

Table 100.—Public secondary schools, by grade span and average school size, by state: 1996–97

State or other area	Total, all secondary schools	Total, all regular secondary schools ¹	Schools, by grade span							Vocational schools ²	Average number of students per school ³	
			Grades 7 to 8 and 7 to 9	Grades 7 to 12	Grades 8 to 12	Grades 9 to 12	Grades 10 to 12	Other spans ending with grade 12	Other grade spans		All secondary schools	Regular secondary schools ¹
			4	5	6	7	8	9	10			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
United States	21,307	18,207	3,707	3,123	491	11,619	805	183	1,379	905	703	777
Alabama	304	288	37	71	11	164	10	1	10	3	688	722
Alaska	89	71	17	21	3	41	0	0	7	6	481	565
Arizona	299	265	78	20	3	172	7	1	18	6	887	960
Arkansas	415	414	75	205	4	51	60	0	20	1	448	444
California	1,886	1,268	416	95	43	1,148	96	15	73	0	972	1,373
Colorado	354	301	49	63	2	212	11	2	15	6	595	672
Connecticut	201	170	30	11	2	157	1	0	0	17	772	849
Delaware	44	35	10	3	0	30	0	0	1	5	916	990
District of Columbia	39	35	14	0	0	19	3	0	3	0	551	603
Florida	466	318	25	49	19	273	18	15	67	32	1,121	1,612
Georgia	308	308	24	12	22	245	2	0	3	0	1,154	1,154
Hawaii	47	44	12	9	1	23	0	0	2	0	1,339	1,426
Idaho	208	161	44	40	2	90	23	1	8	0	474	593
Illinois	983	824	209	52	27	606	14	30	45	26	652	737
Indiana	451	410	73	104	1	234	6	1	32	27	808	833
Iowa	444	415	66	107	1	254	11	2	3	0	403	423
Kansas	425	417	65	70	4	268	11	5	2	0	388	394
Kentucky	361	314	41	59	9	211	5	1	35	11	613	681
Louisiana	319	284	62	52	10	184	5	2	4	10	765	819
Maine	159	132	22	13	2	93	1	0	28	27	509	509
Maryland	217	185	28	7	1	169	2	2	8	11	1,081	1,198
Massachusetts	335	276	41	42	15	223	5	3	6	45	797	843
Michigan	821	707	120	104	27	472	20	6	72	59	677	730
Minnesota	624	416	72	224	38	182	47	18	43	12	490	697
Mississippi	307	220	37	46	7	110	13	1	93	87	693	693
Missouri	629	560	58	197	5	275	18	2	74	61	526	534
Montana	366	362	190	0	0	174	1	0	1	0	181	182
Nebraska	360	354	42	214	5	85	11	1	2	0	331	336
Nevada	100	79	16	18	4	53	2	2	5	3	871	1,030
New Hampshire	100	100	23	0	0	75	2	0	0	0	626	626
New Jersey	427	382	70	37	10	254	3	2	51	44	887	936
New Mexico	181	158	41	27	3	94	8	0	8	0	630	704
New York	919	834	124	179	15	528	26	2	45	24	964	990
North Carolina	399	361	54	23	7	288	13	1	13	8	883	956
North Dakota	222	215	20	148	4	34	6	1	9	7	246	246
Ohio	958	864	183	134	32	509	17	2	81	81	723	738
Oklahoma	598	597	116	0	0	383	76	4	19	0	340	341
Oregon	257	240	43	23	7	177	4	0	3	0	684	725
Pennsylvania	791	705	112	177	17	354	44	7	80	82	866	872
Rhode Island	57	51	13	3	0	38	1	0	2	3	863	938
South Carolina	277	224	36	21	7	158	4	0	51	41	868	912
South Dakota	309	296	113	2	0	187	0	2	5	4	173	175
Tennessee	350	312	54	42	4	208	12	4	26	27	835	866
Texas	1,790	1,440	312	196	45	1,030	37	28	142	23	672	815
Utah	234	193	80	30	11	45	53	3	12	2	906	1,070
Vermont	69	53	6	24	0	25	0	0	14	14	621	644
Virginia	393	322	38	9	42	236	8	0	60	49	993	1,050
Washington	542	427	122	52	14	269	43	10	32	8	651	795
West Virginia	208	171	49	24	1	81	18	1	34	32	615	636
Wisconsin	547	519	85	63	3	363	18	5	10	0	559	584
Wyoming	118	110	40	1	1	65	9	0	2	1	349	367
Department of Defense dependents schools ..	41	41	3	26	0	12	0	0	0	0	465	465
Outlying areas												
American Samoa	6	5	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	1	558	613
Guam	5	5	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	1,635	1,635
Northern Marianas	4	4	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	799	799
Puerto Rico	365	338	172	32	0	2	135	0	24	26	633	636
Virgin Islands	11	9	6	0	0	4	0	0	1	1	1,012	1,118

¹ Excludes vocational, special education, and alternative schools.

² Vocational schools are also included under appropriate grade span.

³ Average for schools reporting enrollment data.

NOTE.—Includes schools with no grade lower than 7. Excludes schools not reported by level, such as special education schools for the disabled.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, Common Core of Data survey. (This table was prepared August 1998.)