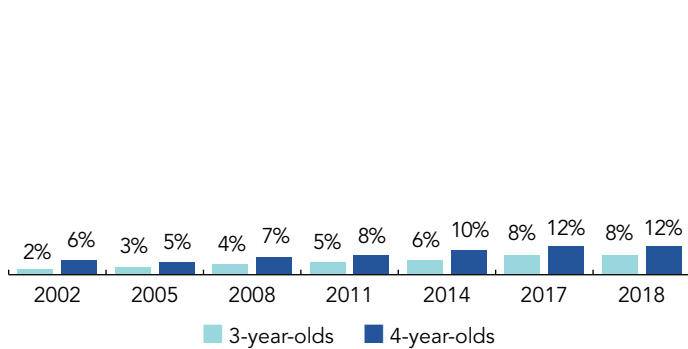
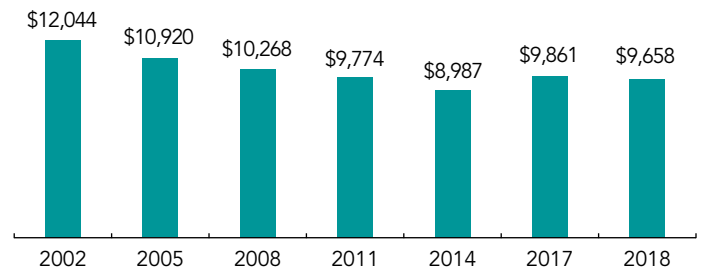


Oregon

PERCENT OF STATE POPULATION ENROLLED



STATE SPENDING PER CHILD ENROLLED (2018 DOLLARS)



OVERVIEW

Oregon preschool enrolled 9,477 children in 2017-2018, an increase of 21 children from the prior year. State funding totaled \$91,524,958 down \$1,717,995 (2%), adjusted for inflation, since last year. State spending per child equaled \$9,658 in 2017-2018, down \$203 from 2016-2017, adjusted for inflation. Oregon met an average of 7.5 of 10 quality standards benchmarks.

WHAT'S NEW

During the 2017-2018 program year, Oregon Preschool Promise was able to leverage the funding to maximize economy of scale in the second year of implementation. This enabled the state to serve an additional 100 children. Additionally, there is a possibility of expanding the program for the 2019-2020 program year. Finally, the Oregon Department of Education was awarded a Preschool Development Grant Birth through Five award in 2018 for nearly \$4.26 million to accelerate goals within the Governor's Children's Agenda and the Oregon Early Learning Council's recently adopted strategic plan, Raise Up Oregon: A Statewide Early Learning System Plan.

BACKGROUND

Oregon has two state-funded preschool programs: the Oregon Head Start Prekindergarten (OHSP) program, established in 1987, and Preschool Promise launched in 2016. OHSP and Preschool Promise are both overseen by the Oregon Department of Education: Early Learning Division.

OHSP provides comprehensive child and family development services for 3- and 4-year-old children from low-income families through a state-federal partnership between the Oregon Department of Education and Region X Office of Head Start. OHSP is funded using the state general fund to serve additional Head Start-eligible children. Funding is awarded through a competitive process to a variety of organizations not receiving federal Head Start funding, such as public schools, private agencies, community action agencies, government agencies, and colleges and universities. OHSP programs must follow federal Head Start Performance Standards and the Head Start Early Learning Outcomes. Eligibility for OHSP also follows federal Head Start requirements.

Preschool Promise is a mixed-delivery program for children from families with incomes up to 200% of the federal poverty level. Funding for Preschool Promise goes directly to Early Learning Hubs which can subcontract with public schools, child care, Head Start, Relief Nurseries, Education Service Districts, and other community-based organizations. Programs participating in Preschool Promise are required to achieve at least a 4- or 5- star-rating in Spark, Oregon's quality rating and improvement system or request a limited time waiver while they build capacity.

