COMMUNITY ELIGIBILITY SUPPORTS CHILDREN'S HEALTH AND LEARNI

In MASSACHUSETTS, approximately 189,000 children live in food-insecure households, jeopardizing their health and well-being.¹

School meal programs combat food insecurity by providing millions of children with the nutrition they need to learn and thrive. The Community Eligibility Provision (CEP) is an option within the school meal programs that increases students' access to nutritious food by allowing schools and school districts serving large numbers of children from families with low incomes to offer meals at no charge to all students.

How CEP Schools Are Reimbursed

Rather than relying on school meal applications to determine a school's federal reimbursements, CEP schools are reimbursed based on the share of students who are automatically eligible for free school meals without an application because they meet specific criteria, such as being in foster care or participating in certain federal means-tested programs, including SNAP. Schools can adopt CEP if at least 25 percent of students meet these criteria. The more students who are automatically eligible for free school meals, the more federal reimbursement CEP schools receive.

THE SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION **ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (SNAP) CUTS**

recently enacted in H.R. 1 will exacerbate food insecurity and have ripple effects for the school meal programs, including threatening schools' ability to implement CEP.

As children lose access to SNAP, their automatic eligibility for free school meals is severed and federal reimbursement for meals served in CEP schools decreases. jeopardizing the program's financial viability.

CEP Is a Win for Students, Families, and Schools

CEP provides all students access to the balanced school breakfasts and lunches they need to be well-nourished and ready to learn, while reducing the stigma often present in school cafeterias when schools have to track students' eligibility for free, reduced-price, and paid meals.

When students have access to free meals at school, families have lower grocery bills and more money in their household budgets to help make ends meet.

CEP makes school meal operations more efficient and effective for schools and districts. CEP eliminates the administrative burden associated with school meal applications, strengthens program integrity, and supports school nutrition finances by eliminating school meal debt and increasing participation in school breakfast and lunch programs, which allows for economies of scale.

In the 2024–2025 school year, 74 percent of eligible schools nationwide adopted CEP. These 54,000 schools reached more than 27 million students around the country.



In the 2024–2025 school year:

in MASSACHUSETTS adopted CEP. An additional 32 schools were eligible to adopt CEP but did not participate.

In MASSACHUSETTS, during the 2024–2025 school year:



630,263

children ate a school lunch and 315.196 children ate a school breakfast on an average school day.2



school districts adopted CEP for some or all schools. An additional 10 school districts had schools that were eligible to adopt CEP but did not participate.



children attended schools that adopted CEP.

By repealing SNAP cuts and investing in CEP, policymakers can reduce barriers that keep eligible children from receiving free school meals and help families afford to put food on the table.





Analysis of 2022–2023 Current Population Survey Food Security Supplement, rounded to the nearest 1,000. The data for this analysis was pooled across multiple years to ensure adequate sample sizes for every state. As a result, cross-state comparisons using multiple fact sheets may cover different time periods.

² Average daily participation data for school breakfast and lunch are reflective of April 2025. U.S. Department of Agriculture Food and Nutrition Service. (2025). State-level table current activity. Accessed September 24, 2025. https://www.fns.usda.gov/pd/child-nutrition-tables

School District	Number of CEP-Eligible Schools	Number of CEP-Participating Schools	Students Enrolled in CEP-Participating Schools		
Congressional District #1					
AGAWAM PUBLIC SCHOOLS	7	7	3,358		
BELCHERTOWN SCHOOL COMMITTEE	2	2	959		
BRIMFIELD ELEMENTARY	1	1	268		
BROOKFIELD SCHOOL COMMITTEE	1	1	263		
CHICOPEE PUBLIC SCHOOLS	15	15	6,883		
CLARKSBURG SCHOOL COMMITTEE	1	1	210		
EAST LONGMEADOW PUBLIC SCHOOLS	5	5	2,571		
EASTHAMPTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS	3	3	1,462		
FLORIDA SCHOOL COMMITTEE	1	1	86		
GRANBY SCHOOL COMMITTEE	2	2	697		
HOLLAND SCHOOL COMMITTEE	1	1	178		
HOLYOKE PUBLIC SCHOOLS	17	17	5,406		
LEE PUBLIC SCHOOLS	2	2	640		
LUDLOW PUBLIC SCHOOLS	5	5	2,496		
MONSON PUBLIC SCHOOLS	3	3	817		
NORTH ADAMS SCHOOL COMMITTEE	7	7	1,329		
NORTH BROOKFIELD	2	2	429		
OXFORD PUBLIC SCHOOLS	4	4	1,423		
PALMER PUBLIC SCHOOLS	2	2	1,078		
PITTSFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOLS	15	15	5,094		
ROWE SCHOOL COMMITTEE	1	1	59		
SOUTH HADLEY SCHOOL COMMITTEE	5	5	2,055		
SOUTHBRIDGE PUBLIC SCHOOLS	6	6	1,942		
SPRINGFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOLS	72	72	29,946		
STURBRIDGE SCHOOL DEPARTMENT	1	0			
WALES SCHOOL COMMITTEE	1	1	86		
WARE SCHOOL COMMITTEE	3	3	1,113		

