.

Sources: National Association of State Budget Officers State Expenditure Report, Fiscal 2017-2019; and U.S. Census Annual Population Estimates

Per Capita State & Local Debt Outstanding, FY 2017

RANK		STATE	LOCAL IN \$	S&L
ı	New York	7,107	10,771	17,879
2	Massachusett	s11,225	2,907	14,133
3	Connecticut	10,844	3,146	13,990
4	Alaska	8,005	4,798	12,802
5	Illinois	4,835	7,281	12,116
6	Washington	4,502	7,426	11,928
7	California	3,878	7,988	11,865
8	Hawaii	6,780	4,454	11,234
9	Rhode Island	8,455	2,540	10,995
10	New Jersey	7,411	3,501	10,912
	North Dakota	3,821	6,763	10,584
12	Texas	1,799	8,427	10,227
13	Colorado	3,024	7,188	10,212
14	Kentucky	3,234	6,817	10,051
15	Pennsylvania	3,715	5,890	9,606
16	Minnesota	2,939	6,582	9,521
17	Kansas	2,590	6,745	9,335
18	Nevada	1,093	8,111	9,204
19	Maryland	4,652	4,396	9,048
20	Oregon	3,052	5,515	8,567
>	50 State Average	3,752	4,620	8,371
21	Nebraska	1,051	7,234	8,285
22	Wisconsin	4,015	3,982	7,997
23	Virginia	3,287	4,503	7,790
24	South Carolina	3,136	4,647	7,782

RANK		STATE	LOCAL IN \$	S&L
25	Louisiana	3,874	3,902	7,776
26	Missouri	3,015	4,698	7,713
27	New			
	Hampshire	5,734	1,979	7,713
28	Vermont	5,609	2,003	7,612
29	New Mexico	3,371	4,179	7,551
30	Ohio	2,871	4,644	7,516
31	Delaware	4,766	2,617	7,383
32	Michigan	3,354	3,866	7,220
33	Indiana	3,280	3,883	7,163
34	South Dakota	4,040	3,114	7,154
35	Arizona	2,027	4,649	6,677
36	Utah	2,402	4,274	6,676
37	Florida	1,374	5,049	6,423
38	Tennessee	913	5,432	6,345
39	lowa	1,956	4,206	6,163
40	West Virginia	4,153	2,001	6,154
41	Alabama	1,800	4,347	6,147
42	Maine	3,558	2,324	5,882
43	Georgia	1,253	4,298	5,551
44	Arkansas	1,599	3,858	5,457
45	Montana	2,655	2,401	5,055
46	Mississippi	2,499	2,372	4,871
47	Oklahoma	2,151	2,608	4,759
48	North Carolina	1,588	3,017	4,605
49	Idaho	1,960	1,561	3,521
50	Wyoming	1,330	2,086	3,416



Quick Stats

- ► Georgia's per capita state and local government debt outstanding decreased \$71 (-1.3 percent) from FY 2016 to FY 2017.
- ► The 50-state average level of state and local government debt increased \$144, an 1.7 percent increase.

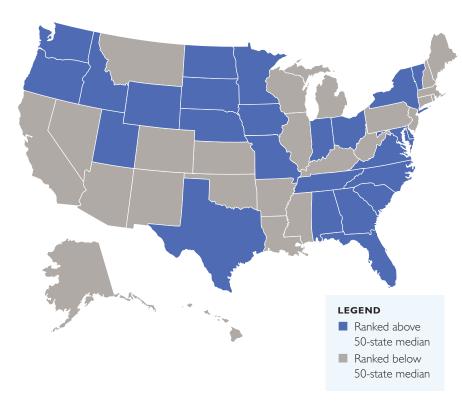
Note: The ranking is based on state and local debt combined.

Sources: U.S. Census Bureau, Annual Surveys of State and Local Government Finances; U.S. Census Bureau, Annual Population Estimates; and U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis

State Credit Ratings, 2018

RANK	STATE	S&P	MOODY'S	FITCI
	Delaware	AAA	Aaa	AAA
ı	Florida	AAA	Aaa	AAA
ı	Georgia	AAA	Aaa	AAA
Τ	Indiana*	AAA	Aaa	AAA
	lowa*	AAA	Aaa	AAA
	Maryland	AAA	Aaa	AAA
	Missouri	AAA	Aaa	AAA
ı	North Carolina	AAA	Aaa	AAA
I	South Dakota*	AAA	Aaa	AAA
	Tennessee	AAA	Aaa	AAA
	Texas	AAA	Aaa	AAA
	Utah	AAA	Aaa	AAA
	Virginia	AAA	Aaa	AAA
14	Minnesota	AAA	Aal	AAA
14	South Carolina	AA+	Aaa	AAA
16	Nebraska*	AAA	Aal	-
17	Vermont	AA+	Aal	AAA
18	Idaho*	AA+	Aal	AA-
18	New York	AA+	Aal	AA-
18	North Dakota*	AA+	Aal	-
18	Ohio	AA+	Aal	AA-
18	Oregon	AA+	Aal	AA-
18	Washington	AA+	Aal	AA
18	Wyoming*	AA+		-

RANK	STATE	S&P	MOODY'S	FITCH
25	Alabama	AA	Aal	AA+
25	Hawaii	AA+	Aal	ДД
25	Massachusetts	AA	Aal	AA+
25	Montana	AA	Aal	AA+
25	New Hampshire	AA	Aal	AA+
25	Wisconsin	AA	Aal	AA+
31	Arkansas	AA	Aal	
31	Colorado*	AA	Aal	
33	Nevada	AA	Aa2	AA+
34	Mississippi	AA	Aa2	ДД
34	Oklahoma	AA	Aa2	ДД
34	Rhode Island	AA	Aa2	ДД
37	Michigan	AA	Aal	ДД
38	Arizona*	AA	Aa2	
38	Maine	AA	Aa2	AΔ
38	New Mexico	AA	Aa2	
41	Alaska	AA	Aa3	AΔ
41	West Virginia	AA-	Aa2	ДД
43	Kansas*	AA-	Aa2	
44	California	AA-	Aa3	AA-
44	Louisiana	AA-	Aa3	AA-
46	Pennsylvania	A+	Aa3	AA-
47	Kentucky*	Α	Aa3	AA-
48	Connecticut	Α	ΑI	A+
49	New Jersey	A-	A3	Д
50	Illinois	BBB-	Baa3	BBE



Quick Stats

▶ Georgia has maintained a AAA rating from S&P since 2001. Outlook is stable per S&P, Moody's and Fitch as of June 2019.

