

# HOW WELL ARE WE EDUCATING OUR FUTURE WORKERS?

**F**OR EDMUND SCHWEITZER, PRESIDENT AND CEO OF Schweitzer Engineering Laboratories (SEL), improving the quality of the math and science education our children receive is absolutely critical to the success of technology-based companies.

Schweitzer is concerned about the ability of our schools to provide enough highly trained engineers in the future to sustain companies like his. Pullman, Wash.,-based SEL, which introduced the world's first digital relay back in 1984, is a global engineering company with technical service centers in more than 40 countries. The company's products are sold in more than 100 countries.

However, what distinguishes Schweitzer from many other CEOs is that he is willing to put his money where his mouth is. During the past five years, SEL has donated equipment and materials to 67 academic institutions totaling \$636,000.

Schweitzer's interest in education runs deep. Earlier in his career, he served as a professor at Ohio University and at Washington State University, and continues to teach short courses in power engineering around the world while leading a global company. Course locations include the Universidad Autonoma de Nuevo Leon in Monterrey, Mexico, the University of Wisconsin in Madison, and at the Southern African Power System Protection Conference in Johannesburg, South Africa.



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**OUR 15TH ANNUAL EDUCATION QUOTIENT™**

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**RATINGS OF 2,800 SECONDARY SCHOOL**

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**DISTRICTS NATIONWIDE CAN PROVIDE GROWING**

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**BUSINESSES WITH A WAY TO COMPARE THE POTENTIAL**

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**WORK FORCE IN COMMUNITIES AROUND THE COUNTRY.**

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Schweitzer believes in the importance of practical experience for students.

He has donated more than \$185,000 in equipment required to upgrade protective relays, metering and communications for the electrical distribution system at the Washington State University Power Plant and East Campus Substation in Pullman. This, in turn, has provided opportunities in "real world" application for electrical engineering students attending the university.

Still, Schweitzer is concerned about the depth of the engineering talent pool in the United States. Despite his focus on helping university students gain practical experience, he firmly believes that waiting until a person is 18 to interest him or her in science and engineering is too late. By that age, the pool of likely candidates has shrunk dramatically. For him, the best time to pique a person's interest in science and engineering is when they are much younger, say in high school or even middle school.

It was for that reason that he established, in cooperation with the Pullman School District, a basic electronics course for local high school students. For its part, SEL hired an instructor who developed the curriculum, established a classroom and equipped the laboratory.

Classes began in August 2000 and now include not only basic electronics, but also a robotics course and a pre-engineering course. The Pullman School District offers physics credits for the pre-engineering course.

Until this year, the district bused the students to the SEL classroom each day. Now, the courses

are taught at Pullman High School and will continue to be funded by SEL.

This is just one of many learning opportunities Schweitzer has created for students of all ages to learn more in the field of science. Several years ago, his dream of a science center became a reality when SEL donated 11,000 square feet of space for displays, activities and programs.

The Palouse Discovery Science Center (PDSC) offers programs to children from toddler-age through high school, as well as for adults. An executive director, an active board and many volunteers direct the activities of PDSC, the only science center in Washington east of the Cascade Mountains. School children from Washington and Idaho enjoy the benefits of this operation.

This is just an example of what can be accomplished when businesses take an active interest in promoting educational opportunities for young students.

In today's technology-driven economy, growing companies that are expanding and opening new facilities around the country are using a prospective community's public education system as an indicator of the type of work force they would likely encounter should they choose to open a manufacturing or distribution facility there.

That's why *Expansion Management* has evaluated secondary school districts around the country for the past 15 years. After all, today's students are tomorrow's work force.

This year's *Education Quotient™* (EQ) includes all high school degree-granting secondary school

## WHAT THE RATINGS MEAN

	SCORE	NATIONAL RANKING
Gold	83-99	Top 17%
Blue	67-82	Top 33%
Green	26-66	The Great Middle
Yellow	11-25	Bottom 25%
Red	1-10	Bottom 10%

districts in the United States with an enrollment of at least 3,300 students.

In all, we evaluated more than 2,800 districts nationwide, with a combined enrollment of more than 35 million students.

## HOW WE RATE SCHOOL DISTRICTS

A SCHOOL DISTRICT'S EQ SCORE IS COMPOSED OF three major indices: the **Graduate Outcome**, the **Resource Index** and the **Community Index**.

The **Graduate Outcome** measures the final output of a district's schools and includes the college board scores and graduation rates. It is by far the most heavily weighted factor in our final calculations because, for employers and parents alike, that's what school is all about.

The **Resource Index** measures a community's financial commitment to public education and includes such things as teachers' salaries, student-teacher ratio and per-pupil expenditures. While important, it has a lesser weight in the final calculations because we feel that school districts should be measured by their results, not by how much money they spend.

The **Community Index**, which measures the economic and education background of the adult population, has almost no weight in the final calculations. Rather, it is used as a benchmark for site selectors and other people engaged in evaluating a work force.

These three indices are each calcu-

lated on a scale of 1 (lowest) to 99 (highest), in order to come up with an overall score, which we call the *Education Quotient*.

## PARENTAL INFLUENCE ON HOW SCHOOLS PERFORM

IT SEEMS THAT ANY TIME THERE IS A DISCUSSION about schools, the focus seems to always turn to teachers and money, as if that were the only solution to the problem of low achievement.

Year after year, though, we collect data on more than 2,800 secondary school districts, and that data consistently shows the same thing: Increased spending on education seems to make good schools even better, but it doesn't appear to make bad schools good.

That's not to say that smaller class sizes and better paid teachers are a bad thing. Of course not. What it does mean is that, if we want to improve an "underachieving school," there is no reason to believe that we can simply buy our way out of that problem. After all, some of the most generous school districts, in terms of spending, are also some of the worst when it comes to academic results.

Instead, let's look at the parents. In our study, we gather data on the income and education levels of the adult population within each school district. We call this the **Community Index** (CI) and we use it mainly as a reference. In other words, it doesn't count for much in the final overall ranking of a school district, but it makes for a useful crosscheck on our results.

Of the 100 school districts with the highest **Community Index**, 96 of them were awarded Gold Medals (our highest award), a distinction only 17 percent of the school districts we evaluated received. Of the top 200 districts in terms of CI, 182 received Gold Medals. And remember, the CI is almost entirely a reference tool. At most, it might add one or two points to the final EQ score.

Clearly, parents' income and education are strong indicators of academic success for their children. But

yet we have Farm Belt schools in the Midwest where the children of parents with modest resources are achieving similarly high academic success.

Here we have two seemingly disparate groups, one with high adult education and income levels, the other with relatively low adult education and income levels. What do these two groups have in common?

