



Introduction to NCES WebGateways: Accessing and Exploring NCES Data

Module Objectives

Explain how to access and explore NCES

- Data
- Publications
- Products
- Data tools

Module Structure

Each tab is a different part of the module, click the tab for each part and then select a topic, which will go directly to the selected topic of choice

The screenshot shows a web interface for the NCES WebGateways module. On the left, there is a vertical navigation menu with five tabs: 'Part 1 – Accessing General Information about NCES and its Products' (highlighted in green), 'Part 2 – Accessing Online Search Tools', 'Part 3 – Accessing Online Data Tools', 'Part 4 – Obtaining Data', and 'Part 5 – NCES Kids' Zone'. The main content area on the right is titled 'Part 1 – Accessing General Information about NCES and its Products' and contains a grid of topic buttons: 'Distance Learning Dataset Training (DLDT)', 'NCES Blog', 'News Flash', 'Recent Publications', 'Annual Reports', 'NCES Handbook of Survey Methods', and 'Statistical Standards Program'.

Part 1 – Accessing General Information about NCES and its Products

- Distance Learning Dataset Training (DLDT)
- NCES Blog
- News Flash
- Recent Publications
- Annual Reports
- NCES Handbook of Survey Methods
- Statistical Standards Program

Distance Learning Dataset Training (DLDT)

- Common modules – general information about NCES data and data tools
 - [Introduction to the NCES Datasets](#)
- Dataset-specific modules – detailed information about NCES studies, the data they collect and how to analyze the data



NCES Blog

The screenshot shows the NCES Blog homepage. At the top is the logo for the Institute of Education Sciences (IES) and the text "National Center for Education Statistics". Below the logo is the title "NCES Blog" and the subtitle "National Center for Education Statistics". The main content area features a blog post titled "A New Guide to Education Data Privacy" dated July 27, 2016, by the NCES Blog Editor. The post text discusses the expanding use of data in classrooms and the need for privacy protection. To the right of the post is a search bar and a calendar for August 2016. The calendar shows the 27th as the current date. Below the calendar is a link to "View posts in large calendar".

News Flash

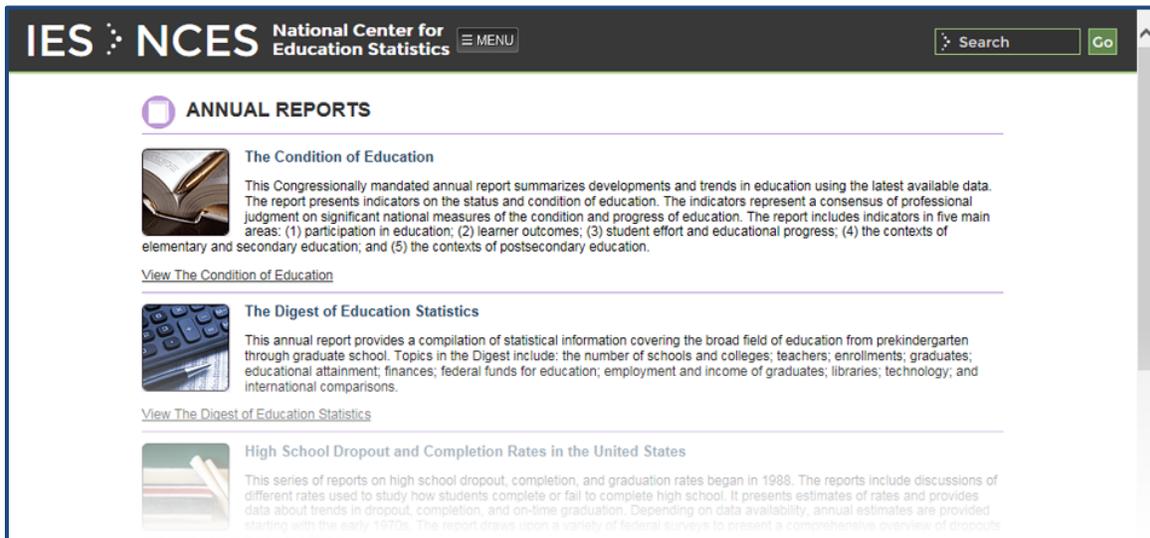
Recent Publications

- Includes NCES publications from the last 90 days
- Publications may be sorted by publication number, title, or publication date