School District	Number of CEP-Eligible Schools	Number of CEP-Participating Schools	Students Enrolled in CEP-Participating Schools
WEBSTER SCHOOL COMMITTEE	4	4	1,992
WEST SPRINGFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOLS	9	9	4,239
WESTFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOLS	12	12	4,697
WORTHINGTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS	1	1	82
	Congressional Dis	trict #2	
AMHERST SCHOOL COMMITTEE	3	3	1,014
ASHBURNHAM-WESTMINSTER	4	4	1,780
AUBURN PUBLIC SCHOOLS	5	5	2,507
DOUGLAS SCHOOL DEPARTMENT	3	1	300
EASTHAMPTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS	3	3	1,462
ERVING PUBLIC SCHOOLS	1	1	123
GRAFTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS	2	0	
GREENFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOLS	7	7	1,646
HADLEY SCHOOL DEPARTMENT	2	2	522
LEICESTER PUBLIC SCHOOLS	3	3	1,333
LEOMINSTER PUBLIC SCHOOLS	11	11	6,096
MILLBURY SCHOOL DEPARTMENT	3	3	1,714
NORTHAMPTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS	6	6	2,551
NORTHBRIDGE PUBLIC SCHOOLS	3	3	1,753
ORANGE SCHOOL COMMITTEE	1	1	512
PETERSHAM SCHOOL COMMITTEE	1	1	135
SHREWSBURY PUBLIC SCHOOLS	1	1	299
SUNDERLAND SCHOOL COMMITTEE	1	1	193
WARWICK SCHOOL DISTRICT	1	1	27
WEBSTER SCHOOL COMMITTEE	4	4	1,992
WEST BOYLSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS	2	2	861

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³ Food Research & Action Center. (2025). Community Eligibility Provision database for the 2024–2025 school year. https://frac.org/community-eligibility-database/. National Center for Education Statistics (NCES). Common core of data for the 2023–2024 school year. https://nces.ed.gov/crd/files.asp; and NCES. School district geographic relationship files for the 119th Congress. https://nces.ed.gov/programs/edge/geographic/relationshipfiles

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WESTBOROUGH SCHOOL DEPARTMENT	1	1	376
WESTHAMPTON SCHOOL DEPARTMENT	1	1	104
WHATELY SCHOOL COMMITTEE	1	1	127
WILLIAMSBURG SCHOOL DEPARTMENT	1	1	122
WORCESTER PUBLIC SCHOOLS	61	61	25,370
	Congressional Dis	trict #3	
ASHBURNHAM-WESTMINSTER	4	4	1,780
BILLERICA PUBLIC SCHOOLS	8	8	4,679
CLINTON SCHOOL DEPARTMENT	3	3	2,018
DRACUT PUBLIC SCHOOLS	6	6	3,573
FITCHBURG SCHOOL DEPARTMENT	10	10	5,306
GARDNER SCHOOL COMMITTEE	4	4	2,690
HAVERHILL PUBLIC SCHOOLS	16	16	8,408
HUDSON PUBLIC SCHOOLS	5	5	2,387
LAWRENCE PUBLIC SCHOOLS	24	24	13,903
LEOMINSTER PUBLIC SCHOOLS	11	11	6,096
LOWELL PUBLIC SCHOOLS	29	29	14,639
MARLBOROUGH SCHOOL DEPARTMENT	8	8	4,996
METHUEN PUBLIC SCHOOLS	7	7	6,944
NORTH ANDOVER PUBLIC SCHOOLS	2	2	585
TYNGSBOROUGH SCHOOL DEPARTMENT	1	1	764
WINCHENDON PUBLIC SCHOOLS	5	5	1,212
	Congressional Dis	trict #4	
ATTLEBORO PUBLIC SCHOOLS	10	10	5,833
BELLINGHAM PUBLIC SCHOOLS	5	5	1,925
BERKLEY SCHOOLS	3	3	833
FALL RIVER PUBLIC SCHOOLS	23	23	12,063