Here's my theory. I think it has to do with the parents, the work ethic they



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instill in their children and the countless hours they spend each day being involved in their kids' schools and in their homework. Parental involvement is something money can't buy.

You can say that having parents with above average income and above average education is the reason their children do well in school, but I believe that's more a symptom than a reason.

After all, it's the kids, not the parents, who take the college board tests and who stay in school long enough to graduate. Parents provide the environment in which the kids develop and learn.

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CITY	SCHOOL DISTRICT	EQ	GO	RI	CI	RATING	CITY	SCHOOL DISTRICT	EQ	GO	RI	CI	RATING
<b>ALABAMA</b>													
Auburn	Auburn City School District	.71	.71	.44	.73	.BLUE	Golden	Jefferson County R-1	.20	.15	.53	.83	.YELLOW
Birmingham	Birmingham City School District	.4	.5	.31	.40	.RED	Littleton	Littleton 6	.85	.82	.71	.86	.GOLD
Birmingham	Vestavia Hills City School District	.93	.98	.41	.94	.GOLD	Pueblo	Pueblo City 60	.18	.14	.67	.17	.YELLOW
Columbiana	Shelby County School District	.63	.65	.33	.66	.GREEN	<b>CONNECTICUT</b>						
Cullman	Cullman County School District	.23	.30	.9	.18	.YELLOW	Danbury	Danbury School District	.38	.28	.89	.65	.GREEN
Decatur	Morgan County School District	.33	.33	.47	.24	.GREEN	Fairfield	Fairfield School District	.96	.92	.96	.97	.GOLD
Hoover	Hoover City School District	.87	.87	.59	.95	.GOLD	Greenwich	Greenwich School District	.97	.95	.99	.96	.GOLD
Huntsville	Huntsville City School District	.64	.64	.48	.63	.GREEN	Hartford	Hartford School District	.11	.1	.97	.25	.YELLOW
Madison	Madison City School District	.80	.87	.9	.84	.BLUE	Meriden	Meriden School District	.47	.39	.94	.40	.GREEN
Mobile	Mobile County School District	.6	.11	.13	.25	.RED	Milford	Milford School District	.69	.60	.89	.84	.BLUE
Montgomery	Montgomery County School District	.5	.9	.16	.31	.RED	Norwalk	Norwalk School District	.43	.31	.97	.80	.GREEN
Mountain Brook	Mountain Brook City School District	.98	.99	.78	.98	.GOLD	Norwich	Norwich School District	.88	.85	.88	.45	.GOLD
Tuscaloosa	Tuscaloosa County School District	.11	.16	.11	.41	.YELLOW	Wallingford	Wallingford School District	.64	.55	.87	.80	.GREEN
<b>ALASKA</b>							Waterbury	Waterbury School District	.27	.18	.94	.35	.GREEN
Anchorage	Anchorage School District	.40	.36	.55	.73	.GREEN	West Hartford	West Hartford School District	.96	.94	.92	.95	.GOLD
Fairbanks	Fairbanks North Star Boro School District	.67	.63	.70	.56	.BLUE	West Haven	West Haven School District	.39	.33	.77	.52	.GREEN
<b>ARIZONA</b>							<b>DELAWARE</b>						
Flagstaff	Flagstaff Unified District	.81	.90	.9	.59	.BLUE	Dover	Capital School District	.44	.37	.80	.45	.GREEN
Gilbert	Gilbert Unified District	.66	.73	.4	.80	.GREEN	Claymont	Brandywine School District	.82	.78	.76	.71	.BLUE
Mesa	Mesa Unified District	.83	.95	.9	.35	.GOLD	Wilmington	Red Clay Consolidated School District	.65	.59	.74	.76	.GREEN
Phoenix	Paradise Valley Unified District	.69	.77	.7	.69	.BLUE	<b>DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA</b>						
Phoenix	Phoenix Union High School District	.26	.25	.56	.20	.GREEN	Washington	District of Columbia Public Schools	.13	.1	.94	.64	.YELLOW
Tempe	Tempe Union High School District	.83	.91	.12	.76	.GOLD	<b>FLORIDA</b>						
Tucson	Tucson Unified District	.64	.70	.20	.40	.GREEN	Bartow	Polk County School District	.33	.41	.5	.25	.GREEN
Yuma	Yuma Union High School District	.12	.21	.1	.7	.YELLOW	Bradenton	Manatee County School District	.62	.70	.4	.56	.GREEN
<b>ARKANSAS</b>							Fort Lauderdale	Broward County School District	.16	.20	.6	.65	.YELLOW
Bentonville	Bentonville School District	.55	.62	.10	.59	.GREEN	Fort Myers	Lee County School District	.40	.47	.3	.56	.GREEN
Conway	Conway School District	.56	.63	.7	.57	.GREEN	Gainesville	Alachua County School District	.40	.48	.2	.52	.GREEN
Fayetteville	Fayetteville School District	.86	.90	.43	.57	.GOLD	Jacksonville	Duval County School District	.27	.35	.3	.45	.GREEN
Fort Smith	Fort Smith School District	.34	.39	.21	.29	.GREEN	Miami	Dade County School District	.3	.8	.7	.28	.RED
Jonesboro	Jonesboro School District	.79	.91	.4	.30	.BLUE	Naples	Collier County School District	.53	.59	.10	.67	.GREEN
Little Rock	Little Rock School District	.20	.13	.72	.42	.YELLOW	Orlando	Orange County School District	.25	.30	.6	.59	.YELLOW
Russellville	Russellville School District	.62	.68	.16	.43	.GREEN	Pensacola	Escambia County School District	.26	.35	.1	.25	.GREEN
Searcy	Searcy School District	.74	.84	.4	.47	.BLUE	Sarasota	Sarasota County School District	.79	.88	.7	.70	.BLUE
Springdale	Springdale School District	.47	.56	.4	.30	.GREEN	Tallahassee	Leon County School District	.52	.60	.2	.54	.GREEN
West Memphis	West Memphis School District	.1	.3	.11	.5	.RED	Tampa	Hillsborough County School District	.63	.71	.7	.52	.GREEN
<b>CALIFORNIA</b>							<b>GEORGIA</b>						
Alameda	Alameda City Unified	.44	.44	.37	.77	.GREEN	Atlanta	Atlanta City	.11	.1	.87	.55	.YELLOW