PUB NUMBER	TITLE	DATE
NCES 2016406	Undergraduates Who Do Not Apply for Financial Aid This Data Point is based on data from the 2011-12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12), a large, nationally representative sample survey of postsecondary students that includes data on the application for and receipt of financial aid. The report shows the percentage of undergraduates who did not apply for financial aid by institutional sector. The report also shows undergraduates' reasons for not applying for financial aid.	8/2/2016
NCES 2016166	Trends in Hate-Related Words at School Among Students Ages 12 to 18 This Data Point looks at trends in student exposure to hate-related words at school over time.	7/28/2016
NCES 2016169	Reports of Bullying and Other Unfavorable Conditions at School This Data Point looks at reports of bullying at school and other unfavorable conditions at school.	7/28/2016
NCES 2016004	Trends in Bullying at School Among Students Ages 12 to 18 This Data Point looks at trends in bullying at school over time, both overall and by student gender.	7/28/2016
NCES 2016083	Persistence and Attainment among Postsecondary Subbaccalaureate Students This Data Point looks at the 2004-to-2009 rate of persistence and attainment of postsecondary students who were seeking subbaccalaureate credentials in occupational fields of study.	7/21/2016
NCES 2016109	Career and Technical Education, Course-taking and Postsecondary Enrollment and Attainment: High	7/21/2016

Annual Reports

Some annual reports are congressionally mandated like the condition of education



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ANNUAL REPORTS

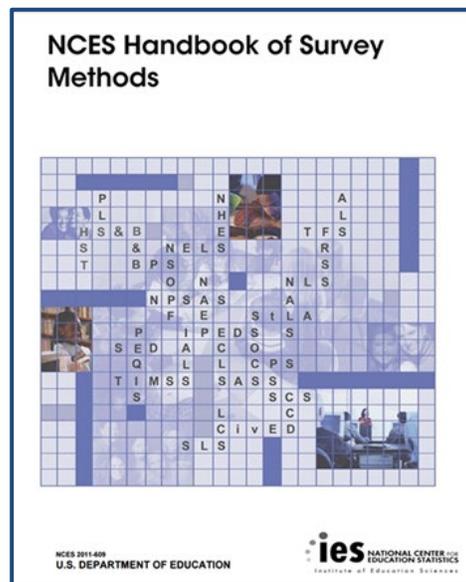
 **The Condition of Education**
This Congressionally mandated annual report summarizes developments and trends in education using the latest available data. The report presents indicators on the status and condition of education. The indicators represent a consensus of professional judgment on significant national measures of the condition and progress of education. The report includes indicators in five main areas: (1) participation in education; (2) learner outcomes; (3) student effort and educational progress; (4) the contexts of elementary and secondary education; and (5) the contexts of postsecondary education.
[View The Condition of Education](#)

 **The Digest of Education Statistics**
This annual report provides a compilation of statistical information covering the broad field of education from prekindergarten through graduate school. Topics in the Digest include: the number of schools and colleges; teachers; enrollments; graduates; educational attainment; finances; federal funds for education; employment and income of graduates; libraries; technology; and international comparisons.
[View The Digest of Education Statistics](#)

 **High School Dropout and Completion Rates in the United States**
This series of reports on high school dropout, completion, and graduation rates began in 1988. The reports include discussions of different rates used to study how students complete or fail to complete high school. It presents estimates of rates and provides data about trends in dropout, completion, and on-time graduation. Depending on data availability, annual estimates are provided starting with the early 1970s. The report draws upon a variety of federal surveys to present a comprehensive overview of dropouts

NCES Handbook of Survey Methods

- Presents explanations of how each survey program in NCES obtains and prepares the data it publishes
- Provides NCES data users with the information necessary to evaluate the suitability of the data for their needs



NCES Handbook of Survey Methods

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Institute of Education Sciences

Statistical Standards Program



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Statistical Standards Program
Publications & Products | Staff

Overview	Overview The Statistical Standards Program provides methodological and statistical support to the Center, as well as to federal and nonfederal organizations that engage in statistical work in support of NCES's mission.
Statistical Standards	
Style Guides	
NCES Handbook of Survey Methods	This Program develops standards that ensure the quality of statistical surveys, analyses and products; consults and advises on the implementation of standards for all Center projects; coordinates the review and adjudication process for publications and other Center products; and coordinated the revision of the NCES Statistical Standards. The Program also monitors and administers confidentiality procedures and related restricted-use data licenses for Center data products. In addition, the Statistical Standards Program consults and advises on emerging statistical issues and initiates, monitors or participates in long-term statistical and methodological research projects.
Review and Adjudication	
Confidentiality Procedures	
Restricted Use Data Licenses	
Research Projects	
Contact	