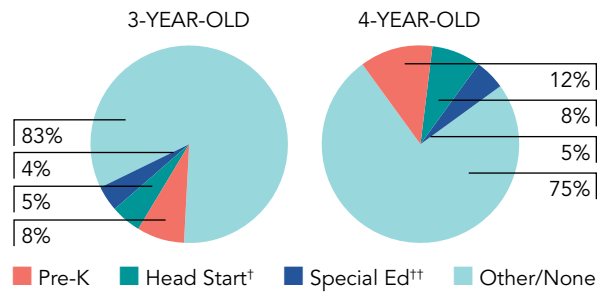
Both OHSP and Preschool Promise employ two sets of early learning standards: The Head Start Early Learning Outcomes Framework, which is currently being aligned with Common Core State Standards for K-12, and the Oregon Early Learning and Kindergarten Guidelines.

OREGON STATE OVERVIEW

ACCESS

Total state pre-K enrollment	9,477
Special education enrollment, ages 3 and 4	7,218
Federally funded Head Start enrollment, ages 3 and 4	6,196
State-funded Head Start enrollment, ages 3 and 4.....	8,048

PERCENT OF POPULATION ENROLLED IN PUBLIC ECE

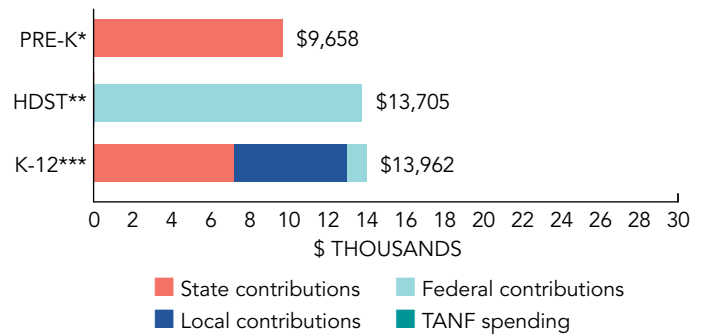


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 ** Estimates children in special education not also enrolled in state pre-K or Head Start.

RESOURCES

Total state pre-K spending	\$91,524,958
State Head Start spending	\$74,436,226
State spending per child enrolled	\$9,658
All reported spending per child enrolled*	\$9,658

SPENDING PER CHILD ENROLLED



* Pre-K programs may receive additional funds from federal or local sources that are not included in this figure.
 ** Head Start per-child spending includes funding only for 3- and 4-year-olds.
 *** K-12 expenditures include capital spending as well as current operating expenditures.

ACCESS RANKINGS	
4-YEAR-OLDS	3-YEAR-OLDS
32	13

RESOURCE RANKINGS	
STATE SPENDING	ALL REPORTED SPENDING
4	6

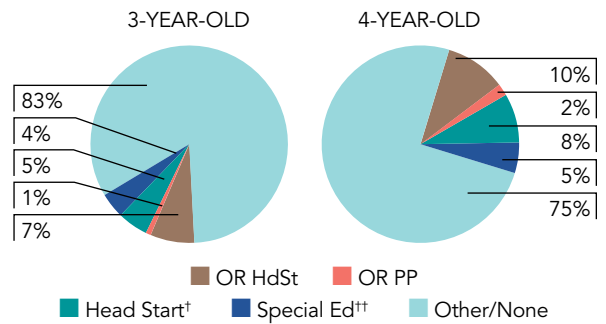
TOTAL BENCHMARKS MET
7.5

OREGON HEAD START PRE-KINDERGARTEN

ACCESS

Total state pre-K enrollment.....	8,048
School districts that offer state program.....	100% (counties/parishes)
Income requirement.....	100% FPL
Minimum hours of operation.....	3.5 hours/day
Operating schedule.....	School or academic year

PERCENT OF POPULATION ENROLLED IN PUBLIC ECE



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QUALITY STANDARDS CHECKLIST

POLICY	OR HDST REQUIREMENT	BENCHMARK	REQUIREMENT MEETS BENCHMARK?
Early learning & development standards	Comprehensive, aligned, supported, culturally sensitive	Comprehensive, aligned, supported, culturally sensitive	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Curriculum supports	Approval process & supports	Approval process & supports	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Teacher degree	AA	BA	<input type="checkbox"/>
Teacher specialized training	ECE	Specializing in pre-K	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Assistant teacher degree	CDA	CDA or equivalent	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Staff professional development	15 hours/year; PD plans; Coaching	For teachers & assistants: At least 15 hours/year; individual PD plans; coaching	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Maximum class size	17 (3-year-olds); 20 (4-year-olds)	20 or lower	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Staff-child ratio	2:17 (3-year-olds); 1:10 (4-year-olds)	1:10 or better	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Screening & referral	Vision, hearing, health & more	Vision, hearing & health screenings; & referral	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Continuous quality improvement system	Structured classroom observations (frequency not specified); Data used for program improvement	Structured classroom observations; data used for program improvement	<input type="checkbox"/>