Note: States are ranked based on the average value of their bond ratings on a 10-point scale, with AAA rating equal to 10 points.

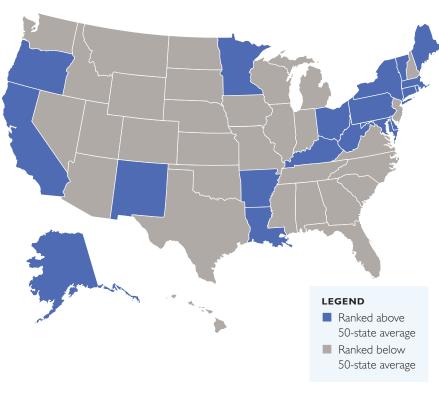
Source: JLARC, "Virginia Compared to the Other States," 2019 Edition (ratings as of December 2018)

^{*}States with no outstanding general obligation debt. Shown are the ratings these states would likely receive if they decided to issue general obligation debt.

Per Capita Medicaid Expenditures, FY 2018

RANK	STATE	IN \$
-	New York	2,985
2	Alaska	2,791
3	New Mexico	2,679
4	Rhode Island	2,565
5	Vermont	2,558
6	Massachusetts	2,418
7	Pennsylvania	2,392
8	Louisiana	2,391
9	Arkansas	2,357
10	Delaware	2,351
11	Kentucky	2,312
12	Ohio	2,264
13	Connecticut	2,262
14	Minnesota	2,259
15	California	2,153
16	West Virginia	2,119
17	Maine	2,110
18	Oregon	2,102
19	Maryland	1,903
>	50-State Average	1,787
20	Illinois	1,776
21	Arizona	1,732
22	Montana	1,726
23	Michigan	1,726
24	lowa	1,702

RANK	STATE	IN \$
25	Mississippi	1,701
26	Wisconsin	1,686
27	Indiana	1,684
28	Tennessee	1,662
29	New Jersey	1,661
30	Missouri	1,659
31	Colorado	1,652
32	Washington	1,633
33	New Hampshire	1,606
34	North Dakota	1,605
35	Hawaii	1,507
36	Oklahoma	1,403
37	Alabama	1,346
38	North Carolina	1,343
39	South Carolina	1,299
40	Nevada	1,242
41	Idaho	1,224
42	Florida	1,193
43	Texas	1,180
44	Kansas	1,158
45	Virginia	1,158
46	Nebraska	1,114
47	Wyoming	1,059
48	Georgia	1,029
49	South Dakota	1,014
50	Utah	883



Quick Stats

- ► Georgia's per capita Medicaid expenditure increased by \$55 (5.7 percent) from FY 2017. The U.S. 50-state average increased 3.5 percent.
- ► Georgia's total Medicaid expenditures in FY 2018 were \$10.8 billion, a \$687 million or 6.8 percent increase from FY 2017.

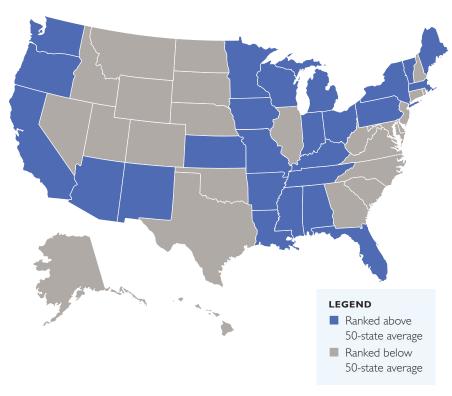
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Sources: National Association of State Budget Officers State Expenditure Report, Fiscal 2014-2016; and U.S. Census Annual Population Estimates

Percentage of Total State Expenditures on Public Assistance, FY 2017

RANK	STATE	IN %
I	Arkansas	50.8
2	Tennessee	49.9
3	Kansas	48.6
4	New York	48.4
5	Arizona	48.2
6	Missouri	48.1
7	Mississippi	48.1
8	Indiana	47.6
9	New Mexico	47.0
10	Florida	45.7
11	Maine	45.6
12	Kentucky	45.3
13	lowa	44.8
14	California	44.8
15	Pennsylvania	44.8
16	Louisiana	44.3
17	Alabama	43.7
18	Massachusetts	43.4
19	Ohio	43.3
20	Washington	43.3
21	Minnesota	43.2
22	Oregon	43.2
23	Vermont	43.0
24	Michigan	42.9
25	Wisconsin	42.7

RANK	STATE	IN %
>	50-State Average	42.5
26	West Virginia	41.9
27	Maryland	41.3
28	Texas	40.7
29	South Carolina	40.0
30	Virginia	39.7
31	Rhode Island	39.4
32	Nebraska	39.4
33	Georgia	39.0
34	Oklahoma	37.9
35	Idaho	37.9
36	Nevada	37.8
37	Montana	37.5
38	Illinois	36.9
39	Utah	35.9
40	Delaware	35.7
41	North Carolina	35.4
42	New Jersey	33.9
43	New Hampshire	33.8
44	Hawaii	33.7
45	Colorado	32.9
46	South Dakota	30.9
47	North Dakota	29.8
48	Alaska	29.2
49	Connecticut	27.7
50	Wyoming	25.0



Quick Stats

- ▶ Georgia's per capita expenditure on public assistance was \$1,392 in FY 2017.
- ► Georgia's share of state expenditures on public assistance did not change from FY 2016 to FY 2017. The U.S. average increased by 4.8 percent.