Part 2 – Accessing Online Search Tools

- Search Tables and Figures
- College Navigator
- Search for Public School Districts
- Search for Public Schools
- Search for Public School District Longitudinal Data
- Search for Private Schools
- Bibliography Search Tool
- Publications & Products Search
- Subject Index A-Z
- Survey and Program Areas Search
- ED Data Inventory
- CIP Search Tool

Search Tables and Figures

TABLES AND FIGURES

Tables & Figures Search

Enter a word or phrase to search for tables/figures.

Refine your search:

Select year(s) of data.
2016
2015
2014
2013

Select a topic area.
- Select a topic area -

Search Now Clear

Usage Tips

This search tool lets you locate all tables/figures/charts published in the inventory of NCES' National Education Data Resource Center (NEDRC) [Postsecondary Tables Library](#); the [Condition of Education](#); the [Digest of Education Statistics](#); [Indicators of School Crime and Safety](#) and other NCES publications. Tables are constantly being added (**thousands of tables, graphs & figures are now available**). State tables can be created by visiting [State Education Data Profiles](#).

- Enter a word or phrase to search for tables/figures. Searches are conducted on the actual textual information provided in the tables and figures.
- Further refine your search by selecting a topic area and the year(s) you are interested in. By holding down the control key you can search for multiple years. After finalizing your criteria, click on the Search Now button for your results.

Popular Keywords are also available to help with your search. By selecting a phrase you will get results from all the topic areas and years for the selected term.

The Results Page will list your selection criteria, a count of matches, and descriptive information for each table/figure matching your criteria including: Title, Topic Area, Survey Source, and Year of Data. View the Figure/Table by clicking on the "View Table/Figure" link. The results are presented in alphabetical order but can be resorted.

College Navigator

- Provides information on nearly 7,000 colleges and universities in the United States
- Search for schools based on geographic location, programs and majors, level of award, institution type, and more

COLLEGE Navigator English Escalator About

Name of School
Type name of school here

States (use map for more than 1 state)
Alabama
Alaska
Arizona

ZIP Code
Miles from

Programs/Majors
0 Items Selected
Browse for Programs

Level of Award
 Certificate
 Bachelor's
 Associate's
 Advanced

Institution Type
 Public
 Private non-profit
 Private for-profit
 4-year
 2-year
 < 2-year

MORE SEARCH OPTIONS

Show Results

Find the right college for you

Guide Me

- Refine your search with More Search Options to select additional search criteria.
- Build a list of schools using My Favorites for side-by-side comparisons.
- Pinpoint school locations with an interactive map.
- Export search results into a spreadsheet.
- Save your session including search options and favorites.

College Affordability and Transparency Center
Browse lists of institutions with the highest and lowest tuition & fees and net price. [a GO](#)

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES
Preparing for your Education
Find out what you need to do to prepare for education beyond high school. [a GO](#)

Financial Aid
Apply for Federal Student Aid on FAFSA. [a GO](#)

Postsecondary Education Explorer

Bibliography Search Tool

- Search for individual citations from journal articles that have been published using data from various NCES research programs
- The tool is regularly updated

The screenshot shows the 'BIBLIOGRAPHY SEARCH TOOL' interface. It features a search box for 'Search Word(s)' with options for 'Title' (checked) and 'Abstract'. Below this are radio buttons for 'And', 'Or', and 'Exact Match'. There are dropdown menus for 'Data Source', 'Reference Type', and 'Journal'. A 'Publication Year' section includes 'From' and 'To' dropdowns. At the bottom are 'Search' and 'Reset' buttons.

Publications & Products Search

The screenshot shows the 'PUBLICATIONS & PRODUCTS SEARCH' page from the IES NCES National Center for Education Statistics. The page includes a search bar, a 'SEARCH' button, and radio buttons for 'All Words' and 'Any Words'. Below the search bar are filters for 'Search by' (Title, Description, Subject, Author, Pub#), 'Release Date' (May, 2014), and 'Type of Product' and 'Survey/Program Area' dropdowns. A 'Clear Search' link is also present. On the right, there is a section for 'Other publication resources' with links to 'Education Publications (ED Pubs)', 'Education Resources Information Center (ERIC)', 'Federal Depository Libraries', 'Government Printing Office (GPO)', and 'Ordering NCES Products'. At the bottom, a note says 'Visit the IES Publications & Products Search to query all IES publications and products.'