School District	Number of CEP-Eligible Schools	Number of CEP-Participating Schools	Students Enrolled in CEP-Participating Schools
FOXBOROUGH PUBLIC SCHOOLS	1	1	400
FRANKLIN SCHOOL COMMITTEE	3	3	988
MILFORD PUBLIC SCHOOLS	5	5	4,370
NEWTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS	2	2	412
NORTH ATTLEBORO PUBLIC SCHOOLS	8	8	4,228
NORTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS	5	5	2,454
PLAINVILLE SCHOOL COMMITTEE	2	2	673
SEEKONK PUBLIC SCHOOLS	2	0	
SOMERSET PUBLIC SCHOOLS	4	4	1,623
SWANSEA PUBLIC SCHOOLS	6	2	450
TAUNTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS	12	12	8,243
	Congressional Dis	trict #5	
BURLINGTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS	1	1	418
CAMBRIDGE SCHOOL DEPARTMENT	18	18	7,050
EVERETT PUBLIC SCHOOLS	11	11	7,646
FRAMINGHAM PUBLIC SCHOOLS	15	15	9,477
MALDEN PUBLIC SCHOOLS	8	8	6,542
MAYNARD PUBLIC SCHOOLS	3	3	1,240
MEDFORD PUBLIC SCHOOLS	8	8	4,174
NATICK PUBLIC SCHOOLS	1	1	85
REVERE PUBLIC SCHOOLS	11	11	7,408
SOMERVILLE PUBLIC SCHOOLS	11	11	5,101
WALTHAM PUBLIC SCHOOLS	11	11	5,758
WATERTOWN PUBLIC SCHOOLS	5	5	2,753
WINTHROP SCHOOL COMMITTEE	4	4	1,973
WOBURN PUBLIC SCHOOLS	10	10	4,307

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School District	Number of CEP-Eligible Schools	Number of CEP-Participating Schools	Students Enrolled in CEP-Participating Schools
	Congressional Dis	trict #6	
AMESBURY PUBLIC SCHOOLS	5	5	1,824
BEVERLY PUBLIC SCHOOLS	9	9	4,588
BILLERICA PUBLIC SCHOOLS	8	8	4,679
BURLINGTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS	1	1	418
DANVERS PUBLIC SCHOOLS	2	2	693
GLOUCESTER SCHOOL COMMITTEE	8	8	2,930
LAWRENCE PUBLIC SCHOOLS	24	24	13,903
LYNN PUBLIC SCHOOLS	29	29	18,114
NORTH ANDOVER PUBLIC SCHOOLS	2	2	585
PEABODY PUBLIC SCHOOLS	11	11	6,011
SALEM SCHOOL DEPARTMENT	11	11	3,891
SAUGUS SCHOOL COMMITTEE	4	4	2,678
SWAMPSCOTT PUBLIC SCHOOLS	1	0	
WAKEFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOLS	1	1	461
	Congressional Dis	trict #7	
BOSTON SCHOOL COMMITTEE	127	127	49,361
CAMBRIDGE SCHOOL DEPARTMENT	18	18	7,050
CHELSEA SCHOOL DEPARTMENT	5	5	6,217
EVERETT PUBLIC SCHOOLS	11	11	7,646
MALDEN PUBLIC SCHOOLS	8	8	6,542
RANDOLPH PUBLIC SCHOOLS	6	6	2,829
SOMERVILLE PUBLIC SCHOOLS	11	11	5,101
	Congressional Dis	trict #8	
ABINGTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS	4	4	2,065
AVON PUBLIC SCHOOLS	2	2	755
BOSTON SCHOOL COMMITTEE	127	127	49,361

