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Current Funding Eliminated		Current Funding Eliminated		Current Funding Eliminated			Current Funding Loss	
State Local Educational Agency		Local Educational Agency		Institution of Higher Education	Students Losing Aid	Institution of Higher Education	Students Losing Aid	
Alabama	\$32,666,681		\$18,305,929		\$13,332,722		\$8,416,386	4,796
Alaska	9,722,812		5,839,198		700,160		400,368	233
Arizona	32,532,956		25,351,819		16,204,069		8,031,802	4,422
Arkansas	19,792,017		11,886,976		5,178,529		3,806,166	2,224
California	227,942,640		136,586,398		86,888,032		54,933,481	31,309
Fresno Unified	5,171,914	Riverside Unified	1,424,800	California State University, Los Angeles	949,174	San Jose State University	637,290	377
Oakland Unified	3,527,126	San Bernardino City Unified	1,059,400	San Diego State University	765,727	University of California, Berkeley	1,525,121	903
Colorado	22,886,264		11,633,559		11,568,034		7,250,287	4,114
Connecticut	19,231,209		9,563,948		9,746,368		6,052,768	3,375
Delaware	9,722,812		5,839,198		1,673,482		897,446	501
District of Columbia	9,722,812		5,839,198		3,627,547		4,735,136	2,818
Florida	93,359,240		63,475,549		37,668,379		22,685,932	13,161
Broward	8,193,375	Brevard	2,640,000	Hillsborough Community College	653,558	Florida State University	1,036,831	614
Dade	17,660,449	Orange	2,032,620	University of South Florida	980,868	University of Florida	1,328,526	786
Georgia	54,625,508		40,344,471		18,629,248		12,259,735	7,202
Hawaii	9,722,812		5,839,198		1,714,862		1,151,584	673
Idaho	9,722,812		5,839,198		2,257,828		1,281,980	750
Illinois	83,350,980		51,796,408		33,551,066		23,913,146	14,053
Decatur SD 61	820,536	Aurora East USD 131	1,080,000	Eastern Illinois University	235,754	Northern Illinois University	396,913	235
Peoria SD 150	1,221,993	Rockford School District	1,620,000	Illinois State University	534,666	University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign	904,429	535
Indiana	35,031,801		19,766,739		22,170,849		12,149,070	6,939
Iowa	15,970,124		7,338,882		12,290,488		6,162,756	3,547
Cedar Rapids	604,623	Council Bluffs	1,125,000	Des Moines Area Community College	316,433	Iowa State University	512,215	303
Iowa City	307,953	Davenport	450,000	University of Northern Iowa	325,317	University of Iowa	670,222	396
Kansas	16,320,356		8,549,493		6,392,247		4,378,546	2,508
Shawnee Mission	708,438	Abilene	78,000	Emporia State University	199,365	Kansas State University	393,743	233
Wichita	2,423,999	Manhattan-Ogden	150,000	Fort Hays State University	225,000	University of Kansas	706,392	418
Kentucky	32,078,209		16,467,338		9,158,585		7,643,169	4,372
Bowling Green Independent Schools	197,674	Corbin Independent Schools	523,500	Bluegrass Community & Technical College	414,177	Morehead State University	481,574	285
Jefferson County Schools	4,425,620	McCracken County Schools	818,500	Murray State University	320,522	University of Kentucky	640,737	379
Louisiana	46,286,398		22,396,795		7,683,204		7,088,829	4,114
Maine	9,722,812		5,839,198		6,879,767		4,094,821	2,430
Maryland	29,717,852		17,197,449		9,936,245		7,465,621	4,398
Massachusetts	37,197,927		17,908,137		28,377,171		21,662,730	12,871
Fall River	851,131	Brockton	676,600	Bunker Hill Community College	555,496	Salem State University	323,891	192
Lowell	1,178,371	Salem	564,300	Fitchburg State University	177,064	University of Massachusetts - Boston	868,433	514
Michigan	80,761,580		36,276,205		23,855,065		14,380,816	8,475
Minnesota	27,842,465		12,778,241		18,324,034		11,381,596	6,028
Mississippi	30,286,284		13,657,800		8,275,178		5,823,615	3,412
Missouri	35,323,840		18,366,313		12,048,538		9,525,210	5,481
Montana	9,722,812		5,839,198		1,579,440		1,566,848	914
Nebraska	9,960,179		5,839,198		3,298,758		2,603,243	1,752
Fremont	144,559	Beatrice	339,500	Southeast Community College	285,881	Metropolitan Community College	239,375	142
Lincoln	1,067,295	Crete	153,000	University of Nebraska - Omaha	326,676	University of Nebraska	484,051	286