Anaheim	Anaheim Union High	.28	.30	.33	.37	.GREEN	Atlanta	Fulton County	.49	.43	.74	.61	.GREEN
Apple Valley	Apple Valley Unified	.51	.58	.21	.19	.GREEN	Augusta	Richmond County	.16	.18	.36	.23	.YELLOW
Bakersfield	Kern Union High	.15	.20	.22	.12	.YELLOW	Columbus	Muscogee County	.12	.10	.49	.41	.YELLOW
Barstow	Barstow Unified	.4	.10	.16	.10	.RED	Conyers	Rockdale County	.71	.74	.41	.49	.BLUE
Berkeley	Berkeley Unified	.86	.84	.75	.69	.GOLD	Dalton	Whitfield County	.23	.22	.45	.35	.YELLOW
Beverly Hills	Beverly Hills Unified	.87	.83	.74	.89	.GOLD	Decatur	Dekalb County	.13	.7	.65	.57	.YELLOW
Chico	Chico Unified	.49	.52	.33	.49	.GREEN	Douglasville	Douglas County	.11	.13	.21	.55	.YELLOW
Compton	Compton Unified	.1	.1	.19	.2	.RED	Fayetteville	Fayette County	.70	.68	.52	.88	.BLUE
Concord	Mt. Diablo Unified	.66	.67	.39	.73	.GREEN	Gainesville	Hall County	.19	.21	.28	.41	.YELLOW
Fresno	Fresno Unified	.6	.7	.44	.6	.RED	Jonesboro	Clayton County	.1	.2	.16	.42	.RED
Irvine	Irvine Unified	.90	.96	.27	.91	.GOLD	Lawrenceville	Gwinnett County	.45	.43	.49	.78	.GREEN
La Mesa	Grossmont Union High	.36	.39	.27	.46	.GREEN	Macon	Bibb County	.1	.2	.18	.21	.RED
Livermore	Livermore Valley Joint Unified	.84	.92	.14	.76	.GOLD	Marietta	Cobb County	.41	.37	.58	.64	.GREEN
Long Beach	Long Beach Unified	.12	.13	.36	.25	.YELLOW	Perry	Houston County	.22	.19	.58	.44	.YELLOW
Los Alamitos	Los Alamitos Unified	.84	.88	.32	.87	.GOLD	Rome	Rome City	.27	.30	.38	.22	.GREEN
Los Angeles	Los Angeles Unified	.6	.5	.50	.14	.RED	Savannah	Chatham County	.4	.4	.38	.30	.RED
Manteca	Manteca Unified	.10	.15	.14	.26	.RED	Valdosta	Lowndes County	.16	.17	.39	.28	.YELLOW
Mission Viejo	Saddleback Valley Unified	.75	.81	.13	.84	.BLUE	<b>HAWAII</b>						
Modesto	Modesto City High	.35	.38	.38	.11	.GREEN	Honolulu	Hawaii Department of Education	.75	.76	.49	.57	.BLUE
Oakland	Oakland Unified	.6	.1	.66	.31	.RED	<b>IDAHO</b>						
Oceanside	Oceanside Unified	.13	.13	.45	.26	.YELLOW	Boise	Boise Independent District	.62	.63	.39	.68	.GREEN
Ontario	Chaffey Joint Union High	.11	.14	.26	.19	.YELLOW	Coeur D Alene	Coeur D Alene District	.68	.75	.14	.44	.BLUE
Orange	Orange Unified	.56	.60	.23	.68	.GREEN	Idaho Falls	Idaho Falls District	.67	.75	.6	.53	.BLUE
Palo Alto	Palo Alto Unified	.95	.93	.88	.97	.GOLD	Pocatello	Pocatello District	.45	.51	.11	.44	.GREEN
Pleasanton	Pleasanton Unified	.92	.95	.53	.94	.GOLD	Twin Falls	Twin Falls District	.54	.65	.2	.30	.GREEN
Porterville	Porterville Unified	.16	.18	.43	.2	.YELLOW	<b>ILLINOIS</b>						
Poway	Poway Unified	.78	.82	.23	.90	.BLUE	Arlington Heights	Township High School Dist 214	.98	.99	.91	.83	.GOLD
Redding	Shasta Union High	.42	.45	.29	.35	.GREEN	Aurora	Aurora West Unit School Dist 129	.40	.38	.52	.60	.GREEN
Riverside	Riverside Unified	.23	.27	.19	.36	.YELLOW	Barrington	Barrington C U School Dist 220	.96	.96	.82	.94	.GOLD
Sacramento	Sacramento City Unified	.12	.16	.20	.23	.YELLOW	Champaign	Champaign Comm Unit School District 4	.81	.77	.81	.63	.BLUE
Salinas	Salinas Union High	.6	.8	.33	.22	.RED	Chicago	City of Chicago School Dist 299	.11	.3	.79	.43	.YELLOW
San Bernardino	San Bernardino City Unified	.3	.3	.43	.2	.RED	East Saint Louis	East St Louis School Dist 189	.7	.2	.74	.1	.RED
San Diego	San Diego Unified	.21	.17	.58	.55	.YELLOW	Granite City	Granite City C U School Dist 9	.14	.15	.36	.26	.YELLOW
San Francisco	San Francisco Unified	.41	.37	.62	.60	.GREEN	Moline	Moline Unit School District 40	.36	.32	.63	.47	.GREEN
San Jose	San Jose Unified	.57	.54	.59	.67	.GREEN	<b>THE FINAL RANKINGS</b>						
San Mateo	San Mateo Union High	.75	.70	.73	.86	.BLUE	<i>EQ scores are based upon a district's relative ranking in the following major categories:</i>						
Santa Barbara	Santa Barbara High	.75	.79	.30	.68	.BLUE	➤ EQ — <b>Education Quotient:</b> Overall score as a percentile						
Santa Clara	Santa Clara Unified	.41	.36	.54	.87	.GREEN	➤ GO — <b>Graduate Outcome:</b> What they learned and did they graduate						
Santa Cruz	Santa Cruz City High	.77	.80	.31	.76	.BLUE	➤ RI — <b>Resource Index:</b> Community's financial commitment to education						
Santa Monica	Santa Monica-Malibu Unified	.76	.74	.58	.81	.BLUE	➤ CI — <b>Community Index:</b> Affluence and education level of the adult community						
Santa Rosa	Santa Rosa High	.59	.61	.37	.58	.GREEN							
Sonoma	Sonoma Valley Unified	.71	.74	.31	.69	.BLUE							
Stockton	Stockton City Unified	.5	.4	.52	.11	.RED							
Temecula	Temecula Valley Unified	.50	.52	.30	.63	.GREEN							
Vacaville	Vacaville Unified	.64	.71	.13	.57	.GREEN							
Ventura	Ventura Unified	.52	.57	.18	.57	.GREEN							
Yuba City	Yuba City Unified	.58	.66	.17	.17	.GREEN							
<b>COLORADO</b>													
Aurora	Adams-Arapahoe 28J	.6	.2	.60	.30	.RED							
Boulder	Boulder Valley RE 2	.68	.63	.70	.90	.BLUE							
Castle Rock	Douglas County RE 1	.48	.42	.63	.93	.GREEN							
Colorado Springs	Academy 20	.79	.74	.68	.93	.BLUE							
Colorado Springs	Colorado Springs 11	.36	.33	.55	.50	.GREEN							
Denver	Denver County 1	.15	.8	.76	.42	.YELLOW							
Fort Collins	Poudre R-1	.30	.24	.64	.68	.GREEN							



