

## **NEBRASKA**

## **State Summary**

## How Federal Dollars Support Students and Educators in Regular Public Schools Across the State

## \$1,675 federal dollars per student attending public schools

**10% federal share** of all dollars supporting public schools

\$547.8 million total federal dollars for K-12 resources and staffing in public schools

**8,601** school staff supported with federal dollars in public schools, such as classroom teachers, paraeducators, counselors, nurses, librarians, and specialized staff for students with disabilities

**12% rise in local and state taxes required to replace federal education dollars** supporting public schools

**\$93.4 million in Title I Grants** to raise the academic achievement of all students, especially those

from lower-income families

**\$93.8 million in Special Education Grants** to ensure students with disabilities have the resources and specialized staff they need

\$220.4 million for School Meals to meet the basic needs of students so they are ready to learn

**\$4.3 million for Career-Connected Learning** to help students learn about career pathways, attain credentials needed for careers, participate in work-based learning opportunities, and transition to postsecondary education and jobs

**\$9.9 million for Improving Instruction** to improve teaching, assist in recruiting and retaining educators to address educator shortages, and to reduce class sizes for more one-on-one attention

**\$4.2 million for Afterschool Programs** to provide extended learning opportunities, tutoring, and activities to keep students engaged in school

**\$4.2 million for Multilingual Education** to help English learners achieve proficiency, and provide all students with opportunities to be multilingual

**\$6.3 million for Student Support & Academic Enrichment** to provide students with access to a well-rounded education, safe and healthy learning environments, and technology

**\$4.2 million for Rural Schools** to address the unique challenges of rural schools and ensure students have the same opportunity

**\$23.2 million for Impact Aid Grants** to compensate schools for the cost of educating students residing on federal lands exempt from taxation

**\$1.5 million for Indian, Native Hawaiian, and Alaska Native Education** to help meet these students' unique cultural, language, and educational needs

Data sources: 2022 Census of Governments: Finance - Survey of School System Finances; U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, Common Core of Data (CCD), "Local Education Agency (School District) Universe Survey", 2020-21 v.1a, 2021-22 v.1a.