Notes:

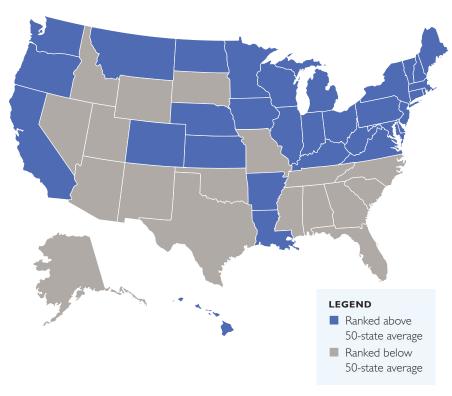
- 1. Public assistance expenditures include public welfare, hospital, health, employment security administration, veteran services, and other public welfare expenditures.
- 2. Figures from this table in the prior edition are not comparable as they included local expenditures.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Annual Surveys of State and Local Government Finances; and U.S. Census Bureau, Annual Population Estimates

Percentage of Population Under Age 65 With Health Insurance, 2018

RANK	STATE	IN %
-	Massachusetts	96.8
2	Rhode Island	95.2
3	Vermont	95.1
4	Hawaii	95.1
5	Minnesota	94.9
6	lowa	94.4
7	Connecticut	93.8
8	New York	93.7
9	Michigan	93.6
10	Wisconsin	93.5
11	Kentucky	93.3
12	Pennsylvania	93.3
13	Delaware	93.2
14	New Hampshire	93.1
15	Maryland	93.1
16	Washington	92.5
17	Ohio	92.3
18	West Virginia	92.1
19	Illinois	91.9
20	California	91.7
21	Oregon	91.6
22	North Dakota	91.6
23	Colorado	91.4
24	New Jersey	91.3
25	Louisiana	90.7

RANK	STATE	IN %
26	Indiana	90.3
27	Nebraska	90.3
28	Arkansas	90.2
29	Montana	90.0
30	Maine	90.0
31	Virginia	89.8
32	Kansas	89.7
>	50-State Average	89.6
33	Utah	89.5
34	Missouri	88.8
35	New Mexico	88.6
36	South Dakota	88.4
37	Alabama	88.0
38	Tennessee	88.0
39	Wyoming	87.5
40	South Carolina	87.3
41	North Carolina	87.3
42	Arizona	87.3
43	Nevada	87.C
44	Idaho	86.8
45	Alaska	85.7
46	Mississippi	85.6
47	Georgia	84.3
48	Florida	84.0
49	Oklahoma	83.3
50	Texas	80.0



Quick Stats

- ▶ The percentage of persons under 65 covered by health insurance in Georgia decreased from 84.6 to 84.3 percent between 2017 and 2018.
- ▶ In 2018, 67.1 percent of Georgians under 65 years of age had private insurance, either alone or in combination with public health insurance. The comparable figure for 2017 was 70.4 percent.

*Percentages for private/public health insurance do not add to total coverage because some individuals report having health insurance coverage from both private and public sources.

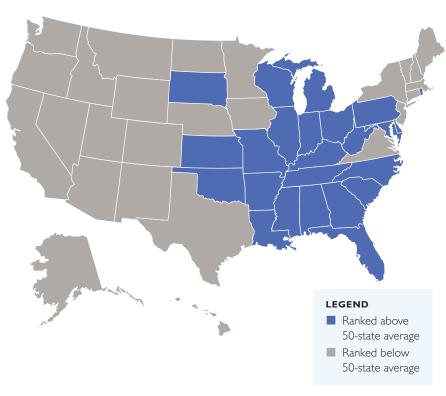
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Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey

24 Infant Mortality Rate, 2017

RANK	STATE PER 1,000	LIVE BIRTHS
-	Mississippi	8.6
2	Arkansas	8.2
3	Oklahoma	7.7
3	South Dakota	7.7
5	Alabama	7.4
5	Tennessee	7.4
7	Indiana	7.3
8	Georgia	7.2
8	Ohio	7.2
10	Louisiana	7.1
10	North Carolina	7.1
12	West Virginia	7.0
13	Michigan	6.8
14	Delaware	6.6
15	South Carolina	6.5
15	Kentucky	6.5
17	Maryland	6.4
17	Wisconsin	6.4
19	Missouri	6.2
19	Rhode Island	6.2
21	Illinois	6.1
21	Pennsylvania	6.1
21	Florida	6.1
21	Kansas	6.1
•	50-State Average	5.9

RANK	STATE PER 1,000 L	IVE BIRTHS
25	New Mexico	5.9
25	Virginia	5.9
25	Texas	5.9
25	Utah	5.9
29	Nevada	5.8
30	Maine	5.7
30	Arizona	5.7
32	Nebraska	5.6
32	Alaska	5.6
34	Montana	5.4
34	Oregon	5.4
36	Hawaii	5.3
36	lowa	5.3
38	Minnesota	4.8
38	Vermont	4.8
40	Idaho	4.6
40	Wyoming	4.6
40	New York	4.6
43	Connecticut	4.5
43	Colorado	4.5
43	New Jersey	4.5
46	North Dakota	4.3
47	California	4.2
47	New Hampshire	4.2
49	Washington	3.9
50	Massachusetts	3.7



Quick Stats

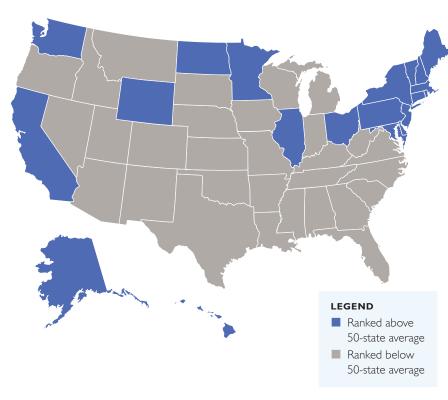
- ► Georgia's infant mortality rate decreased from 7.5 to 7.2 per 1000 live births from 2016 to 2017.
- ► The U.S. 50-state average infant mortality rate decreased to 5.9 from 6.0 per 1000 live births between 2016 to 2017.
- ► The southeastern U.S. states' average infant mortality was 7.1 per 1000 live births in 2017.

