

Fact Sheet

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Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act

State-by-State Emergency Education and Child Care Funding

Background

The *Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act* provides **\$30.75 billion for the new Education Stabilization Fund**, which includes:

- \$3 billion for the Governor's Emergency Education Relief Fund, which governors can use at their discretion to support their K-12 and higher education needs related to COVID-19;
- \$13 billion for the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Fund, which states can use for a wide range of purposes, including purchasing computers and hot spot devices for online learning; purchasing supplies for cleaning and sanitization, supporting professional development for educators, and supporting access to quality instruction for students with disabilities; and
- \$14 billion for the Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund, which is awarded directly to institutions of higher education.

The CARES Act provides \$3.5 billion in supplemental funding for the Child Care and Development Block Grant (CCDBG), which helps low-income families access child care. Supplemental funds will give assistance to child care providers to help them pay employees, maintain or resume operations, and provide child care assistance for health care workers, emergency responders, sanitation workers, and other essential workers.

The *CARES Act* also provides **an additional \$750 million in emergency funding for Head Start**, which will be used to maintain access to services for children and families, to the extent possible, and provide funding for summer programming in areas of the country that are ready to reopen.

Estimated State-by-State Education and Child Care Funding under the CARES Act

Emergency education and child care funds are distributed according to formulas outlined in the CARES Act.

The table below reflects state allocations (in thousands of dollars) from the **Department of Health and Human Services** for the Child Care and Development Block Grant and state allocations (in thousands of dollars) from the **Department of Education** for the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Fund, Governor's Emergency Education Relief Fund, and Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund.

State	Governor's Emergency Education Relief Fund	Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Fund	Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund	Child Care and Development Block Grant (CCDBG)
Alabama	\$48,851	\$216,948	\$199,119	\$64,957
Alaska	\$6,504	\$38,408	\$9,432	\$6,489

State	Governor's Emergency Education Relief Fund	Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Fund	Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund	Child Care and Development Block Grant (CCDBG)
Arizona	\$69,196	\$277,423	\$288,752	\$88,006
Arkansas	\$30,664	\$128,759	\$120,858	\$41,463
California	\$355,227	\$1,647,306	\$1,709,452	\$350,314
Colorado	\$44,005	\$120,994	\$167,984	\$42,458
Connecticut	\$27,882	\$111,068	\$141,283	\$23,504
Delaware	\$7,917	\$43,493	\$34,027	\$9,758
District of Columbia	\$5,808	\$42,006	\$47,649	\$6,000
Florida	\$173,586	\$770,248	\$740,208	\$223,605
Georgia	\$105,721	\$457,170	\$406,119	\$144,539
Hawaii	\$9,993	\$43,385	\$31,026	\$11,990
Idaho	\$15,676	\$47,855	\$60,036	\$20,673
Illinois	\$108,498	\$569,467	\$437,426	\$118,420
Indiana	\$61,591	\$214,473	\$235,548	\$78,822
Iowa	\$26,217	\$71,626	\$119,776	\$31,899
Kansas	\$26,274	\$84,529	\$104,951	\$30,772
Kentucky	\$43,799	\$193,187	\$156,808	\$67,741
Louisiana	\$50,277	\$286,980	\$189,864	\$67,581
Maine	\$9,274	\$43,793	\$41,093	\$10,953
Maryland	\$45,658	\$207,834	\$188,939	\$45,822
Massachusetts	\$50,844	\$214,894	\$280,277	\$45,699
Michigan	\$89,433	\$389,797	\$354,834	\$100,899
Minnesota	\$43,427	\$140,137	\$183,849	\$48,146
Mississippi	\$34,663	\$169,883	\$149,058	\$47,131
Missouri	\$54,643	\$208,443	\$205,995	\$66,543
Montana	\$8,764	\$41,295	\$31,873	\$10,114
Nebraska	\$16,358	\$65,085	\$67,223	\$20,077
Nevada	\$26,477	\$117,185	\$70,350	\$32,926
New Hampshire	\$8,891	\$37,641	\$41,109	\$6,999
New Jersey	\$68,865	\$310,371	\$323,081	\$63,058

State	Governor's Emergency Education Relief Fund	Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Fund	Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund	Child Care and Development Block Grant (CCDBG)
New Mexico	\$22,263	\$108,575	\$62,283	\$29,443
New York	\$164,286	\$1,037,046	\$920,624	\$163,636
North Carolina	\$95,639	\$396,312	\$378,297	\$118,136
North Dakota	\$5,933	\$33,298	\$23,287	\$6,038
Ohio	\$104,917	\$489,205	\$395,616	\$117,441
Oklahoma	\$39,919	\$160,950	\$159,882	\$50,006
Oregon	\$32,508	\$121,099	\$127,113	\$38,595
Pennsylvania	\$104,418	\$523,807	\$487,129	\$106,398
Puerto Rico	\$47,812	\$349,113	\$323,782	\$30,959
Rhode Island	\$8,704	\$46,350	\$64,731	\$8,166
South Carolina	\$48,468	\$216,311	\$180,498	\$63,642
South Dakota	\$7,944	\$41,295	\$27,147	\$9,021
Tennessee	\$63,582	\$259,891	\$237,170	\$82,385
Texas	\$307,026	\$1,285,886	\$1,021,760	\$371,663
Utah	\$29,190	\$67,822	\$143,643	\$40,415
Vermont	\$4,489	\$31,148	\$21,566	\$4,410
Virginia	\$66,775	\$238,599	\$294,391	\$70,799
Washington	\$56,769	\$216,892	\$226,092	\$58,657
West Virginia	\$16,353	\$86,640	\$66,559	\$23,162
Wisconsin	\$46,550	\$174,778	\$176,734	\$51,640
Wyoming	\$4,701	\$32,563	\$13,586	\$4,166
Territories				
American Samoa			\$1,618	\$4,456
Guam			\$5,834	\$6,421
N. Mariana Islands			\$1,839	\$3,253
Virgin Islands			\$1,714	\$3,370

Sources: Congressional Research Service (CRS), Department of Education, Department of Health and Human Services.