## The Final Rankings

EQ scores are based upon a district's relative ranking in the following major categories:

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- GO — **Graduate Outcome:** What they learned and did they graduate
- RI — **Resource Index:** Community's financial commitment to education
- CI — **Community Index:** Affluence and education level of the adult community

CITY	SCHOOL DISTRICT	EQ	GO	RI	CI	RATING	CITY	SCHOOL DISTRICT	EQ	GO	RI	CI	RATING
Naperville	Naperville C U Dist 203	.97	.98	.76	.97	<b>GOLD</b>	<b>MASSACHUSETTS</b>						
Normal	McLean County Unit Dist No 5	.81	.76	.77	.78	<b>BLUE</b>	Andover	Andover	.98	.97	.92	.96	<b>GOLD</b>
Palatine	Township HS Dist 211	.92	.86	.91	.88	<b>GOLD</b>	Boston	Boston	.21	.8	.97	.72	<b>YELLOW</b>
Peoria	Peoria School District 150	.20	.12	.87	.30	<b>YELLOW</b>	Brockton	Brockton	.38	.31	.89	.25	<b>GREEN</b>
Plainfield	Plainfield School Dist 202	.37	.34	.41	.88	<b>GREEN</b>	Brookline	Brookline	.99	.98	.98	.98	<b>GOLD</b>
Rockford	Rockford School Dist 205	.15	.10	.70	.28	<b>YELLOW</b>	Fitchburg	Fitchburg	.54	.49	.83	.27	<b>GREEN</b>
Springfield	Springfield School District 186	.22	.17	.59	.62	<b>YELLOW</b>	Frammingham	Frammingham	.77	.67	.96	.84	<b>BLUE</b>
Waukegan	Waukegan C U School Dist 60	.26	.27	.49	.16	<b>GREEN</b>	Hyannis	Barnstable	.61	.55	.79	.60	<b>GREEN</b>
Wheaton	Community Unit School Dist 200	.95	.94	.82	.94	<b>GOLD</b>	Jefferson	Wachusett	.88	.86	.67	.90	<b>GOLD</b>
<b>INDIANA</b>							Lawrence	Lawrence	.7	.1	.81	.2	<b>RED</b>
Bloomington	Monroe County Com School Corp.	.81	.81	.55	.77	<b>BLUE</b>	Leominster	Leominster	.38	.34	.60	.57	<b>GREEN</b>
Carmel	Carmel Clay Schools	.96	.98	.66	.98	<b>GOLD</b>	Lexington	Lexington	.96	.94	.94	.98	<b>GOLD</b>
Columbus	Bartholomew Con School Corp.	.70	.67	.64	.61	<b>BLUE</b>	Lowell	Lowell	.26	.20	.75	.29	<b>YELLOW</b>
Eikhart	Eikhart Community Schools	.53	.51	.63	.40	<b>GREEN</b>	Lynn	Lynn	.19	.11	.86	.18	<b>YELLOW</b>
Evansville	Evansville-Vanderburgh School Corp.	.38	.35	.61	.36	<b>GREEN</b>	Malden	Malden	.43	.34	.86	.67	<b>GREEN</b>
Fishers	Hamilton Southeastern Schools	.85	.85	.53	.96	<b>GOLD</b>	New Bedford	New Bedford	.15	.8	.88	.5	<b>YELLOW</b>
Fort Wayne	Fort Wayne Community Schools	.55	.54	.57	.34	<b>GREEN</b>	Newtonville	Newton	.99	.98	.98	.97	<b>GOLD</b>
Gary	Gary Community School Corp.	.16	.13	.70	.4	<b>YELLOW</b>	Pittsfield	Pittsfield	.55	.48	.83	.51	<b>GREEN</b>
Greenwood	Center Grove Com School Corp.	.90	.93	.45	.85	<b>GOLD</b>	Plymouth	Plymouth	.54	.49	.69	.75	<b>GREEN</b>
Hammond	School City of Hammond	.29	.26	.65	.13	<b>GREEN</b>	Quincy	Quincy	.37	.27	.87	.75	<b>GREEN</b>
Indianapolis	MSD Washington Township	.86	.83	.69	.86	<b>GOLD</b>	Springfield	Springfield	.9	.2	.80	.13	<b>RED</b>
Indianapolis	Indianapolis Public Schools	.10	.2	.84	.24	<b>RED</b>	Worcester	Worcester	.15	.6	.90	.41	<b>YELLOW</b>
Kokomo	Kokomo-Center Township Con School Corp.	.30	.23	.81	.37	<b>GREEN</b>	<b>MICHIGAN</b>						
Lafayette	Tippecanoe School Corp.	.77	.78	.45	.72	<b>BLUE</b>	Ann Arbor	Ann Arbor Public Schools	.84	.78	.85	.91	<b>GOLD</b>
Muncie	Muncie Community Schools	.24	.16	.86	.48	<b>YELLOW</b>	Battle Creek	Battle Creek Public Schools	.34	.32	.66	.16	<b>GREEN</b>
New Albany	New Albany-Floyd County Con Sch	.73	.73	.55	.49	<b>BLUE</b>	Bay City	Bay City School District	.70	.73	.43	.42	<b>BLUE</b>
Noblesville	Noblesville Schools	.90	.93	.49	.83	<b>GOLD</b>	Benton Harbor	Benton Harbor Area Schools	.19	.19	.52	.3	<b>YELLOW</b>
South Bend	South Bend Community School Corp.	.64	.62	.71	.32	<b>GREEN</b>	Clarkston	Clarkston Community School District	.87	.88	.47	.86	<b>GOLD</b>
Terre Haute	Vigo County School Corp.	.77	.79	.51	.51	<b>BLUE</b>	Dearborn	Dearborn City School District	.55	.49	.81	.52	<b>GREEN</b>