Sources: CDC/National Center for Health Statistics

State & Local Per-Pupil School Funding, Pre-K to 12, 2016-17

RANK	STATE	IN \$
I	New York	25,537
2	Connecticut	21,367
3	New Jersey	20,717
4	Vermont	19,336
5	Wyoming	19,295
6	Massachusetts	18,769
7	Pennsylvania	18,509
8	Delaware	17,018
9	Rhode Island	17,001
10	New Hampshire	16,532
11	Illinois	16,344
12	Alaska	16,230
13	Maryland	15,874
14	North Dakota	14,681
15	Maine	14,499
16	Minnesota	14,395
17	Hawaii	14,277
18	Ohio	13,763
19	Washington	13,275
20	California	13,110
>	50-State Average	13,096
21	Michigan	12,986
22	Nebraska	12,828
23	Wisconsin	12,715
24	lowa	12,593

RANK	STATE	IN \$
25	Oregon	12,301
26	Virginia	11,967
27	South Carolina	11,864
28	Indiana	11,727
29	Kansas	11,625
30	Missouri	11,448
31	West Virginia	11,248
32	Louisiana	11,217
33	Montana	10,969
34	Colorado	10,939
35	Georgia	10,693
36	Texas	10,403
37	Kentucky	10,246
38	New Mexico	10,169
39	Arkansas	10,157
40	South Dakota	10,053
41	Nevada	9,582
42	Alabama	9,529
43	Florida	9,206
44	Tennessee	8,902
45	North Carolina	8,516
46	Mississippi	8,465
47	Oklahoma	8,185
48	Utah	8,055
49	Arizona	7,930
50	Idaho	7,742



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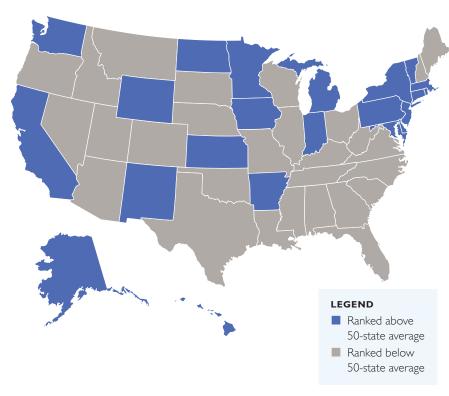
- ▶ Per pupil state and local funding in Georgia increased by \$506 or 5.0 percent between 2015-16 and 2016-17 school years. It's also \$525 higher than the southeastern average.
- ▶ The 50-state average per pupil state and local funding increased by \$341 or 2.7 percent between 2015-16 and 2016-17.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2017 Survey of School System Finances (Table 11); and U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis

State Per-Pupil School Funding, Pre-K to 12, 2016-17

RANK	STATE	IN \$
-	Vermont	18,597
2	Hawaii	13,959
3	Wyoming	12,154
4	Alaska	12,058
5	New York	11,008
6	Delaware	10,746
7	Minnesota	9,865
8	North Dakota	9,377
9	Washington	8,944
10	New Jersey	8,847
	Arkansas	8,639
12	Connecticut	8,486
13	Michigan	8,286
14	California	8,239
15	Kansas	8,130
16	Indiana	7,923
17	New Mexico	7,891
18	Pennsylvania	7,650
19	Massachusetts	7,595
20	Rhode Island	7,428
21	Maryland	7,338
22	lowa	7,321
•	50-State Average	7,269
23	Wisconsin	7,240
24	Illinois	7,176

RANK	STATE	IN \$
25	Oregon	6,966
26	West Virginia	6,853
27	Nevada	6,666
28	Kentucky	6,332
29	South Carolina	6,183
30	Ohio	5,975
31	Maine	5,956
32	North Carolina	5,898
33	Montana	5,845
34	Alabama	5,840
35	New Hampshire	5,615
36	Idaho	5,584
37	Georgia	5,317
38	Louisiana	5,309
39	Missouri	5,269
40	Virginia	5,103
41	Colorado	5,059
42	Mississippi	5,007
43	Tennessee	4,622
44	Nebraska	4,550
45	Utah	4,548
46	Oklahoma	4,288
47	Texas	4,127
48	Florida	4,050
49	South Dakota	3,927



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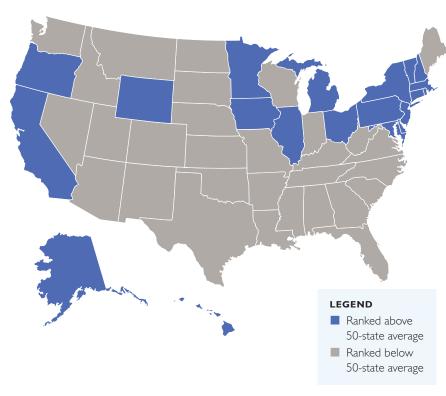
- ▶ State per pupil funding in Georgia increased by \$238 or 4.7 percent from 2015-16 and 2016-17.
- ▶ The 50-state average spending per pupil increased by \$173 or 2.4 percent between 2015-16 and 2016-17.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2017 Survey of School System Finances (Table 11)

Average Salary of Public School Teachers, 2017-18

RANK	STATE	IN \$
	New York	84,227
2	California	80,680
3	Massachusetts	80,357
4	Connecticut	74,517
5	New Jersey	69,917
6	Alaska	69,682
7	Maryland	69,627
8	Pennsylvania	67,535
9	Rhode Island	66,758
10	Illinois	65,721
П	Oregon	63,061
12	Michigan	61,911
13	Delaware	61,795
14	Vermont	60,556
15	Wyoming	58,352
16	Ohio	58,000
17	Hawaii	57,866
18	New Hampshire	57,833
19	Minnesota	57,782
20	lowa	57,018
>	50-State Average	56,930
21	Georgia	56,329
22	Washington	55,693
23	Nevada	54,280
24	Nebraska	54,213

RANK	STATE	IN \$
25	Maine	53,815
26	Texas	53,334
27	Kentucky	52,952
28	North Dakota	52,850
29	Montana	52,776
30	Colorado	52,701
31	Virginia	51,994
32	Wisconsin	51,469
33	North Carolina	51,231
34	Tennessee	50,900
35	Indiana	50,614
36	Alabama	50,568
37	Arkansas	50,544
38	Louisiana	50,359
39	South Carolina	50,182
40	Kansas	49,754
41	Utah	49,655
42	Missouri	49,304
43	Idaho	49,225
44	Arizona	48,723
45	Florida	48,168
46	South Dakota	47,631
47	New Mexico	47,152
48	Oklahoma	46,300
49	West Virginia	45,642
50	Mississippi	44,926



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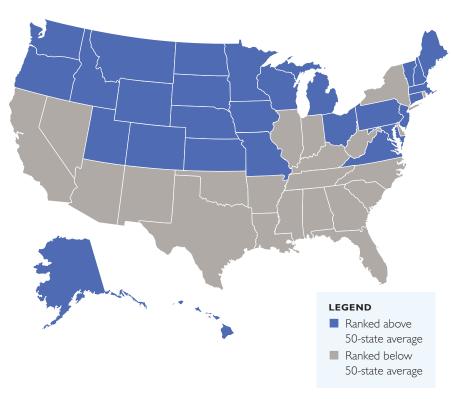
- ▶ In Georgia, the average salary of public school teachers increased by \$797 (1.4 percent) from 2016-17 to 2017-18.
- ► Georgia has the highest average salary for public school teachers among the 12 southeastern states.
- ▶ Nationally, the average teacher salary increased by \$777 (1.4 percent) from 2016-17 to 2017-18.