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Nevada	10,594,327		9,381,992	2,421,041	4,110	1,586,667	947	
New Hampshire	9,722,812		5,839,198	4,780,126	7,697	3,008,311	1,781	
New Jersey	46,808,594		26,643,499	15,097,590	25,826	10,289,215	6,009	
New Mexico	16,133,731		8,586,879	3,978,067	6,403	3,433,946	2,024	
New York	166,395,104		88,465,446	50,171,132	85,174	41,286,282	24,937	
Buffalo	4,629,999	Geneva City	1,169,822	Hudson Valley Community College	180,779	CUNY City University of New York - Central	4,640,799	2,747
Utica	859,733	Rochester City	1,200,000	Monroe Community College	334,477	State University of New York at Stony Brook	549,925	325
North Carolina	45,500,481		33,213,126	18,702,497	29,662	12,411,958	7,259	
North Dakota	9,722,812		5,839,198	2,732,489	4,339	1,537,350	898	
Ohio	76,427,121		44,356,299	24,998,771	40,876	17,187,754	10,123	
Oklahoma	23,617,000		12,386,769	6,746,686	11,368	4,922,881	2,916	
Oregon	19,861,388		11,238,310	9,979,627	16,535	6,406,152	3,964	
Eugene	609,874	Klamath Falls City	449,156	Oregon State University	1,019,426	Portland State University	624,408	369
Portland	2,592,952	North Clackamas	449,534	Western Oregon University	212,170	University of Oregon	783,079	463
Pennsylvania	83,215,007		44,516,000	35,284,720	59,404	24,487,115	14,537	
Erie City	1,192,713	Allentown	399,000	Harrisburg Area Community College	506,879	Community College of Philadelphia	374,175	221
Scranton	637,091	Lancaster	400,000	Indiana University of Pennsylvania	736,991	Pennsylvania State University	1,852,705	1,096
Rhode Island	9,722,812		5,839,198	5,498,602	8,710	3,515,911	2,062	
South Carolina	25,893,908		18,713,849	9,671,213	15,822	6,241,791	3,732	
South Dakota	9,722,812		5,839,198	3,354,366	5,321	1,936,382	1,131	
Tennessee	35,119,325		23,524,586	11,475,423	19,107	8,410,104	4,981	
Texas	169,084,603		106,731,948	40,695,129	68,680	25,827,905	15,333	
El Paso ISD	6,476,936	Austin ISD	1,800,000	Houston Community College	1,314,469	Texas State University	557,099	330
San Antonio ISD	5,106,893	Corpus Christi ISD	1,673,699	Stephen F Austin State University	303,376	University of Texas at Austin	829,733	491
Utah	13,503,832		6,859,601	5,893,083	10,712	2,497,752	1,541	
Vermont	9,722,812		5,839,198	5,334,126	8,632	2,718,788	1,595	
Virginia	36,715,691		20,507,430	15,376,623	25,856	11,723,885	6,972	
Norfolk	2,073,002	Hampton City	747,578	Northern Virginia Community College	874,848	Tidewater Community College	346,500	205
Roanoke City	798,155	Lynchburg City	600,000	Virginia Commonwealth University	621,951	University of Virginia	787,799	466
Washington	33,504,996		17,667,752	13,734,649	22,692	8,138,728	4,853	
West Virginia	17,344,521		6,814,866	3,761,161	6,800	2,794,640	1,715	
Wisconsin	33,508,549		16,816,167	17,183,285	27,936	8,749,432	5,326	
Wyoming	9,722,812		5,839,198	652,063	1,317	407,497	245	
Puerto Rico	62,306,098		30,017,800	12,191,963	19,715	8,052,467	4,708	
Outlying Areas	10,227,754		3,685,990	405,673	639	412,000	240	
Bureau of Indian Education	10,227,754		8,230,740	-	-	-	-	
Other	10,279,150		11,916,730	-	-	-	-	
Undistributed	-		-	-	-	-	-	
National	\$2,055,830,000		\$1,191,673,000	\$733,130,000	1,206,171	\$489,728,000	579,190	

Sources: U.S. Department of Education Budget Service and Office of Federal Student Aid, Information for Financial Aid Professionals (IFAP). Estimates by school district are from State departments of education and reflect current funding amounts. Estimates by institution of higher education are from IFAP's Notification of Campus-Based Funding for the 2016-2017 Award Year.

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