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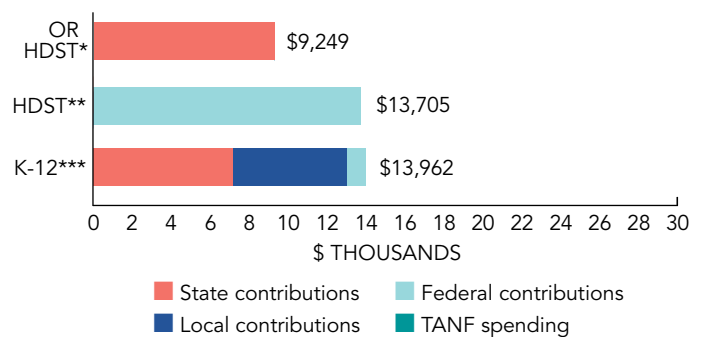
For more information about the benchmarks, see the Executive Summary and Roadmap to State Profile Pages.

RESOURCES

Total state pre-K spending.....	\$74,436,226
Local match required?.....	No
State spending per child enrolled.....	\$9,249
All reported spending per child enrolled*.....	\$9,249

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SPENDING PER CHILD ENROLLED

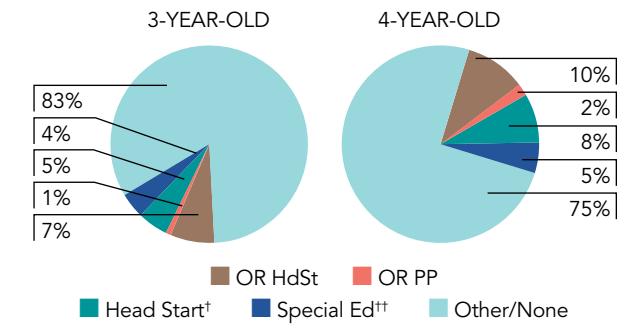


OREGON PRESCHOOL PROMISE

ACCESS

Total state pre-K enrollment	1,429
School districts that offer state program	56% (Early Learning Hub Regions)
Income requirement	200% FPL
Minimum hours of operation	900 hours/program year
Operating schedule	Determined locally

PERCENT OF POPULATION ENROLLED IN PUBLIC ECE



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QUALITY STANDARDS CHECKLIST

POLICY	OR PP REQUIREMENT	BENCHMARK	REQUIREMENT MEETS BENCHMARK?
Early learning & development standards	Comprehensive, aligned, supported, culturally sensitive	Comprehensive, aligned, supported, culturally sensitive	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Curriculum supports	Approval process & supports	Approval process & supports	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Teacher degree	CDA	BA	<input type="checkbox"/>
Teacher specialized training	ECE or CDA	Specializing in pre-K	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Assistant teacher degree	Other	CDA or equivalent	<input type="checkbox"/>
Staff professional development	20 hours/year; PD plans (teachers not meeting education requirements)	For teachers & assistants: At least 15 hours/year; individual PD plans; coaching	<input type="checkbox"/>
Maximum class size	20 (3- & 4-year-olds)	20 or lower	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Staff-child ratio	1:10 (3- & 4-year-olds)	1:10 or better	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Screening & referral	Immunizations, developmental; Referrals	Vision, hearing & health screenings; & referral	<input type="checkbox"/>
Continuous quality improvement system	Structured classroom observations in some classrooms	Structured classroom observations; data used for program improvement	<input type="checkbox"/>

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RESOURCES

Total state pre-K spending	\$17,088,732
Local match required?	No
State spending per child enrolled	\$11,959
All reported spending per child enrolled*	\$11,959

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SPENDING PER CHILD ENROLLED

