

**Table 31.—Elementary and secondary teachers, by control of institution and organizational level with alternative projections: Fall 1986 to fall 2011**

(In thousands)

Year	Total			Public			Private		
	K-12	Elementary	Secondary	K-12	Elementary	Secondary	K-12	Elementary	Secondary
1986 <sup>1</sup>	2,592	1,521	1,071	2,244	1,271	973	348	250	98
1987 <sup>1</sup>	2,631	1,563	1,068	2,279	1,306	973	352	257	95
1988 <sup>1</sup>	2,668	1,604	1,064	2,323	1,353	970	345	251	94
1989 <sup>2</sup>	2,734	1,662	1,072	2,357	1,387	970	377	275	102
1990 <sup>2</sup>	2,753	1,683	1,070	2,398	1,429	969	355	254	101
1991 <sup>2</sup>	2,787	1,722	1,065	2,432	1,468	964	355	254	101
1992 <sup>2</sup>	2,822	1,752	1,070	2,459	1,492	967	363	260	103
1993 <sup>2</sup>	2,870	1,775	1,095	2,504	1,513	991	366	262	104
1994 <sup>2</sup>	2,926	1,791	1,135	2,552	1,525	1,027	374	266	108
1995 <sup>3</sup>	2,978	1,794	1,184	2,598	1,525	1,073	380	269	111
1996 <sup>3</sup>	3,054	1,856	1,198	2,667	1,582	1,085	387	274	113
1997 <sup>3</sup>	3,134	1,928	1,206	2,746	1,653	1,093	388	275	113
1998 <sup>3</sup>	3,221	1,978	1,243	2,830	1,701	1,129	391	277	114
1999 <sup>3</sup>	3,304	2,029	1,275	2,907	1,748	1,159	397	281	116
<b>Middle alternative projections</b>									
2000	3,507	2,192	1,315	3,080	1,885	1,194	428	307	121
2001	3,551	2,208	1,343	3,119	1,899	1,220	432	309	123
2002	3,541	2,180	1,361	3,111	1,875	1,236	430	305	125
2003	3,564	2,184	1,381	3,132	1,878	1,254	432	306	127
2004	3,590	2,188	1,402	3,155	1,881	1,274	435	306	129
2005	3,576	2,188	1,388	3,142	1,881	1,261	434	306	127
2006	3,594	2,196	1,398	3,159	1,889	1,270	436	308	128
2007	3,600	2,195	1,406	3,164	1,887	1,277	436	307	129
2008	3,600	2,195	1,405	3,164	1,888	1,276	436	307	129
2009	3,619	2,209	1,410	3,180	1,900	1,280	439	309	129
2010	3,633	2,228	1,405	3,192	1,916	1,276	441	312	129
2011	3,649	2,246	1,403	3,206	1,932	1,274	443	315	129
<b>Low alternative projections</b>									
2000	3,507	2,192	1,315	3,080	1,885	1,194	428	307	121
2001	3,553	2,210	1,343	3,120	1,900	1,220	433	309	123
2002	3,537	2,176	1,361	3,108	1,871	1,236	430	305	125
2003	3,566	2,185	1,381	3,134	1,879	1,254	433	306	127
2004	3,604	2,201	1,403	3,167	1,893	1,275	437	308	129
2005	3,585	2,200	1,385	3,150	1,892	1,258	435	308	127
2006	3,593	2,193	1,400	3,157	1,886	1,272	435	307	128
2007	3,595	2,179	1,417	3,160	1,873	1,287	435	305	130
2008	3,588	2,173	1,415	3,154	1,869	1,285	434	304	130
2009	3,591	2,184	1,407	3,156	1,878	1,278	435	306	129
2010	3,593	2,201	1,392	3,157	1,893	1,264	436	308	128
2011	3,607	2,222	1,385	3,169	1,911	1,258	438	311	127
<b>High alternative projections</b>									
2000	3,507	2,192	1,315	3,080	1,885	1,194	428	307	121
2001	3,552	2,209	1,343	3,119	1,899	1,220	432	309	123
2002	3,545	2,184	1,361	3,114	1,878	1,236	431	306	125
2003	3,581	2,200	1,381	3,146	1,892	1,254	435	308	127
2004	3,605	2,202	1,403	3,168	1,894	1,274	437	308	129
2005	3,588	2,196	1,392	3,152	1,888	1,264	435	308	128
2006	3,619	2,207	1,412	3,180	1,898	1,282	439	309	129
2007	3,625	2,207	1,418	3,186	1,898	1,288	439	309	130
2008	3,620	2,208	1,412	3,181	1,899	1,282	439	309	129
2009	3,642	2,223	1,418	3,200	1,912	1,288	441	311	130
2010	3,661	2,245	1,415	3,216	1,931	1,285	444	314	130
2011	3,681	2,268	1,413	3,234	1,950	1,284	447	318	130

<sup>1</sup> Private school numbers are estimated on the basis on past data.

<sup>2</sup> Private school numbers are from the Early Estimates survey.

<sup>3</sup> Private school numbers are projected.

NOTE: The numbers of elementary and secondary teachers reported separately by the National Education Association were prorated to the NCES totals for each year. Some data have been revised from previously published figures. Projections are based on data through 1998.

Because of rounding, details may not add to totals. Mean absolute percentage errors of selected education statistics can be found in table A2.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, *Statistics of Public Elementary and Secondary Schools*; Common Core of Data surveys; *Public and Private Elementary and Secondary Education Statistics, Early Estimates*; and Elementary and Secondary Teacher Model.

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