<b>IOWA</b>							Detroit	Detroit City School District	.4	.1	.68	.3	<b>RED</b>
Ames	Ames Comm School District	.84	.87	.40	.82	<b>GOLD</b>	Farmington	Farmington Public School District	.86	.79	.87	.91	<b>GOLD</b>
Cedar Rapids	Cedar Rapids Comm School District	.64	.68	.25	.63	<b>GREEN</b>	Flint	Flint City School District	.9	.3	.80	.7	<b>RED</b>
Des Moines	Des Moines Independent Comm School District	.62	.65	.38	.38	<b>GREEN</b>	Grand Rapids	Forest Hills Public Schools	.96	.98	.71	.94	<b>GOLD</b>
Dubuque	Dubuque Comm School District	.71	.78	.18	.59	<b>BLUE</b>	Grand Rapids	Grand Rapids Public Schools	.20	.12	.84	.47	<b>YELLOW</b>
Iowa City	Iowa City Comm School District	.92	.99	.36	.78	<b>GOLD</b>	Holland	West Ottawa Public School District	.63	.61	.49	.74	<b>GREEN</b>
Mason City	Mason City Comm School District	.70	.75	.25	.53	<b>BLUE</b>	Kalamazoo	Kalamazoo Public School District	.36	.28	.81	.60	<b>GREEN</b>
Sioux City	Sioux City Comm School District	.24	.26	.36	.29	<b>YELLOW</b>	Lansing	Lansing Public School District	.24	.22	.60	.22	<b>YELLOW</b>
Waterloo	Waterloo Comm School District	.35	.37	.35	.37	<b>GREEN</b>	Livonia	Livonia Public Schools	.84	.82	.69	.81	<b>GOLD</b>
West Des Moines	West Des Moines Comm School District	.89	.93	.34	.90	<b>GOLD</b>	Midland	Midland Public Schools	.92	.91	.72	.79	<b>GOLD</b>
<b>KANSAS</b>							Monroe	Monroe Public Schools	.23	.22	.42	.44	<b>YELLOW</b>
Emporia	Emporia	.62	.57	.77	.33	<b>GREEN</b>	Muskegon	Muskegon City School District	.5	.1	.65	.6	<b>RED</b>
Topeka	Auburn Washburn	.74	.70	.62	.89	<b>BLUE</b>	Plymouth	Plymouth-Canton Community Schools	.83	.83	.54	.91	<b>GOLD</b>
Manhattan	Manhattan	.85	.83	.71	.65	<b>GOLD</b>	Pontiac	Pontiac City School District	.5	.1	.67	.15	<b>RED</b>
Dodge City	Dodge City	.51	.54	.38	.19	<b>GREEN</b>	Port Huron	Port Huron Area School District	.35	.33	.61	.28	<b>GREEN</b>
Lawrence	Lawrence	.95	.98	.74	.66	<b>GOLD</b>	Portage	Portage Public Schools	.90	.96	.34	.79	<b>GOLD</b>
Topeka	Topeka Public Schools	.32	.26	.75	.48	<b>GREEN</b>	Saginaw	Saginaw City School District	.7	.2	.73	.4	<b>RED</b>
Overland Park	Blue Valley	.97	.98	.78	.99	<b>GOLD</b>	South Lyon	South Lyon Community Schools	.69	.72	.32	.82	<b>BLUE</b>
Kansas City	Kansas City	.15	.9	.82	.5	<b>YELLOW</b>	Traverse City	Traverse City Area Public Schools	.67	.71	.27	.73	<b>BLUE</b>
Olathe	Olathe	.86	.83	.71	.73	<b>GOLD</b>	Troy	Troy School District	.67	.58	.83	.97	<b>GREEN</b>
Shawnee Mission	Shawnee Mission Public Sch	.95	.98	.66	.82	<b>GOLD</b>	Walled Lake	Walled Lake Consolidated Schools	.76	.70	.80	.85	<b>BLUE</b>
Wichita	Wichita	.19	.17	.51	.32	<b>YELLOW</b>	Warren	Warren Consolidated Schools	.49	.43	.78	.62	<b>GREEN</b>
<b>KENTUCKY</b>							Waterford	Waterford School District	.67	.68	.43	.71	<b>BLUE</b>
Bowling Green	Warren County	.60	.68	.4	.59	<b>GREEN</b>	<b>MINNESOTA</b>						
Buckner	Oldham County	.73	.81	.3	.81	<b>BLUE</b>	Bloomington	Bloomington	.65	.62	.54	.84	<b>GREEN</b>
Covington	Covington Independent	.34	.31	.67	.13	<b>GREEN</b>	Brainerd	Brainerd	.65	.64	.57	.48	<b>GREEN</b>
Elizabethtown	Hardin County	.31	.38	.10	.38	<b>GREEN</b>	Burnsville	Burnsville	.78	.77	.53	.81	<b>BLUE</b>
Frankfort	Franklin County	.46	.53	.5	.53	<b>GREEN</b>	Coon Rapids	Anoka-Hennepin	.62	.60	.50	.68	<b>GREEN</b>
Georgetown	Scott County	.30	.35	.14	.55	<b>GREEN</b>	Duluth	Duluth	.80	.78	.70	.47	<b>BLUE</b>
Hopkinsville	Christian County	.33	.42	.6	.17	<b>GREEN</b>	Eden Prairie	Eden Prairie	.87	.90	.44	.91	<b>GOLD</b>
Lexington	Fayette County	.72	.69	.63	.74	<b>BLUE</b>	Mankato	Mankato	.87	.93	.35	.65	<b>GOLD</b>
Louisville	Jefferson County	.30	.29	.42	.56	<b>GREEN</b>	Maple Grove	Osseo	.60	.58	.50	.84	<b>GREEN</b>