School District	Number of CEP-Eligible Schools	Number of CEP-Participating Schools	Students Enrolled in CEP-Participating Schools
BRAINTREE PUBLIC SCHOOLS	10	10	5,390
BROCKTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS	28	27	15,653
DEDHAM PUBLIC SCHOOLS	7	7	2,737
EAST BRIDGEWATER SCHOOL COMMITTEE	3	3	2,067
EASTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS	1	0	
HOLBROOK PUBLIC SCHOOLS	2	2	1,335
HULL PUBLIC SCHOOLS	2	2	608
NORWOOD PUBLIC SCHOOLS	8	8	3,474
QUINCY PUBLIC SCHOOLS	21	21	12,321
STOUGHTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS	8	8	3,859
WALPOLE PUBLIC SCHOOLS	4	4	811
WEST BRIDGEWATER SCHOOL COMMITTEE	2	2	630
WESTWOOD PUBLIC SCHOOLS	1	1	21
WEYMOUTH PUBLIC SCHOOLS	12	12	5,903
	Congressional Dis	trict #9	
ACUSHNET PUBLIC SCHOOLS	2	2	969
BARNSTABLE PUBLIC SCHOOLS	11	11	5,131
BOURNE PUBLIC SCHOOLS	4	4	1,519
BREWSTER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	2	2	449
CARVER SCHOOL COMMITTEE	2	2	1,513
DARTMOUTH SCHOOL COMMITTEE	7	7	3,423
EAST BRIDGEWATER SCHOOL COMMITTEE	3	3	2,067
EDGARTOWN SCHOOL COMMITTEE	1	1	389
FAIRHAVEN PUBLIC SCHOOLS	4	4	1,719
FALMOUTH PUBLIC SCHOOLS	7	7	2,809
HALIFAX SCHOOL COMMITTEE	1	1	549

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MARSHFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOLS	2	2	723
MASHPEE PUBLIC SCHOOLS	3	3	1,444
MIDDLEBOROUGH PUBLIC SCHOOLS	4	4	2,199
MONOMOY REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT	4	4	1,755
NANTUCKET SCHOOL COMMITTEE	3	3	1,724
NEW BEDFORD PUBLIC SCHOOLS	35	35	15,844
OAK BLUFFS SCHOOL COMMITTEE	1	1	415
ORLEANS SCHOOL COMMITTEE	1	1	147
PLYMOUTH SCHOOL COMMITTEE	11	7	3,198
PROVINCETOWN SCHOOL COMMITTEE	2	2	142
ROCKLAND SCHOOL COMMITTEE	4	4	2,172
SANDWICH SCHOOL COMMITTEE	1	1	683
TISBURY SCHOOL COMMITTEE	1	1	257
TOWN OF EASTHAM	1	1	189
TRURO SCHOOL COMMITTEE	1	1	92
UP-ISLAND REGIONAL SCHOOL	1	1	348
WAREHAM SCHOOL COMMITTEE	3	3	1,966
WELLFLEET SCHOOL COMMITTEE	1	1	91
WESTPORT COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT	3	3	1,516
	Unassigned School	Districts	
Not all school districts could b	e matched to congression	onal districts due to data inconsi	stencies
ABBY KELLEY FOSTER REGIONAL CHARTER SCH.	3	3	1,416
ACADEMY OF THE PACIFIC RIM	1	1	472
ACTON BOXBOROUGH REG'L SCHOOL DIST	1	1	45
AMHERST/PELHAM REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT	3	3	1,226
ARGOSY COLLEGIATE CHARTER SCHOOL	2	2	557