Sources: National Education Association Rankings & Estimates: Rankings of the States 2018 and Estimates of School Statistics 2019; and U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis

Percentage of Population 25 Years & Older With at Least a High School Education, 2018

RANK	STATE	(IN %)
I	Montana	93.9
2	Vermont	93.5
3	Minnesota	93.4
4	Wyoming	93.3
4	Alaska	93.3
6	New Hampshire	93.1
7	Maine	93.0
8	Utah	92.4
9	North Dakota	92.3
9	lowa	92.3
9	South Dakota	92.3
12	Wisconsin	92.1
13	Hawaii	92.0
14	Colorado	91.9
15	Washington	91.6
16	Nebraska	91.4
17	Michigan	91.1
18	Kansas	91.0
18	Pennsylvania	91.0
20	Idaho	90.9
20	Connecticut	90.9
22	Massachusetts	90.8
23	Ohio	90.7
24	Oregon	90.5
24	Maryland	90.5

RANK	STATE	(IN %)
26	Missouri	90.5
27	New Jersey	90.2
28	Virginia	89.9
>	50-State Average	89.8
29	Delaware	89.8
30	Illinois	89.5
31	Rhode Island	89.1
32	Indiana	89.0
33	Florida	88.5
34	Oklahoma	88.4
34	South Carolina	88.4
36	North Carolina	88.2
37	Tennessee	87.8
37	West Virginia	87.8
39	Georgia	87.6
40	Arizona	87.5
41	Arkansas	87.2
42	New York	87.1
43	Nevada	86.9
44	Kentucky	86.8
45	Alabama	86.6
46	Louisiana	85.8
47	New Mexico	85.4
47	Mississippi	85.4
49	Texas	84.0
50	California	83.8



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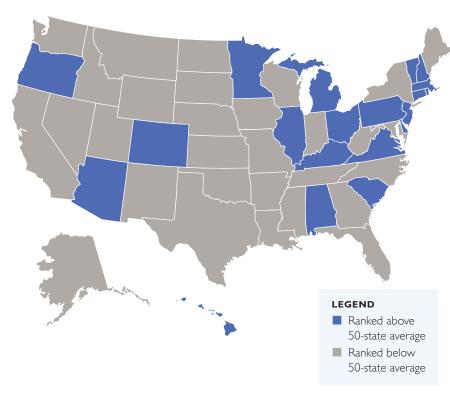
- ▶ The share of Georgia's population over age 25 with at least a high school education increased from 87.0 to 87.6 percent from 2017 to 2018.
- ▶ In 2018, 31.9 percent of Georgians 25 years and older had earned at least a bachelors degree, 2.5 percentage points higher than in 2017.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey

Average Annual In-State Tuition & Fees at Public Four-Year Institutions, 2019-20

RANK	STATE	IN \$
1	Vermont	17,474
2	New Hampshire	16,916
3	Pennsylvania	14,937
4	New Jersey	14,536
5	Illinois	14,166
6	Michigan	13,771
7	Connecticut	13,664
8	Massachusetts	13,641
9	Virginia	13,627
10	Delaware	13,292
11	Rhode Island	13,060
12	South Carolina	13,057
13	Arizona	11,921
14	Minnesota	11,834
15	Colorado	11,380
16	Ohio	11,330
17	Oregon	11,220
18	Hawaii	10,978
19	Alabama	10,918
20	Kentucky	10,902
>	50-State Average	10,618
21	Maine	10,478
22	Texas	10,468
23	Tennessee	10,255
24	Maryland	10,115

RANK	STATE	IN \$
25	Washington	10,077
26	California	9,966
27	Indiana	9,675
28	Louisiana	9,614
29	Iowa	9,364
30	North Dakota	9,289
31	Kansas	9,196
32	Wisconsin	9,104
33	Arkansas	9,033
34	Missouri	9,022
35	South Dakota	8,977
36	Oklahoma	8,919
37	Nebraska	8,745
38	Georgia	8,719
39	Mississippi	8,596
40	West Virginia	8,487
41	New York	8,434
42	Alaska	8,233
43	Idaho	7,999
44	Nevada	7,953
45	New Mexico	7,432
46	North Carolina	7,281
47	Montana	7,204
48	Utah	7,162
49	Florida	6,352
50	Wyoming	5,581



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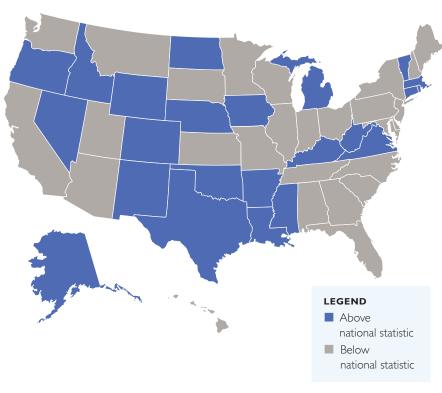
- ► Average tuition and fees at Georgia's public four-year colleges increased 1.6 percent from 2018-19 school-year levels.
- ► The 50-state average increased by \$322, an increase of 3.1 percent from 2018-19.