Madisonville	Hopkins County	.38	.46	.10	.17	<b>GREEN</b>	Minneapolis	Minneapolis	.20	.10	.86	.51	<b>YELLOW</b>
Owensboro	Davies County	.60	.66	.13	.53	<b>GREEN</b>	Minnnetonka	Minnnetonka	.94	.95	.65	.97	<b>GOLD</b>
Paducah	McCracken County	.62	.70	.6	.38	<b>GREEN</b>	Rochester	Rochester	.73	.74	.39	.84	<b>BLUE</b>
<b>LOUISIANA</b>							Rosemount	Rosemount-Apple Valley-Eagan	.86	.86	.53	.88	<b>GOLD</b>
Alexandria	Rapides Parish School Board	.19	.20	.43	.17	<b>YELLOW</b>	St. Cloud	St. Cloud	.63	.59	.64	.70	<b>GREEN</b>
Baton Rouge	East Baton Rouge Parish School Board	.15	.11	.56	.51	<b>YELLOW</b>	St. Paul	Mounds View	.92	.98	.38	.85	<b>GOLD</b>
Covington	Saint Tammany Parish School Board	.56	.52	.66	.58	<b>GREEN</b>	St. Paul	St. Paul	.19	.9	.85	.51	<b>YELLOW</b>
Harvey	Jefferson Parish School Board	.4	.5	.29	.37	<b>RED</b>	<b>MISSISSIPPI</b>						
Houma	Terrebonne Parish School Board	.10	.13	.28	.15	<b>RED</b>	Brandon	Rankin County School Dist	.19	.23	.11	.57	<b>YELLOW</b>
Lafayette	Lafayette Parish School Board	.43	.42	.52	.45	<b>GREEN</b>	Flora	Madison County School Dist	.37	.42	.10	.72	<b>GREEN</b>
Lake Charles	Calcasieu Parish School Board	.20	.22	.34	.27	<b>YELLOW</b>	Greenville	Greenville Public Schools	.1	.4	.5	.10	<b>RED</b>
Livingston	Livingston Parish School Board	.35	.40	.23	.27	<b>GREEN</b>	Gulfport	Gulfport School Dist	.52	.51	.62	.31	<b>GREEN</b>
Monroe	Ouachita Parish School Board	.41	.40	.54	.32	<b>GREEN</b>	Jackson	Jackson Public School Dist	.3	.6	.18	.26	<b>RED</b>
New Orleans	Orleans Parish School Board	.4	.7	.26	.19	<b>RED</b>	Meridian	Lauderdale County School Dist	.8	.15	.7	.20	<b>RED</b>
Opelousas	Saint Landry Parish School Board	.26	.29	.44	.3	<b>GREEN</b>	Pascagoula	Pascagoula Separate School Dist	.18	.21	.30	.18	<b>YELLOW</b>
Shreveport	Caddo Parish School Board	.21	.21	.44	.27	<b>YELLOW</b>	Purvis	Lamar County School District	.31	.36	.15	.50	<b>GREEN</b>
<b>MAINE</b>							Tupelo	Tupelo Public School Dist	.44	.42	.56	.42	<b>GREEN</b>
Bangor	Bangor School Department	.58	.54	.71	.55	<b>GREEN</b>	Vancleave	Jackson County School Dist	.18	.26	.1	.29	<b>YELLOW</b>
Portland	Portland Public Schools	.41	.34	.76	.67	<b>GREEN</b>	Vicksburg	Vicksburg Warren School Dist	.4	.10	.5	.27	<b>RED</b>
Topsham	MSAD 75 Topsham	.90	.91	.61	.74	<b>GOLD</b>	<b>MISSOURI</b>						
<b>MARYLAND</b>							Blue Springs	Blue Springs R-IV	.81	.85	.31	.78	<b>BLUE</b>
Annapolis	Anne Arundel County Public Schools	.76	.73	.64	.79	<b>BLUE</b>	Chesterfield	Parkway C-2	.89	.87	.68	.96	<b>GOLD</b>
Baltimore	Baltimore City Public School System	.9	.1	.85	.13	<b>RED</b>	Columbia	Columbia 93	.87	.86	.62	.76	<b>GOLD</b>
Bel Air	Harford County Public Schools	.75	.74	.53	.75	<b>BLUE</b>	Independence	Independence 30	.35	.34	.47	.36	<b>GREEN</b>
Elkton	Board of Ed of Cecil County	.68	.67	.63	.54	<b>BLUE</b>	Jefferson City	Jefferson City	.75	.76	.50	.59	<b>BLUE</b>
Ellicott City	Howard County Public Schools System	.96	.96	.84	.94	<b>GOLD</b>	Joplin	Joplin R-VIII	.39	.45	.15	.35	<b>GREEN</b>
Frederick	Frederick County Board of Ed	.89	.89	.63	.79	<b>GOLD</b>	Kansas City	Park Hill	.89	.87	.70	.80	<b>GOLD</b>
Hagerstown	Board of Ed, Washington County	.82	.80	.71	.55	<b>BLUE</b>	Kansas City	North Kansas City 74	.65	.64	.52	.64	<b>GREEN</b>
Rockville	Montgomery County Public Schools	.96	.95	.89	.91	<b>GOLD</b>	Kansas City	Kansas City 33	.7	.1	.74	.19	<b>RED</b>
Westminster	Carroll County Public Schools	.87	.88	.52	.75	<b>GOLD</b>	Lee's Summit	Lee's Summit R-VII	.84	.88	.36	.78	<b>GOLD</b>
							Liberty	Liberty 53	.73	.73	.46	.78	<b>BLUE</b>
							O'Fallon	Ft. Zumwalt R-II	.60	.66	.9	.72	<b>GREEN</b>
							Sedalia	Sedalia 200	.52	.60	.15	.23	<b>GREEN</b>
							Springfield	Springfield R-XII	.69	.78	.11	.42	<b>BLUE</b>