Subject Index A-Z

The screenshot shows the IES NCES National Center for Education Statistics website. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the IES NCES logo, the text "National Center for Education Statistics", a "MENU" button, and a search bar with a "Go" button. Below the navigation bar is a section titled "PUBLICATIONS & PRODUCTS". Underneath, there is a "Subject Index A-Z" section with a horizontal row of letters from A to Z. The letter "A" is highlighted, and a list of publications is displayed under it. The list includes: Ability, Academic English, Academic Persistence, Academic Standards, Academic Support, Access To Education, Accountability, Achievement (with sub-items: academic achievement, achievement gap), Achievement (student) (with sub-items: first-graders, geography, history, mathematics, reading, science, writing), and Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP). The letter "B" is also visible, with a list of publications including: Bachelor's degrees (with sub-item: recipients one year later), Before and after school care, Beginning students in postsecondary education, Benchmark (with sub-item: benchmark assessment), Bias Analysis, Blacks, educational progress, and Body Mass Index.

Survey and Program Areas Search

The screenshot shows the IES NCES National Center for Education Statistics website. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the IES NCES logo, the text "National Center for Education Statistics", a "MENU" button, and a search bar with a "Go" button. Below the navigation bar is a section titled "PUBLICATIONS & PRODUCTS". Underneath, there is a "Survey and Program Areas" section. This section displays a grid of eight survey and program area cards, each with a logo and text: 1. Adult Literacy and Lifeskills (ALL) with a logo of three stylized figures. 2. Annual Reports Program (Annual) with a logo of a red ribbon. 3. Baccalaureate and Beyond (B&B) with a logo of a blue graduation cap. 4. Beginning Postsecondary Students Longitudinal Study (BPS) with a logo of a green graduation cap. 5. Beginning Teacher Longitudinal Study (BTL) with a logo of a yellow bar chart. 6. Career/Technical Education Statistics (CTES) with a logo of a blue box with "CTE Statistics". 7. Civic Education Study (CES) with a logo of a globe. 8. Common Core of Data (CCD) with a logo of a blue box with "CCD".

ED Data Inventory



Classification of Instructional Programs (CIP)

- Taxonomic scheme that supports the accurate tracking and reporting of fields of study and program completions activity
- Originally developed by the U.S. Department of Education's National Center for Education Statistics (NCES) in 1980
- Revisions occurring in 1985, 1990, 2000, 2010 and 2020
- On the 2020 CIP Website, you can view both the 2020 CIP and the 2010 CIP
- Ensure that you change the year "2020" if the year selected is "2010"

Part 3 – Accessing Online Data Tools

- Education Data Analysis Tool (eDAT)
- IPEDS Analytics: Delta Cost Project Database
- IPEDS Data Center
- NAEP Data Explorer
- International Data Explorer
- Elementary/Secondary Information System (EISi)
- DataLab
- NAEP State Comparisons
- Public School District Finance Peer Search
- Compare Academic Libraries
- State Education Data Profiles
- NAEP Questions Tool
- NAAL Questions Tool
- MapED
- EDGE

Education Data Analysis Tool (eDAT)

- Download NCES survey datasets into various statistical software formats
- Create customized data files containing Public-use data

GET STARTED

EDAT EDUCATION DATA ANALYSIS TOOL

The Education Data Analysis Tool (EDAT) allows you to download NCES survey datasets to your computer. EDAT guides you through selecting a survey, population, and variables relevant to your analysis.

You will select a statistical software package (SAS, SPSS, Stata, R, S-Plus, or SUDAAN) or a generic file format (ASCII or CSV) for your dataset. EDAT will also use your selections to create a custom syntax file for use with your selected software.

AVAILABLE SURVEYS
Currently, the EDAT application contains ECLS-K (Early Childhood Longitudinal Study - Kindergarten Class of 1998-99), ELS (Education Longitudinal Study of 2002), HSL (High School Longitudinal Study of 2009), NELS (National Education Longitudinal Study of 1988), NHES (National Household Education Survey), SASS (Schools and Staffing and Teacher Follow-up Surveys), and SSOCS (School Survey on Crime and Safety) datasets. Additional datasets will be added in the near future.

FIRST TIME USER?
It is STRONGLY recommended that you print and read the [EDAT User's Guide](#) before proceeding.

