

Legislative Services Agency: FY 2014 School Aid Weightings

Weighting Category	Estimated FY 2014 School Finance Amounts				# of Districts
	Weight	State Aid**	Property Tax	Total	
Special Ed. 1	24,739.20	\$ 132,874,243	\$ 19,168,112	\$ 152,042,355	346
Special Ed. 2	18,101.65	97,223,962	14,005,493	111,229,455	345
Special Ed. 3	20,510.27	110,160,660	15,906,362	126,067,022	341
Total Special Ed.	63,351.12	340,258,865	49,079,967	389,338,832	346
Shared Students	48.00	257,803	38,469	296,272	69
Shared Teachers	308.07	1,654,617	242,725	1,897,342	69
Community College (CC) Courses* <i>CC Arts and Sciences</i> <i>CC Career and Tech</i>	2,875.32	15,443,328	2,224,068	17,667,396	345
Whole Grade Sharing	289.30	1,553,830	224,363	1,778,194	10
Regional Academy	14.00	75,194	11,452	86,646	1
ICN	2.81	15,076	2,190	17,267	74
Operational Functions	1,421.83	7,636,649	1,113,923	8,750,572	129
Supplementary Shared Wght. Total	4,959.57	26,637,850	3,857,393	30,495,243	346
At-Risk	2,340.680	12,571,814	1,812,799	14,384,613	346
ESL	3,391.96	18,218,217	2,638,441	20,856,658	203
Reorganization	177.70	954,427	142,749	1,097,176	11
Total Supplementary Weight	10,869.91	58,382,308	8,451,382	66,833,691	346
AEA Sharing	539.84	\$ 114,446	\$ 36,212	\$ 150,659	1
Total Weighting	74,760.87	\$ 398,755,619	\$ 57,567,562	\$ 456,323,181	346

Special Ed. 1 Weighting of 0.72.

Special Ed. 2 Weighting of 1.21.

Special Ed. 3 Weighting of 2.74.

Shared Students Weighting of 0.48.

Shared Teachers Weighting of 0.48.

Community College Courses* Weighting of 0.46 for liberal arts and science courses and 0.70 for career tech courses.

Whole Grade Sharing Weighting of 0.10 per student for eligible districts.

Regional Academy Weighting of 0.10 per student - total weighting for a district cannot be less than 10.0 or more than 15.0.

ICN Weighting of 0.05.

Operational Functions Weighting of 0.02 per pupil based on an operational sharing function.

At-Risk Calculated by formula.

ESL Weighting of 0.22.

Reorganization Eligible districts that reorganized receive Whole Grade Sharing weighting received in year prior to reorganization for three years.

AEA Sharing Weighting based on formula for eligible AEAs.

Notes:

**State aid and property tax amounts are based on LSA calculations and include funding for additional property tax relief to cover the increase in the FY 2014 State cost per pupil due to the allowable growth rate (\$15 per pupil).

In general, weightings are based on the portion of time the student attends the specific program.

Funding amounts are based on individual calculations and may not match the Department of Management's Aid and Levy worksheet totals.

Totals and subtotals may not sum due to rounding.

AEA = Area Education Agency

LSA = Legislative Services Agency

ESL = English-as-a-Second Language

ICN = Iowa Communications Network

Sources:

Iowa Department of Management, School Aid file.

Iowa Department of Education, Certified Enrollment file.

LSA calculations.

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