

Table 217. Federal Funds for Education and Related Programs: 2005 to 2008

[In millions of dollars (146,207.0 represents \$146,207,000,000), except percent. For fiscal years ending in September. Figures represent on-budget funds]

| Level, agency, and program | 2005 | 2007 | 2008 ¹ | Level, agency, and program | 2005 | 2007 | 2008 ¹ |
|---|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|---|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| Total, all programs | 146,207.0 | 147,527.7 | (NA) | Department of Health and Human Services ² | 1,433.5 | 1,159.3 | 1,176.0 |
| Percent of federal budget outlays | 5.9 | 5.4 | (NA) | Health professions training programs | 581.7 | 302.1 | 318.2 |
| Elementary/secondary education programs | 68,957.7 | 70,604.2 | 72,839.2 | National Health Service Corps scholarships | 45.0 | 40.0 | 40.0 |
| Department of Education ² | 37,477.6 | 37,562.1 | 38,900.3 | National Institutes of Health training grants ⁸ | 756.0 | 761.0 | 756.0 |
| Grants for the disadvantaged | 14,635.6 | 14,486.9 | 15,036.3 | Department of Homeland Security ⁵ | 36.4 | 48.9 | 52.1 |
| School improvement programs | 7,918.1 | 7,083.7 | 7,447.9 | Department of the Interior | 249.2 | 176.7 | 187.0 |
| Indian education | 121.9 | 118.0 | 116.7 | Shared revenues, Mineral Leasing Act and other receipts—estimated education share | 146.2 | 52.4 | 59.2 |
| Special education | 10,940.3 | 11,777.3 | 11,771.7 | Indian programs | 103.0 | 124.3 | 127.8 |
| Vocational and adult education | 1,967.1 | 1,955.8 | 2,125.6 | Department of State | 424.0 | 473.0 | 498.0 |
| Education reform—Goals 2000 | -35.0 | (X) | (X) | Department of Transportation ² | 73.0 | 74.0 | 76.0 |
| Department of Agriculture ² | 12,577.3 | 14,246.0 | 15,207.9 | Department of Veterans Affairs ² | 2,478.6 | 2,955.8 | 3,061.2 |
| Child nutrition programs | ³ 11,901.9 | ³ 13,082.0 | ³ 14,401.9 | Post-Vietnam veterans | 1.1 | 0.9 | 0.8 |
| Agricultural Marketing Service—commodities ³ | 399.3 | 878.0 | 542.0 | All-volunteer-force educational assistance | 2,071.0 | 2,227.5 | 2,321.5 |
| Department of Defense ² | 1,786.3 | 1,772.3 | 1,817.0 | Other agencies and programs ² | 552.2 | 614.4 | 638.1 |
| Overseas dependents schools | 1,060.9 | 1,062.4 | 1,031.4 | National Endowment for the Humanities | 29.3 | 40.4 | 41.0 |
| Section VI schools ⁴ | 410.2 | 385.0 | 432.7 | National Science Foundation | 490.0 | 527.0 | 535.0 |
| Department of Health and Human Services | 8,003.3 | 7,901.7 | 7,922.7 | Other education programs | 6,908.5 | 7,214.9 | 7,877.8 |
| Head Start | 6,842.3 | 6,888.0 | 6,878.0 | Department of Education ² | 3,538.9 | 3,756.4 | 4,222.9 |
| Social security student benefits | 1,161.0 | 1,013.7 | 1,044.7 | Administration | 548.8 | 539.4 | 565.4 |
| Department of Homeland Security ⁵ | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.6 | Rehabilitative services and handicapped research | 2,973.3 | 3,177.0 | 3,603.6 |
| Department of the Interior ² | 938.5 | 728.1 | 763.7 | Department of Agriculture | 468.6 | 515.0 | 516.3 |
| Mineral Leasing Act and other funds | 140.0 | 123.1 | 128.1 | Department of Health and Human Services | 313.0 | 307.0 | 329.0 |
| Indian Education | 797.5 | 604.0 | 634.7 | Department of Homeland Security ⁵ | 278.2 | 307.1 | 354.1 |
| Department of Justice | 554.5 | 719.6 | 730.0 | Department of Justice | 26.1 | 28.1 | 29.5 |
| Inmate programs | 554.5 | 713.6 | 724.0 | Department of State | 109.3 | 114.1 | 115.0 |
| Department of Labor | 5,654.0 | 5,226.0 | 5,018.0 | Other agencies and programs ² | 2,174.3 | 2,187.0 | 2,310.7 |
| Job Corps | 1,521.0 | 1,605.0 | 1,490.0 | Agency for International Development | 574.0 | 629.2 | 640.0 |
| Department of Veterans Affairs | 1,815.0 | 2,300.6 | 2,330.0 | Library of Congress | 430.0 | 463.0 | 360.0 |
| Vocational rehab for disabled veterans | 1,815.0 | 2,300.6 | 2,330.0 | National Endowment for the Arts | 2.5 | 2.9 | 3.2 |
| Other agencies and programs | 153.2 | 147.4 | 149.0 | National Endowment for the Humanities | 88.0 | 80.6 | 81.0 |
| Higher education programs | 38,587.3 | 37,465.3 | 37,968.6 | Research programs at universities and related institutions ² | 31,753.5 | 32,243.3 | (NA) |
| Department of Education ² | 31,420.0 | 30,052.0 | 30,267.1 | Department of Agriculture | 709.7 | 584.3 | (NA) |
| Student financial assistance | 15,209.5 | 15,355.7 | 17,474.4 | Department of Defense | 2,675.9 | 2,447.6 | (NA) |
| Federal Family Education Loans ⁶ | 10,777.5 | 6,033.3 | 3,941.5 | Department of Energy | 4,339.9 | 4,649.5 | (NA) |
| Department of Agriculture | 62.0 | 64.4 | 66.7 | Department of Health and Human Services | 16,358.0 | 16,337.0 | (NA) |
| Department of Commerce | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | National Aeronautics and Space Administration | 2,763.1 | 3,033.5 | (NA) |
| Department of Defense | 1,858.3 | 1,846.9 | 1,946.4 | National Science Foundation | 3,503.2 | 3,841.5 | (NA) |
| Tuition assistance for military personnel | 608.1 | 607.5 | 603.6 | | | | |
| Service academies ⁷ | 300.8 | 354.5 | 330.2 | | | | |
| Senior ROTC | 537.5 | 434.7 | 549.6 | | | | |
| Professional development education | 411.9 | 450.1 | 463.0 | | | | |

NA Not available. X Not applicable. ¹ Estimated except U.S. Department of Education, which are actual budget reports. ² Includes other programs and agencies, not shown separately. ³ Purchased under Section 32 of the Act of August 1935 for use in child nutrition programs. ⁴ Program provides for the education of dependents of federal employees residing on federal property where free public education is unavailable in the nearby community. ⁵ The U.S. Department of Homeland Security was created on January 24, 2003, under public law (107-296). ⁶ Includes Federal Direct Loans. ⁷ Instructional costs only including academics, audiovisual, academic computer center, faculty training, military training, physical education, and libraries. ⁸ Includes alcohol, drug abuse, and mental health training programs.