Source: College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2018

Real Percentage Change in In-State Tuition & Fees at Public Four-Year Institutions, 2014-15 to 2019-20

RANK	STATE	IN %
I	Alaska	24.5%
2	Louisiana	21.9%
3	Connecticut	19.2%
4	West Virginia	17.9%
5	Oklahoma	16.9%
6	Oregon	16.6%
7	Mississippi	16.4%
8	Massachusetts	15.5%
9	Nevada	14.9%
10	North Dakota	14.8%
11	Colorado	13.8%
12	Virginia	13.1%
13	Idaho	12.6%
14	New Mexico	12.1%
15	Vermont	12.1%
16	Wyoming	11.5%
17	Nebraska	10.7%
18	lowa	10.7%
19	Rhode Island	10.7%
20	Arkansas	10.5%
21	Michigan	10.3%
22	Texas	10.0%
23	Kentucky	9.9%
>	50-State Average	8.7%
24	South Dakota	8.3%

RANK	STATE	IN %
25	Maryland	8.2%
26	Utah	8.0%
27	Delaware	7.4%
28	New York	7.4%
29	Alabama	6.9%
30	Tennessee	6.7%
31	New Hampshire	6.6%
32	Arizona	6.5%
33	Montana	6.3%
34	South Carolina	5.9%
35	Pennsylvania	5.6%
36	Hawaii	5.1%
37	Ohio	4.3%
38	Minnesota	4.0%
39	New Jersey	3.8%
40	Kansas	3.4%
41	Illinois	2.8%
42	Maine	1.9%
43	North Carolina	1.3%
44	California	0.9%
45	Georgia	0.6%
46	Missouri	-0.2%
47	Indiana	-0.5%
48	Wisconsin	-3.6%
49	Florida	-6.9%
50	Washington	-12.4%



Quick Stats

▶ In-district tuition and fees at Georgia's public two-year colleges increased by 4.3 percent, inflation adjusted, over the last five years.

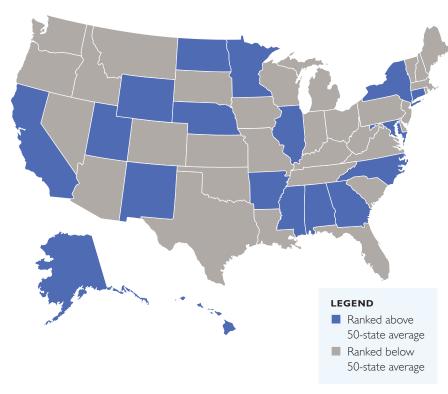
Note: Data provided by the College Board is adjusted for inflation using the Consumer Price Index – All Urban Consumers.

Source: College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2019

Per Capita State Support for Public & Private Higher Education, FY 2018

RANK	STATE	IN \$
	Wyoming	654
2	North Dakota	556
3	Alaska	475
4	Hawaii	467
5	New Mexico	408
6	Nebraska	395
7	North Carolina	392
8	Illinois	354
9	California	346
10	Mississippi	339
	Maryland	330
12	Arkansas	326
13	Connecticut	322
13	Utah	322
15	Alabama	320
16	Georgia	312
17	New York	292
18	Minnesota	279
>	50-State Average	278
19	South Dakota	277
20	Idaho	274
21	Texas	273
22	lowa	265
23	West Virginia	264
23	Kansas	264

RANK	STATE	IN \$
23	Kentucky	264
26	Indiana	263
27	Tennessee	261
28	Washington	257
29	Wisconsin	255
30	Delaware	247
31	Virginia	244
32	Montana	242
33	New Jersey	235
34	Louisiana	232
35	Massachusetts	226
36	Maine	225
37	South Carolina	221
38	Florida	220
38	Oklahoma	220
40	Oregon	200
41	Ohio	198
42	Nevada	196
43	Michigan	189
44	Rhode Island	179
45	Missouri	166
46	Colorado	156
47	Vermont	149
48	Pennsylvania	132
49	Arizona	124
50	New Hampshire	93



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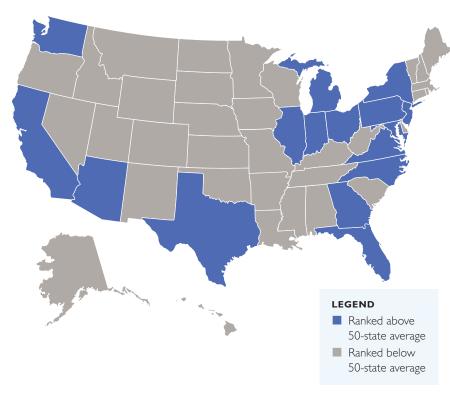
▶ The 50-state average and Georgia's per capita state funding for public and private higher education did not change materially from FY 2017 to FY 2018.

Source: Grapevine, James C. Palmer, ed., Illinois State University Center for the Study of Education Policy

FTE Student Enrollment in Public Higher Education, FY 2018

RANK	STATE	FTE
I	California	1,556,971
2	Texas	1,052,885
3	Florida	602,675
4	New York	545,107
5	North Carolina	392,138
6	Ohio	387,109
7	Michigan	372,155
8	Georgia	350,448
9	Pennsylvania	344,704
10	Illinois	311,101
11	Virginia	303,300
12	Arizona	290,816
13	New Jersey	264,441
14	Washington	237,289
15	Maryland	231,777
16	Indiana	220,665
>	50-State Average	218,587
17	Wisconsin	211,610
18	Alabama	202,189
19	Minnesota	187,705
20	Missouri	186,862
21	Tennessee	184,976
22	Colorado	183,875
23	South Carolina	164,402
24	Massachusetts	163,673

RANK	STATE	FTE
25	Louisiana	161,670
26	Kentucky	144,747
27	Oregon	142,723
28	Oklahoma	131,083
29	Mississippi	130,279
30	Utah	125,550
31	lowa	125,333
32	Kansas	124,958
33	Arkansas	114,664
34	Connecticut	86,008
35	New Mexico	83,747
36	Nebraska	76,790
37	Nevada	70,450
38	West Virginia	68,746
39	Idaho	53,570
40	New Hampshire	37,643
41	Montana	37,371
42	Delaware	36,073
43	Hawaii	36,030
44	North Dakota	34,963
45	Maine	33,945
46	South Dakota	32,899
47	Rhode Island	30,316
48	Wyoming	22,699
49	Vermont	20,713
50	Alaska	17,515



Quick Stats

- ► From FY 2017, Georgia's FTE enrollment in public higher education increased 0.9 percent.
- ▶ The 50-state average enrollment was also down 0.67 percent.

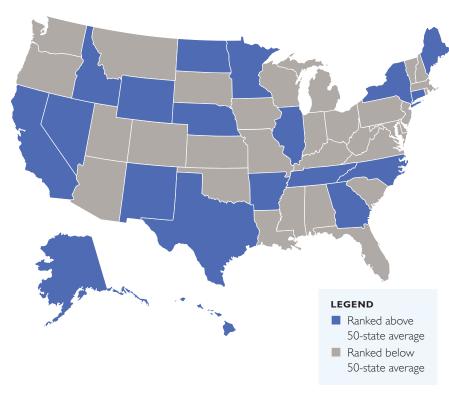
Note: Full-time equivalent enrollment equates student credit hours to full-time, academic year students but excludes medical students.

