

Table 43.—Current expenditures and current expenditures per pupil in average daily attendance (ADA) in public elementary and secondary schools, with alternative projections: 1984–85 to 2009–10

Year ending	ADA (in thousands)	Current expenditures			
		Constant 1998–1999 dollars ¹		Current dollars	
		Total	Per pupil	Total	Per pupil
		(in billions)	in ADA	(in billions)	in ADA
1985	36,404	\$196.6	\$5,402	\$126.3	\$3,470
1986	36,523	207.5	5,680	137.2	3,756
1987	36,864	216.5	5,874	146.4	3,970
1988	37,051	223.1	6,023	157.1	4,240
1989	37,268	235.1	6,309	173.1	4,645
1990	37,799	244.0	6,455	188.2	4,980
1991	38,427	248.3	6,461	202.0	5,258
1992	38,961	251.5	6,456	211.2	5,421
1993	39,570	255.2	6,448	220.9	5,584
1994	40,146	260.6	6,490	231.5	5,767
1995	40,721	266.8	6,553	243.9	5,989
1996	41,502	271.7	6,546	255.1	6,147
1997	42,262	279.8	6,620	270.2	6,392
1998	42,855	290.4	6,777	285.5	6,662
Middle alternative projections					
1999	43,127	306.7	7,111	306.7	7,111
2000	43,383	322.3	7,430	330.3	7,613
2001	43,582	336.4	7,718	352.2	8,081
2002	43,720	345.1	7,893	369.8	8,458
2003	43,832	350.2	7,989	385.0	8,783
2004	43,903	355.9	8,106	401.7	9,150
2005	43,962	365.6	8,316	(2)	(2)
2006	43,998	376.1	8,548	(2)	(2)
2007	43,977	385.0	8,754	(2)	(2)
2008	43,896	390.9	8,906	(2)	(2)
2009	43,760	396.0	9,050	(2)	(2)
2010	43,659	401.9	9,204	(2)	(2)
Low alternative projections					
1999	43,127	306.7	7,111	306.7	7,111
2000	43,383	322.3	7,429	330.3	7,613
2001	43,582	335.8	7,705	352.0	8,076
2002	43,720	341.4	7,808	366.8	8,389
2003	43,832	341.6	7,793	376.8	8,596
2004	43,903	345.0	7,859	390.0	8,883
2005	43,962	352.9	8,027	(2)	(2)
2006	43,998	359.2	8,165	(2)	(2)
2007	43,977	364.9	8,298	(2)	(2)
2008	43,896	368.7	8,399	(2)	(2)
2009	43,760	370.5	8,466	(2)	(2)
2010	43,659	374.0	8,568	(2)	(2)
High alternative projections					
1999	43,127	306.7	7,111	306.7	7,111
2000	43,383	322.4	7,432	330.4	7,615
2001	43,582	337.4	7,741	352.9	8,097
2002	43,720	348.6	7,973	371.6	8,499
2003	43,832	357.0	8,144	387.2	8,834
2004	43,903	366.6	8,351	403.6	9,193
2005	43,962	380.7	8,659	(2)	(2)
2006	43,998	396.0	9,000	(2)	(2)
2007	43,977	408.8	9,296	(2)	(2)
2008	43,896	418.3	9,530	(2)	(2)
2009	43,760	426.5	9,747	(2)	(2)
2010	43,659	435.1	9,965	(2)	(2)

¹Based on the Consumer Price Index for all urban consumers, Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor.

²Projections in current dollars are not shown after 2004 due to the uncertain behavior of inflation over the long term.

NOTE: Calculations were made using unrounded numbers. Some data have been revised from previously published figures.

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