

State Spending

States and school districts are required to spend the majority of the federal economic stimulus money they receive by September. States have more time to spend funds provided through the stimulus package's various competitive grant programs—such as the Race to the Top and Investing in Innovation fund—which in some cases explains why some states have more money left over than others.

STATE	TOTAL FUNDS AWARDED (IN MILLIONS)	AMOUNT REMAINING (IN MILLIONS)	% REMAINING
Alaska	\$ 214.02	\$ 9794	46%
Alabama	1,478.11	343.08	23
Arkansas	874.54	222.68	25
Arizona	2,636.19	299.40	11
California	10,941.05	1,201.94	11
Colorado	1,423.37	310.27	22
Connecticut	905.80	177.66	20
District of Columbia	293.16	144.18	49
Delaware	365.80	185.51	51
Florida	6,015.31	1,762.28	29
Georgia	3,297.80	786.71	24
Hawaii	387.33	182.00	47
Iowa	1,093.74	51.04	5
Idaho	451.48	54.89	12
Illinois	3,928.37	538.57	14
Indiana	1,948.43	250.95	13
Kansas	789.67	125.64	16
Kentucky	1,271.72	218.69	17
Louisiana	1,407.79	305.97	22
Massachusetts	2,051.91	576.12	28
Maryland	1,825.53	624.97	34
Maine	359.48	79.25	22
Michigan	3,184.66	527.50	17
Minnesota	1,410.30	176.18	12
Missouri	1,675.73	259.90	16
Mississippi	1,017.20	248.31	24
Montana	277.99	41.52	15
North Carolina	2,950.42	763.65	26
North Dakota	204.14	36.06	18
Nebraska	514.85	171.76	33
New Hampshire	332.07	46.67	14
New Jersey	2,338.68	300.53	13
New Mexico	650.46	152.37	23
Nevada	619.37	68.73	11
New York	7,119.88	2,329.99	33
Ohio	3,850.27	1,234.36	32
Oklahoma	1,074.13	235.77	22
Oregon	1,128.54	181.63	16
Pennsylvania	3,510.83	778.67	22
Rhode Island	415.10	157.90	38
South Carolina	1,306.56	505.25	39
South Dakota	271.44	40.52	15
Tennessee	2,260.68	1,119.61	50
Texas	7,467.71	1,984.25	27
Utah	870.64	164.83	19
Virginia	2,187.52	701.58	32
Vermont	182.00	32.94	18
Washington	1,930.17	406.18	21
Wisconsin	1,496.63	193.37	13
West Virginia	542.39	89.93	17
Wyoming	173.93	99.47	57
TOTAL	\$94,924.87	\$21,589.18	23%

NOTE: Figures are rounded.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education; *Education Week*