Source: State Higher Education Executive Officers Association, State Higher Education Finance FY 2018

Higher Education Appropriations Per FTE Student, FY 2018

RANK	STATE	IN \$
I	Wyoming	18,001
2	Alaska	15,151
3	Illinois	14,605
4	Hawaii	12,560
5	New Mexico	10,816
6	North Carolina	10,429
7	Idaho	9,857
8	Nebraska	9,699
9	Georgia	9,166
10	Tennessee	8,774
11	New York	8,697
12	California	8,553
13	North Dakota	8,273
14	Connecticut	8,123
15	Nevada	8,094
16	Arkansas	7,873
17	Minnesota	7,758
18	Maine	7,750
19	Texas	7,707
>	50-State Average	7,583
20	Massachusetts	7,556
21	Kentucky	7,514
22	Maryland	7,426
23	Utah	7,250
24	Florida	7,109

RANK	STATE	IN \$
25	Washington	6,966
26	Missouri	6,958
27	Kansas	6,885
28	Alabama	6,788
29	Indiana	6,785
30	Michigan	6,773
31	Mississippi	6,655
32	Wisconsin	6,435
33	Oklahoma	6,407
34	South Dakota	6,378
35	Ohio	6,361
36	New Jersey	6,339
37	Montana	6,321
38	Oregon	6,237
39	Rhode Island	6,061
40	South Carolina	6,053
41	lowa	5,992
42	Louisiana	5,876
43	Virginia	5,420
44	Arizona	5,025
45	Delaware	4,841
46	West Virginia	4,723
47	Pennsylvania	4,296
48	Colorado	4,198
49	Vermont	2,846
50	New Hampshire	2,806



Quick Stats

- ▶ Georgia's higher education appropriations increased by 7.2 percent.
- ▶ The average increase among southeastern states was 2.6 percent.

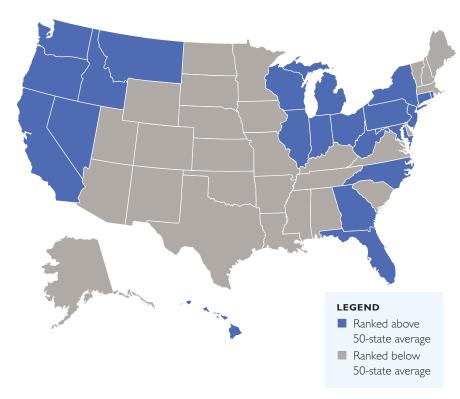
Note: Educational appropriations are a measure of state and local support available for public higher education operating expenses, including from ARRA funds; excludes appropriations for independent institutions, financial aid for students attending independent institutions, research, hospitals and medical education.

Source: State Higher Education Executive Officers Association, State Higher Education Finance FY 2017

State Motor Fuel Taxes, 2019

RANK	STATE (GAS IN CENTS PER	DIESEL GALLON)
I	California	62.05	87.21
2	Pennsylvania	58.70	75.20
3	Illinois	53.87	61.92
4	Washington	49.40	49.40
5	Hawaii	48.41	50.45
6	Indiana	46.62	50.00
7	New York	45.41	45.05
8	Florida	41.99	34.97
9	Michigan	41.98	43.30
10	New Jersey	41.40	48.50
11	Connecticut	39.31	46.50
12	Ohio	38.51	47.01
13	Oregon	36.82	36.05
14	Maryland	36.70	37.45
15	North Carolina	a 36.45	36.45
16	West Virginia	35.70	35.70
17	Georgia	35.15	39.33
18	Rhode Island	35.00	35.00
19	Nevada	33.78	28.56
20	Idaho	33.00	33.00
21	Wisconsin	32.90	32.90
22	Montana	32.75	30.20
>	50-State Avera	ge 31.83	33.63
23	Vermont	30.94	32.00
24	Nebraska	30.60	30.00

RANK	STATE (IN C	GAS ENTS PER (DIESEL
25	lowa	30.50	32.50
26	Maine	30.01	31.21
27	Utah	30.01	30.01
28	South Dakota	30.00	30.00
29	Minnesota	28.60	28.60
30	Tennessee	27.40	28.40
31	Alabama	27.21	28.15
32	Massachusetts	26.54	26.54
33	Kentucky	26.00	23.00
34	Arkansas	24.80	28.80
35	Kansas	24.03	26.03
36	Wyoming	24.00	24.00
37	New Hampshire	23.83	23.83
38	North Dakota	23.00	23.00
39	Delaware	23.00	22.00
40	South Carolina	22.75	22.75
41	Colorado	22.00	20.50
42	Virginia	21.95	26.02
43	Louisiana	20.01	20.01
44	Texas	20.00	20.00
45	Oklahoma	20.00	20.00
46	Arizona	19.00	27.00
47	New Mexico	18.88	22.88
48	Mississippi	18.79	18.40
49	Missouri	17.42	17.42
50	Alaska	14.32	14.31



Quick Stats

- ▶ The federal gasoline tax, collected in all states in addition to the amounts at left, is 18.4 cents per gallon; the federal tax per gallon of diesel is 24.4 cents.
- ▶ Georgia's gasoline tax is 6.97 cents higher than the southeastern average.

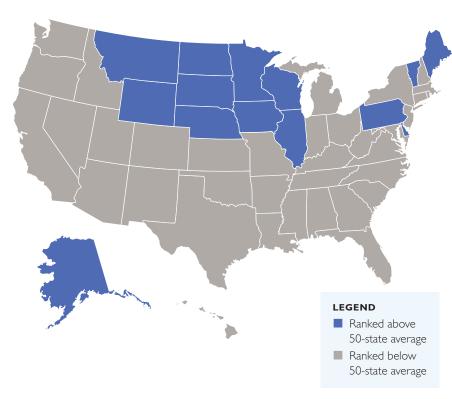
Note: Rankings are based on gas tax.