IMPORTANT
Selecting a statistical software package (e.g., SAS, SPSS, Stata, R, S-Plus, or SUDAAN) for your dataset and syntax file requires that you have access to that particular software. If you choose to work with a generic file format (e.g., ASCII or CSV), you may use any software or programming language you wish to conduct your analysis.

If you do not have an EDAT Login, [Create New Login](#)

E-mail Address

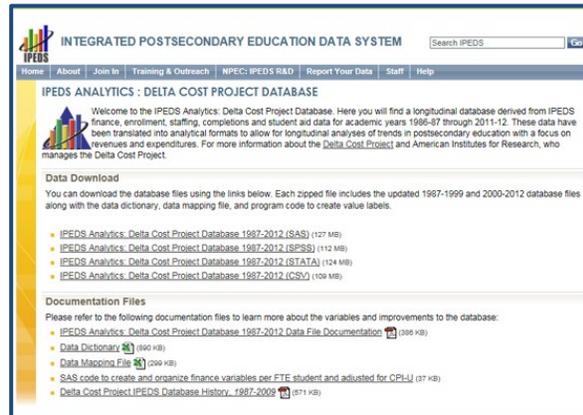
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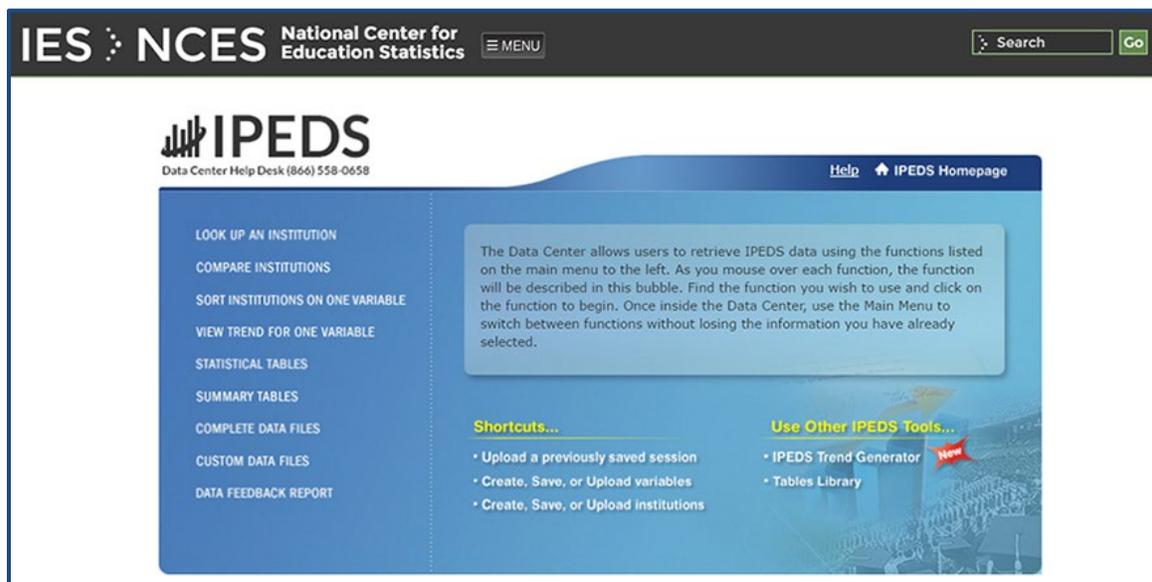
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IPEDS Analytics: Delta Cost Project Database