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Gold	83-99	Top 17%
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Red	1-10	Bottom 10%

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Allentown	Allentown City School District	.11	.8	.53	.34	YELLOW	Klein	Klein Indep. School District	.88	.92	.38	.79	GOLD
Altoona	Altoona Area School District	.31	.26	.68	.35	GREEN	LLaredo	United Indep. School District	.35	.38	.33	.24	GREEN
Bethlehem	Bethlehem Area School District	.62	.55	.81	.65	GREEN	League City	Clear Creek Indep. School District	.80	.81	.40	.85	BLUE
Erie	Erie City School District	.49	.45	.77	.26	GREEN	Lewisville	Lewisville Indep. School District	.87	.84	.69	.82	GOLD
Fallsington	Pennsbury School District	.89	.84	.90	.85	GOLD	Lubbock	Lubbock Indep. School District	.58	.58	.60	.24	GREEN
Ford City	Armstrong School District	.48	.41	.89	.32	GREEN	McAllen	McAllen Indep. School District	.35	.37	.44	.15	GREEN
Greensburg	Hempfield Area School District	.87	.83	.86	.76	GOLD	McKinney	McKinney Indep. School District	.88	.87	.71	.62	GOLD
Harrisburg	Central Dauphin School District	.68	.61	.83	.70	BLUE	Mesquite	Mesquite Indep. School District	.60	.62	.42	.43	GREEN
Havertown	Haverford Township School District	.95	.94	.86	.93	GOLD	Midland	Midland Indep. School District	.55	.58	.42	.30	GREEN
Hazleton	Hazleton Area School District	.36	.34	.51	.41	GREEN	Odessa	Ector County Indep. School District	.16	.20	.31	.8	YELLOW
Lancaster	Lancaster School District	.19	.12	.79	.25	YELLOW	Pearland	Pearland Indep. School District	.78	.80	.42	.76	BLUE
Landisville	Hempfield School District	.84	.81	.73	.75	GOLD	Plano	Plano Indep. School District	.90	.87	.74	.91	GOLD
Lansdale	North Penn School District	.92	.88	.83	.89	GOLD	Richardson	Richardson Indep. School District	.74	.71	.66	.75	BLUE
Levittown	Bristol Township School District	.32	.22	.93	.48	GREEN	Round Rock	Round Rock Indep. School District	.87	.86	.58	.88	GOLD
Lewistown	Mifflin County School District	.52	.49	.64	.32	GREEN	San Angelo	San Angelo Indep. School District	.35	.39	.24	.35	GREEN
Mechanicsburg	Cumberland Valley School District	.92	.91	.71	.88	GOLD	San Antonio	Alamo Heights Indep. School District	.95	.95	.71	.88	GOLD
New Cumberland	West Shore School District	.67	.62	.70	.78	BLUE	San Antonio	North East Indep. School District	.63	.60	.61	.62	GREEN
Perkasie	Pennridge School District	.86	.81	.79	.78	GOLD	San Marcos	San Marcos Cons Indep. School District	.36	.36	.45	.38	GREEN
Philadelphia	Philadelphia City School District	.24	.18	.75	.38	YELLOW	Sugar Land	Fort Bend Indep. School District	.72	.76	.26	.82	BLUE
Pittsburgh	North Allegheny School District	.97	.96	.94	.92	GOLD	Tyler	Tyler Indep. School District	.69	.71	.47	.33	BLUE
Pittsburgh	Pittsburgh School District	.22	.11	.98	.41	YELLOW	Waco	Waco Indep. School District	.13	.14	.42	.14	YELLOW
Reading	Reading School District	.2	.4	.34	.3	RED	Wichita Falls	Wichita Falls Indep. School District	.74	.76	.50	.32	BLUE
Richboro	Council Rock School District	.97	.96	.92	.97	GOLD	<b>UTAH</b>						
Scranton	Scranton School District	.46	.39	.86	.31	GREEN	American Fork	Alpine School District	.58	.66	.1	.69	GREEN
State College	State College Area School District	.96	.95	.89	.77	GOLD	Ogden	Weber School District	.45	.53	.1	.56	GREEN
West Chester	West Chester Area School District	.94	.91	.87	.90	GOLD	Provo	Provo School District	.59	.67	.1	.61	GREEN
Wilkes Barre	Wilkes-Barre Area School District	.55	.49	.86	.42	GREEN	Salt Lake City	Granite School District	.60	.69	.1	.39	GREEN
Williamsport	Williamsport Area School District	.26	.17	.92	.31	YELLOW	Sandy	Jordan School District	.57	.65	.1	.67	GREEN
York	York City School District	.9	.2	.82	.21	RED	St George	Washington School District	.63	.74	.1	.31	GREEN
<b>RHODE ISLAND</b>							<b>VERMONT</b>						
Coventry	Coventry School District	.68	.60	.89	.66	BLUE	Burlington	Burlington School District	.79	.76	.68	.65	BLUE
Cranston	Cranston School District	.71	.64	.86	.60	BLUE	<b>VIRGINIA</b>						
Providence	Providence School District	.8	.1	.80	.17	RED	Alexandria	Alexandria City Public Schools	.31	.19	.97	.80	GREEN
Warwick	Warwick School District	.52	.42	.92	.72	GREEN	Arlington	Arlington County Public Schools	.85	.76	.99	.93	GOLD
<b>SOUTH CAROLINA</b>							Ashland	Hanover County Public Schools	.83	.80	.67	.76	GOLD
Aiken	Aiken County School District	.17	.19	.26	.48	YELLOW	Charlottesville	Albemarle County Public Schools	.88	.83	.88	.77	GOLD
Anderson	Anderson County School District 05	.38	.38	.44	.30	GREEN	Chesapeake	Chesapeake City Public Schools	.69	.65	.75	.61	BLUE
Charleston	Charleston County School District	.12	.7	.58	.61	YELLOW	Chesterfield	Chesterfield County Public Schools	.75	.72	.68	.77	BLUE
Columbia	Richland County School District 02	.31	.28	.48	.78	GREEN	Danville	Danville City Public Schools	.42	.38	.76	.11	GREEN
Florence	Florence County School District 01	.10	.14	.18	.31	RED	Fairfax	Fairfax County Public Schools	.88	.81	.96	.92	GOLD
Greenville	Greenville County School District	.13	.15	.24	.54	YELLOW	Hampton	Hampton City Public Schools	.50	.45	.73	.44	GREEN
Lancaster	Lancaster County School District	.23	.27	.25	.16	YELLOW	Harrisonburg	Rockingham County Public Schools	.84	.83	.76	.46	GOLD
Lexington	Lexington County School District 01	.56	.56	.48	.68	GREEN	Leesburg	Loudoun County Public Schools	.93	.87	.95	.93	GOLD
Rock Hill	York County School District 03	.12	.14	.29	.47	YELLOW	Manassas	Prince William County Public Schools	.71	.64	.82	.79	BLUE
Spartanburg	Spartanburg County School District 06	.45	.47	.32	.47	GREEN	Norfolk	Norfolk City Public Schools	.56	.51	.83	.23	GREEN
Walhalla	Oconee County School District	.37	.32	.70	.36	GREEN	Portsmouth	Portsmouth City Public Schools	.32	.29	.70	.15	GREEN
<b>SOUTH DAKOTA</b>							Richmond	Richmond City Public Schools	.28	.20	.90	.26	GREEN
Rapid City	Rapid City Area School District 51-4	.66	.75	.3	.44	GREEN	Roanoke	Roanoke County Public Schools	.92	.91	.78	.74	GOLD