Sources: American Petroleum Institute (October 2018); and U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis

Per Capita State & Local Road Expenditures, FY 2017

RANK	STATE	IN \$
I	North Dakota	2,305
2	Alaska	1,909
3	Wyoming	1,549
4	South Dakota	1,148
5	Delaware	1,062
6	Vermont	996
7	Wisconsin	947
8	lowa	873
9	Minnesota	866
10	Nebraska	821
11	Montana	801
12	Pennsylvania	754
13	Maine	739
14	Illinois	730
>	50-State Average	687
15	Nevada	684
16	Arkansas	682
17	West Virginia	676
18	Kansas	660
19	Oklahoma	654
20	Connecticut	637
21	New York	610
22	Utah	590
23	Virginia	582
24	Mississippi	579

RANK	STATE	IN \$
25	Washington	572
26	Colorado	571
27	Massachusetts	563
28	New Hampshire	561
29	Maryland	559
30	Texas	554
31	Kentucky	529
32	Ohio	522
33	Alabama	520
34	New Jersey	516
35	Idaho	514
36	Louisiana	514
37	Florida	513
38	Oregon	512
39	South Carolina	495
40	North Carolina	476
41	New Mexico	433
42	Michigan	431
43	Rhode Island	423
44	Hawaii	423
45	Georgia	418
46	Missouri	395
47	California	394
48	Indiana	367
49	Arizona	357
50	Tennessee	346



Quick Stats

- ► Georgia per capita highway expenditures increased by \$17 or 4.2 percent from FY 2016 to FY 2017.
- ▶ The 50-state average for per capita road expenditures increased \$23 or 3.4 percent.

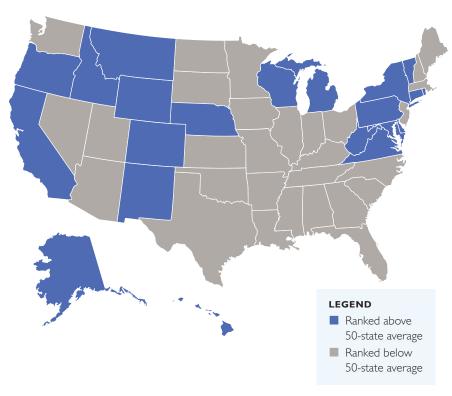
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Sources: U.S. Census Bureau, Annual Surveys of State and Local Government Finances; and U.S. Census Bureau, Annual Population Estimates

Per Capita State Corrections Expenditures, FY 2017

RANK	STATE	IN \$
I	Alaska	427
2	Delaware	339
3	Maryland	245
4	Vermont	243
5	New Mexico	232
6	Wyoming	216
7	California	213
8	Montana	202
9	Rhode Island	189
10	Michigan	187
11	Oregon	185
12	Nebraska	182
13	Connecticut	174
14	Wisconsin	169
15	Virginia	169
16	Pennsylvania	167
17	New York	166
18	West Virginia	166
19	Hawaii	161
20	Colorado	159
20	Idaho	159
•	50-State Average	158
22	New Jersey	150
23	Arizona	148
24	Oklahoma	146

RANK	STATE	IN \$
25	Kentucky	145
26	Arkansas	140
27	North Dakota	139
28	Massachusetts	139
29	Ohio	137
30	South Dakota	137
31	Texas	135
32	Washington	134
33	North Carolina	131
34	Missouri	129
35	Georgia	124
36	Maine	122
37	Utah	120
38	Florida	114
39	Mississippi	
40	Louisiana	108
40	New Hampshire	108
42	Kansas	106
42	Illinois	106
42	Tennessee	106
42	Alabama	106
46	South Carolina	103
46	Nevada	103
48	Minnesota	102
49	Indiana	95
50	lowa	92



Quick Stats

- ► Georgia's correctional expenditures increased by \$8 (6.9 percent) from FY 2016 to FY 2017.
- ► The 50-state average correctional expenditure did not change from FY 2016 to FY 2017.

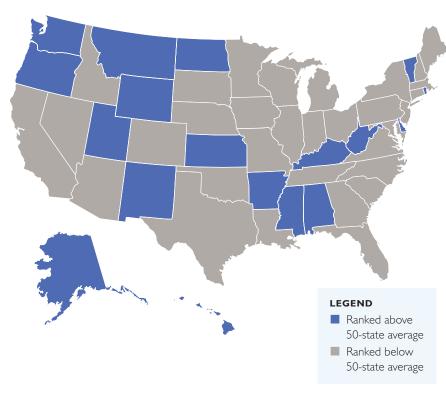
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State Government Workers Per 100 Persons, 2017

RANK	STATE FTE PER 10	O PERSONS
-	Hawaii	4.1
2	Alaska	3.3
3	Delaware	2.7
4	North Dakota	2.4
5	Vermont	2.3
6	West Virginia	2.2
7	New Mexico	2.2
8	Wyoming	2.1
9	Arkansas	2.1
10	Utah	2.0
11	Kentucky	1.9
12	Montana	1.9
13	Alabama	1.9
14	Kansas	1.8
15	Mississippi	1.8
16	Oregon	1.8
17	Rhode Island	1.7
18	Washington	1.7
>	50-State Average	1.7
19	Nebraska	1.7
20	Connecticut	1.7
21	South Dakota	1.6
22	lowa	1.6
23	Oklahoma	1.6
24	Louisiana	1.6

RANK	STATE FTE PER 10	00 PERSONS
25	South Carolina	1.6
26	Colorado	1.6
27	New Jersey	1.6
28	Massachusetts	1.5
29	Minnesota	1.5
30	Maine	1.5
31	Virginia	1.5
32	Michigan	1.5
33	Indiana	1.5
34	Idaho	1.4
35	New Hampshire	1.4
36	Maryland	1.4
37	Missouri	1.4
38	North Carolina	1.4
39	Georgia	1.3
40	New York	1.3
41	Pennsylvania	1.3
42	Wisconsin	1.2
43	Tennessee	1.2
44	Ohio	1.2
45	Texas	1.1
46	California	1.1
47	Arizona	1.0
48	Nevada	1.0
49	Illinois	1.0
50	Florida	0.9



Quick Stats

▶ In 2017, Georgia had 131,756 FTE state government employees.

Notes:

- I. Full-time equivalent (FTE) is a computed statistic representing the number of full-time employees that could have been employed if the reported number of hours worked by part-time employees had been worked by full-time employees. This statistic is calculated by dividing the "part-time hours paid" by the standard number of hours for full-time employees and then adding the resulting quotient to the number of full-time employees.
- FTE per 100 persons is calculated as state government FTE divided by state population in hundreds of persons.
- 3. Values presented in the table are rounded to zero decimals. States that have similar values but different rankings indicate that the value differs after considering decimal values.

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