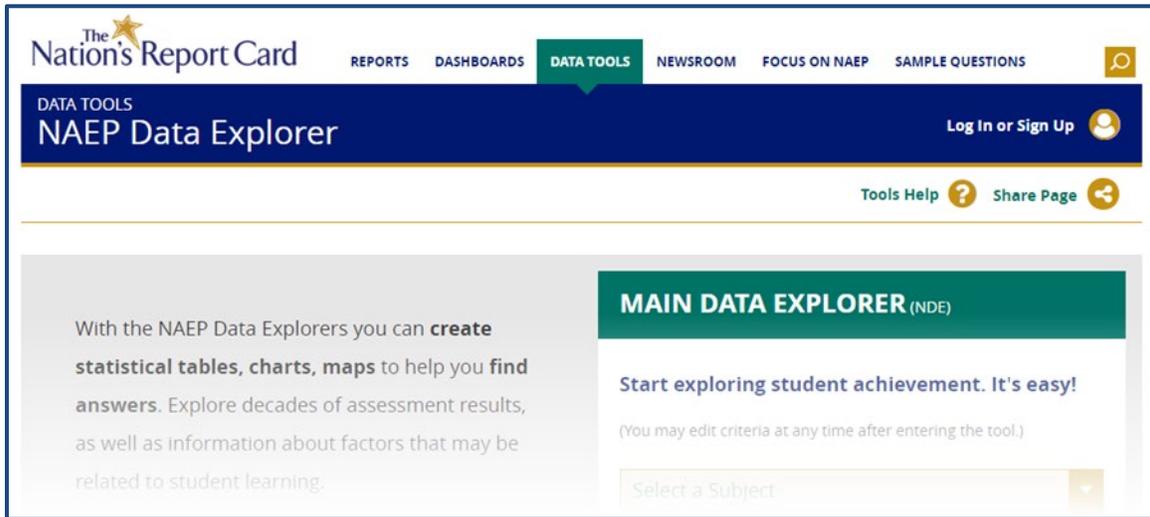
- Download a longitudinal database derived from IPEDS finance, enrollment, staffing, completions and student aid data for academic years 1986-87 through 2011-12
- Data have been translated into analytical formats to allow for longitudinal analyses of trends



IPEDS Data Center



National Assessment of Educational Progress Data Explorer (NDE)



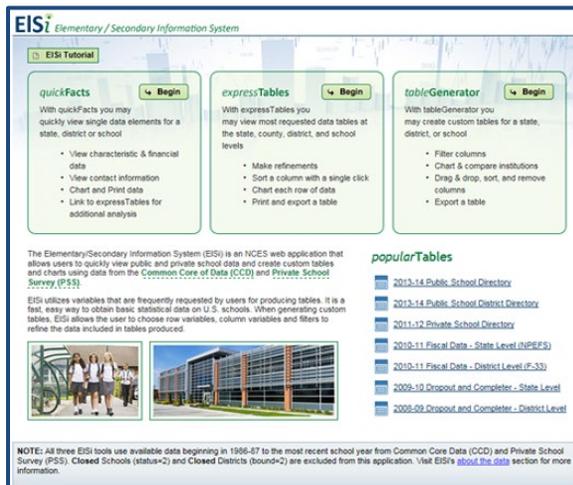
International Data Explorer (IDE)

- Allows users to create customized tables and charts of detailed results from various international assessments
 - PISA
 - PIRLS
 - TIMSS
 - PIAAC
 - TALIS
- Provides results for the United States and other jurisdictions around the world from the administration of these assessments



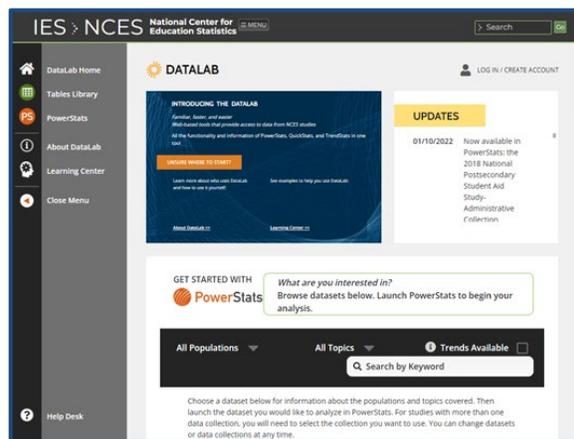
Elementary/Secondary Information System (EISI)

- View public and private school Public-use data and create custom tables and charts
- Three components
 - *quickFacts*
 - *expressTables*
 - *tableGenerator*



DataLab

- DataLab's research and data tools enable users to easily access statistics from NCES studies to find estimates that have already been published or generate estimates
- DataLab has two tools for finding estimates from NCES data
 - Tables Library - can be used to find estimates within a large library of pre-generated tables that have already been published in NCES reports
 - PowerStats - can be used to generate estimates from micro-level datasets without accessing data at the individual case, or unit record, level
- [Learning Center](#)
- DLDT Module [DataLab Features and Tools for Research](#)