Sioux Falls	Sioux Falls School District 49-5	.60	.68	.5	.67	GREEN	Spotsylvania	Spotsylvania County Public Schools	.75	.70	.76	.65	BLUE
<b>TENNESSEE</b>							Stafford	Stafford County Public Schools	.82	.79	.69	.81	BLUE
Ashland City	Cheatham County School District	.23	.29	.8	.44	YELLOW	Virginia Beach	Virginia Beach City Public Schools	.61	.54	.76	.71	GREEN
Blountville	Sullivan County School District	.27	.28	.36	.39	GREEN	Warrenton	Fauquier County Public Schools	.90	.87	.85	.75	GOLD
Chattanooga	Hamilton County School District	.19	.18	.47	.32	YELLOW	Williamsburg	Williamsburg-James City County Public Schools	.90	.85	.90	.81	GOLD
Clarksville	Montgomery County Schools	.15	.20	.11	.32	YELLOW	Winchester	Frederick County Public Schools	.84	.81	.80	.58	GOLD
Dickson	Dickson County School District	.14	.19	.14	.27	YELLOW	<b>WASHINGTON</b>						
Franklin	Williamson County School District	.81	.86	.22	.89	BLUE	Bellevue	Bellevue School District 405	.87	.89	.39	.91	GOLD
Gallatin	Sumner County School District	.45	.51	.17	.47	GREEN	Bellingham	Bellingham School District 501	.89	.97	.32	.59	GOLD
Jackson	Jackson-Madison Consolidated	.23	.22	.45	.49	YELLOW	Everett	Everett School District 2	.47	.49	.31	.58	GREEN
Johnson City	Johnson City School District	.55	.57	.40	.43	GREEN	Kennewick	Kennewick School District 17	.53	.57	.32	.39	GREEN
Jonesborough	Washington County School District	.17	.23	.7	.38	YELLOW	Kent	Kent School District 415	.69	.75	.19	.64	BLUE
Knoxville	Knox County School District	.43	.45	.31	.47	GREEN	Olympia	Olympia School District 111	.79	.82	.34	.77	BLUE
Lebanon	Wilson County School District	.35	.41	.8	.62	GREEN	Pasco	Pasco School District 001	.51	.56	.33	.15	GREEN
Maryville	Blount County School District	.44	.50	.11	.48	GREEN	Puyallup	Puyallup School District 3	.38	.41	.21	.62	GREEN
Memphis	Shelby County School District	.44	.49	.13	.67	GREEN	Redmond	Lake Washington School District 414	.87	.93	.21	.91	GOLD
Memphis	Memphis City School District	.4	.2	.49	.24	RED	Richland	Richland School District 400	.89	.96	.24	.76	GOLD
Murfreesboro	Rutherford County School District	.52	.58	.10	.58	GREEN	Seattle	Seattle School District 1	.67	.65	.54	.82	BLUE
Nashville	Nashville-Davidson County School District	.29	.23	.68	.59	GREEN	Shoreline	Shoreline School District 412	.78	.80	.39	.82	BLUE
Oak Ridge	Oak Ridge City School District	.83	.84	.54	.65	GOLD	Spokane	Spokane School District 81	.63	.64	.49	.37	GREEN
Sevierville	Sevier County School District	.39	.44	.22	.29	GREEN	Tacoma	Tacoma School District 10	.27	.26	.48	.40	GREEN
<b>TEXAS</b>							Vancouver	Vancouver School District 37	.57	.60	.34	.34	GREEN
Abilene	Abilene Indep. School District	.57	.57	.57	.27	GREEN	Yakima	Yakima School District 7	.24	.25	.44	.10	YELLOW
Alief	Alief Indep. School District	.19	.16	.53	.40	YELLOW	<b>WEST VIRGINIA</b>						
Amarillo	Amarillo Indep. School District	.71	.75	.38	.22	BLUE	Beckley	Raleigh County School District	.29	.29	.52	.14	GREEN
Arlington	Arlington Indep. School District	.69	.73	.35	.54	BLUE	Charleston	Kanawha County School District	.41	.40	.48	.46	GREEN
Austin	Eanes Indep. School District	.97	.97	.79	.98	GOLD	Huntington	Cabell County School District	.59	.60	.53	.29	GREEN
Austin	Austin Indep. School District	.63	.60	.57	.72	GREEN	Martinsburg	Berkeley County School District	.38	.39	.40	.36	GREEN
Beaumont	Beaumont Indep. School District	.28	.26	.55	.40	GREEN	Morgantown	Monongalia School District	.53	.53	.48	.53	GREEN
BBrownsville	Brownsville Indep. School District	.23	.23	.53	.3	YELLOW	Parkersburg	Wood County School District	.50	.53	.42	.26	GREEN
Bryan	Bryan Indep. School District	.67	.71	.42	.22	BLUE	Wheeling	Ohio County School District	.53	.52	.56	.46	GREEN
Carrollton	Carrollton-Farmers Branch	.73	.71	.58	.75	BLUE	Winfield	Putnam County School District	.76	.78	.46	.60	BLUE
College Station	College Station Indep. School District	.93	.97	.58	.63	GOLD	<b>WISCONSIN</b>						
Conroe	Conroe Indep. School District	.82	.83	.56	.63	BLUE	Appleton	Appleton Area	.83	.79	.77	.81	GOLD
Corpus Christi	Corpus Christi Indep. School District	.40	.42	.38	.24	GREEN	Chippewa Falls	Chippewa Falls Area	.74	.72	.68	.54	BLUE
Dallas	Highland Park Indep. School District	.94	.97	.48	.97	GOLD	Eau Claire	Eau Claire Area	.95	.94	.83	.73	GOLD
Dallas	Dallas Indep. School District	.20	.15	.67	.32	YELLOW	Fond Du Lac	Fond Du Lac	.79	.74	.79	.62	BLUE
Denton	Denton Indep. School District	.72	.67	.78	.64	BLUE	Green Bay	Green Bay Area	.71	.66	.80	.61	BLUE
Eagle Pass	Eagle Pass Indep. School District	.6	.12	.19	.1	RED	Janesville	Janesville	.54	.48	.79	.61	GREEN
Edinburg	Edinburg CISD	.32	.32	.55	.3	GREEN	Kenosha	Kenosha	.73	.69	.78	.53	BLUE
El Paso	El Paso Indep. School District	.28	.27	.56	.24	GREEN	La Crosse	La Crosse	.69	.62	.87	.62	BLUE
Fort Worth	Fort Worth Indep. School District	.29	.30	.41	.33	GREEN	Madison	Madison Metropolitan	.85	.79	.89	.64	GOLD
Galveston	Galveston Indep. School District	.57	.54	.66	.43	GREEN	Milwaukee	Milwaukee	.7	.3	.64	.21	RED
Garland	Garland Indep. School District	.50	.52	.33	.52	GREEN	Neenah	Neenah	.90	.90	.62	.78	GOLD
Houston	Spring Branch Indep. School District	.82	.81	.63	.63	BLUE	Oshkosh	Oshkosh Area	.79	.76	.71	.69	BLUE
Houston	Cypress-Fairbanks Indep. School District	.72	.71	.51	.77	BLUE	Racine	Racine	.39	.35	.68	.39	GREEN
Houston	Houston Indep. School District	.27	.27	.35	.49	GREEN	Sheboygan	Sheboygan Area	.91	.89	.86	.50	GOLD
Humble	Humble Indep. School District	.71	.70	.54	.69	BLUE	<b>WYOMING</b>						
Irving	Irving Indep. School District	.44	.40	.66	.43	GREEN	Casper	Natrona County School District #1	.39	.36	.59	.39	GREEN
Katy	Katy Indep. School District	.94	.94	.73	.81	GOLD	Cheyenne	Laramie County School District #1	.68	.69	.53	.45	BLUE
Keller	Keller Indep. School District	.77	.81	.22	.85	BLUE							
Kilgore	Kilgore Indep. School District	.81	.84	.58	.21	BLUE							
Killeen	Killeen Indep. School District	.36	.33	.69	.27	GREEN							