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ASHBURNHAM-WESTMINSTER	2	2	577
ASSABET VALLEY REGIONAL VOCATIONAL S. D.	1	1	1,128
ATHOL-ROYALSTON REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT	4	4	1,642
ATLANTIS CHARTER SCHOOL	1	1	1,254
AYER-SHIRLEY REGIONAL DISTRICT	4	4	1,645
BENJAMIN BANNEKER CHARTER SCHOOL	1	1	345
BERKSHIRE ARTS/TECH CHARTER	1	1	360
BERKSHIRE HILLS REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT	3	3	1,215
BLACKSTONE-MILLVILLE REGIONAL SCHOOL	5	5	1,574
BLUE HILLS REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT	1	1	937
BOSTON COLLEGIATE CHARTER SCHOOL	2	2	693
BOSTON PREPARATORY CHARTER SCHOOL	1	1	698
BOSTON RENAISSANCE CHARTER SCHOOL	1	1	953
BRIDGE BOSTON CHARTER SCHOOL	1	1	332
BRIDGEWATER-RAYNHAM REGIONAL	7	7	5,684
BRISTOL COUNTY AGRICULTURAL	1	1	588
BRISTOL-PLYMOUTH REGIONAL SCHOOL DIST.	1	1	1,319
BROOKE CHARTER SCHOOL	4	4	2,220
CAPE COD REG'L TECH HIGH SCHOOL	1	1	655
CATHEDRAL HIGH SCHOOL	1	1	330
CENTRAL BERKSHIRE REGIONAL SCH DISTRICT	5	5	1,569
CHESTERFIELD-GOSHEN REGIONAL	1	1	136
CHEVERUS CENTENNIAL SCHOOL	1	1	407
CHRISTA MCAULIFFE REGIONAL CHARTER	1	1	294
CITY ON A HILL CHARTER SCHOOL	1	1	176
CODMAN ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL	2	2	318

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COLLAB. FOR REG. ED. SERV.& TRAINING	1	1	261
COLLEGIATE CHARTER SCHOOL OF LOWELL	1	1	1,189
COMMUNITY CHARTER SCHOOL	1	1	260
COMMUNITY DAY CHARTER SCHOOL	6	6	1,199
CONSERVATORY LAB CHARTER SCHOOL	2	2	453
CRISTO REY BOSTON HIGH SCHOOL	1	1	220
DENNIS-YARMOUTH REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT	8	8	3,212
DUDLEY-CHARLTON SCHOOL DISTRICT	8	8	3,552
EAST BOSTON CENTRAL CATHOLIC	1	1	209
EPIPHANY SCHOOL	1	1	84
EXCEL ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL	4	4	1,359
FARMINGTON RIVER REGIONAL	1	1	116
FOXBOROUGH REGIONAL CHARTER SCHOOL	2	2	1,494
FRANKLIN COUNTY TECHNICAL SCHOOL	1	1	621
GATEWAY REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT	3	3	743
GILL-MONTAGUE REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT	5	4	904
GLOBAL LEARNING CHARTER SCHOOL	1	1	493
GREATER FALL RIVER REGIONAL VOC	1	1	1,423
GREATER LAWRENCE REGIONAL VOC SCHOOL	1	1	1,763
GREATER LOWELL REGIONAL VOC TECH	1	1	2,286
GREATER NEW BEDFORD REGIONAL VOC. DIST.	1	1	2,118
HAWLEMONT REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT	1	1	70
HELEN Y. DAVIS LEADERSHIP ACAD. CHARTER	1	1	86
HILL VIEW MONTESSORI CHARTER SCHOOL	1	1	302
HOLYOKE COMMUNITY CHARTER SCHOOL	1	1	691
HOOSAC VALLEY REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT	2	2	988

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INNOVATION ACADEMY CHARTER SCH	1	1	784
JUDGE BAKER GUIDANCE CENTER	1	1	103
KIPP ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL	2	1	599
KIPP ACADEMY LYNN CHARTER SCHOOL	2	2	1,613
LAWRENCE CATHOLIC ACADEMY INC	1	1	441
LAWRENCE FAMILY DEV. CHARTER	3	3	877
LEARNING FIRST CHARTER	1	1	667
LOWELL COMMUNITY CHARTER SCHOOL	1	1	810
LOWELL MIDDLESEX ACADEMY	1	1	123
LOWER PIONEER VALLEY ED COLLABORATIVE	1	1	598
MALIK ACADEMY	1	1	76
MAP ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL	1	1	279
MARTHA'S VINEYARD CHARTER SCHOOL	1	1	177
MARTHA'S VINEYARD REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL	1	1	744
MEDIA AND TECHNOLOGY CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL	4	4	1,148
MESIVTA OF GREATER BOSTON	5	5	415
MOHAWK TRAIL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT	4	4	818
MONTACHUSETT REGIONAL VOC TECH	1	1	643
MOTHER CAROLINE ACADEMY & EDUCATION CTR.	1	1	UNKNOWN
MOUNT GREYLOCK REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT	1	1	227
MYSTIC VALLEY ADVANTAGE REGIONAL CHARTER	3	3	1,653
NARRAGANSETT REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT	2	2	1,473
NASHOBA REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT	1	0	
NASHOBA VALLEY TECH HIGH SCHOOL	1	1	747
NATIVITY PREPARATORY SCHOOL	1	1	54
NAUSET REGIONAL SCHOOL COMMITTEE	2	2	1,290