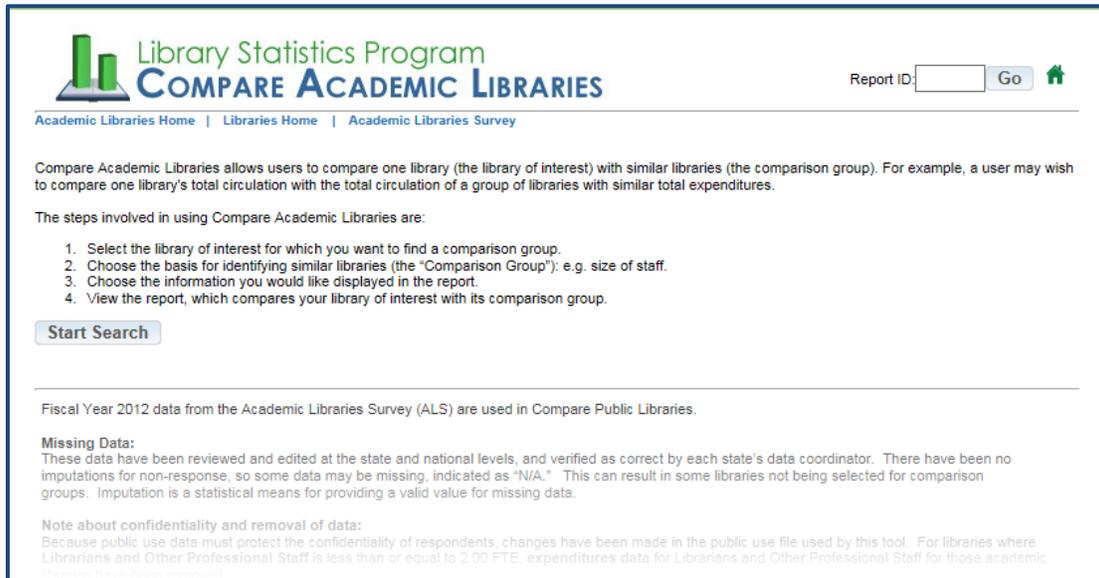
NAEP State Comparisons

The screenshot shows the 'NAEP State Comparisons' page from the IES NCES National Center for Education Statistics. The page header includes the IES NCES logo, a search bar, and a 'MENU' button. Below the header, there is a navigation menu with links for 'Analyze Data', 'Sample Questions', 'State Comparisons', 'State Profiles', and 'District Profiles'. The main content area features a sub-header 'NAEP State Comparisons' with a star icon. Below this, there is a brief description of the tool's purpose: 'State Comparisons provides tables and maps that compare states and jurisdictions based on the average scale scores for selected groups of public school students within a single assessment year, or compare the change in performance between two assessment years.' An example section lists two use cases: comparing average reading scores for male students in a particular state to other states in 2005, and comparing the change in reading scores for male students from 2002 to the focal year. A 'Help' button is located to the right of the example text. At the bottom, there is a form titled 'Select a grade, subject, and student group, in boxes 1, 2, and 3, respectively.' with a 'Reset to Default' button. The form has three sections: 1. Grade (radio buttons for Grade 4 and Grade 8), 2. Subject (radio buttons for Mathematics and Reading), and 3. Student Group (radio buttons for Gender and Race/Ethnicity - White and Black).

Public School District Finance Peer Search

The screenshot shows the 'Public School District Finance Peer Search' page from the IES NCES National Center for Education Statistics. The page header includes the IES NCES logo, a search bar, and a 'MENU' button. Below the header, there is a sub-header 'Public School District Finance Peer Search' with links for 'How to Use Peer Tool', 'About the Data', and 'School & District Glossary'. The main content area features a brief description of the tool's purpose: 'This application can be used to compare a school district with other districts (peers). Peers can be selected automatically or manually. To start, enter your search criteria below. Click [here](#) for more information.' Below this, there is a 'District Search' form with a 'new search' link. The form includes fields for 'District Name', 'State' (a dropdown menu with 'Select A State' selected), 'Zip Code', and 'Distance From Zip' (a dropdown menu with '1 mile' selected). There are also radio buttons for 'Select Peers' (Automatically selected, Manually) and a 'Peers To Return' dropdown menu (set to '10'). A 'Search' button is located at the bottom of the form, and a link for 'Advanced Search' is below it.