NOTE: School districts, rather than individual schools, are listed under congressional district. If a school district rosses congressional district boundaries, all of their schools and children are included in each congressional district. Not all school districts could be matched to congressional districts due to inconsistencies in how the data sources numerically identify and name school districts and schools. Unmatched school districts are listed as unassigned.





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NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSE CHARTER SCHOOL	2	2	824
NEW HEIGHTS CHARTER SCHOOL OF BROCKTON	1	1	731
NEW SALEM-WENDELL REGIONAL SCH DISTRICT	1	1	138
NORTH MIDDLESEX REG'L SCHOOL DIST	7	7	2,955
NORTH RIVER COLLABORATIVE	1	1	41
NORTHAMPTON - SMITH VOCATIONAL	1	1	573
NORTHEAST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL VOC	1	1	1,324
NORTHERN BERKSHIRE REGIONAL VOC DISTRICT	1	1	510
NORTHSHORE EDUCATION CONSORTIUM	3	3	311
OLD ROCHESTER REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT	1	1	390
OLD STURBRIDGE ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL	1	1	352
OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP MISSION GR.	1	1	295
PATHFINDER REGIONAL VOC TECH HS	1	1	629
PHOENIX CHARTER ACADEMY	3	3	453
PIONEER CHARTER SCHOOL OF SCI. EVERETT	2	2	781
PIONEER CHARTER SCHOOL OF SCI. SAUGUS	2	2	561
PIONEER VALLEY REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT	3	3	613
POPE JOHN PAULII CATHOLIC ACAD	3	3	1,045
PROSPECT HILL ACADEMY	3	3	912
QUABBIN REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT	6	6	2,071
QUABOAG REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT	4	4	1,127
RALPH C MAHAR REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT	1	1	524
READS COLLABORATIVE	1	1	97
ROXBURY PREPARATORY CHARTER SCHOOL	5	5	1,095
SACRED HEART SCHOOL	1	1	186
SALEM ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL	1	1	482

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SEEM COLLABORATIVE	5	5	276
SHALOH SCHOOL OHOLEI TORAH	1	1	138
SHORE EDUCATIONAL COLLABORATIVE	1	1	196
SIZER SCHOOL A NORTH CENTRAL ESSENTIAL	1	1	309
SOMERSET-BERKLEY REG SCH DISTR	1	1	949
SOUTH COAST EDUCATIONAL COLLABORATIVE	6	3	226
SOUTH MIDDLESEX REGIONAL VOC TECH	1	1	863
SOUTH SHORE CHARTER PUBLIC SCHOOL	2	0	
SOUTH SHORE REGIONAL VOC TECH HS	1	0	
SOUTHEASTERN REG'L SCHOOL DISTRICT	1	1	1,580
SOUTHERN BERKSHIRE REGIONAL SCHOOL DIST.	4	4	628
SOUTHERN WORCESTER COUNTY REGIONAL	1	1	1,179
SOUTHWICK-TOLLAND REG'L SCHL DIST	3	0	
SPENCER-EAST BROOKFIELD REGIONAL	4	4	1,425
SPRINGFIELD PREPARATORY CHARTER	1	1	486
ST PATRICK SCHOOL	1	1	102
ST STANISLAUS SCHOOL	1	1	115
TANTASQUA REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT	2	0	
TRITON REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT	5	5	2,147
UP-ISLAND REGIONAL SCHOOL	1	1	89
UPPER CAPE COD REGIONAL VOC SCHOOL	1	1	809
WHITMAN-HANSON REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT	7	7	3,499
WHITTIER REGIONAL VOCATIONAL TECH HIGH	1	1	1,280
WORCESTER CULTURAL ACADEMY	3	3	175
YESHIVA ACHEI TMIMIM	1	1	82



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