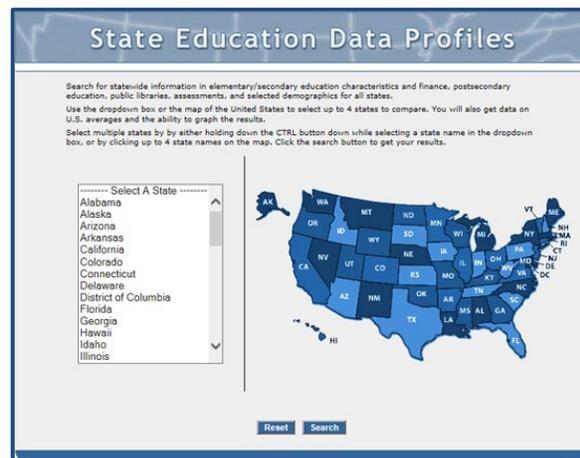
Compare Academic Libraries



The screenshot shows the 'Library Statistics Program COMPARE ACADEMIC LIBRARIES' web interface. At the top left is a logo with a bar chart and the text 'Library Statistics Program COMPARE ACADEMIC LIBRARIES'. To the right is a 'Report ID:' field with a 'Go' button and a home icon. Below the logo are navigation links: 'Academic Libraries Home', 'Libraries Home', and 'Academic Libraries Survey'. The main content area contains a paragraph explaining the tool's purpose: 'Compare Academic Libraries allows users to compare one library (the library of interest) with similar libraries (the comparison group). For example, a user may wish to compare one library's total circulation with the total circulation of a group of libraries with similar total expenditures.' This is followed by a list of four steps: 1. Select the library of interest for which you want to find a comparison group. 2. Choose the basis for identifying similar libraries (the "Comparison Group"): e.g. size of staff. 3. Choose the information you would like displayed in the report. 4. View the report, which compares your library of interest with its comparison group. Below the steps is a 'Start Search' button. Further down, it states 'Fiscal Year 2012 data from the Academic Libraries Survey (ALS) are used in Compare Public Libraries.' A 'Missing Data:' section explains that some data may be missing or imputed. A final note discusses confidentiality and removal of data.

State Education Data Profiles

- Search for statewide information in elementary/secondary education, postsecondary education and selected demographics for all states in the U.S. using a variety of NCES data sources
- Select up to four states to compare



The screenshot shows the 'State Education Data Profiles' web interface. The title is 'State Education Data Profiles'. Below the title is a paragraph: 'Search for statewide information in elementary/secondary education characteristics and finance, postsecondary education, public libraries, assessments, and selected demographics for all states. Use the dropdown box or the map of the United States to select up to 4 states to compare. You will also get data on U.S. averages and the ability to graph the results. Select multiple states by either holding down the CTRL button down while selecting a state name in the dropdown box, or by clicking up to 4 state names on the map. Click the search button to get your results.' Below this text is a dropdown menu labeled 'Select A State' with a list of states: Alabama, Alaska, Arizona, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, District of Columbia, Florida, Georgia, Hawaii, Idaho, Illinois. To the right of the dropdown is a map of the United States with state abbreviations. At the bottom are 'Reset' and 'Search' buttons.

NAEP Questions Tool

- Provides easy access to NAEP questions, student responses, and scoring guides
- Users may explore questions from computer-based assessments, try out actual questions administered to students, and see what students at each achievement level are likely to know and do

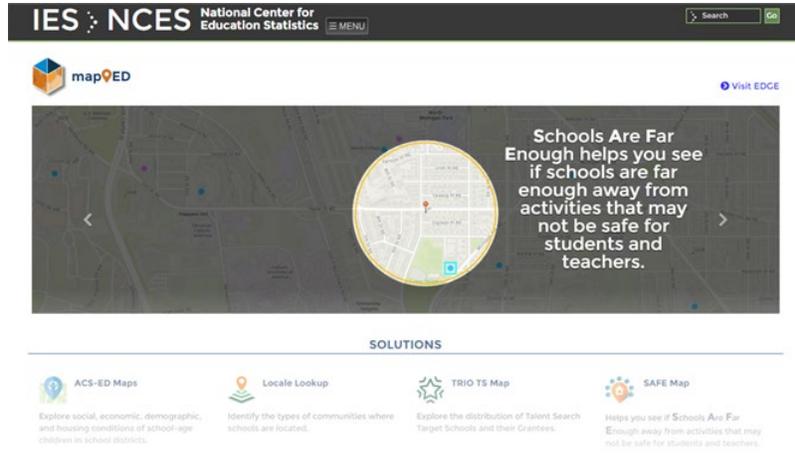
The screenshot shows the 'Explore NAEP Questions' tool interface. It features a header with the title and a paragraph explaining that after each assessment, NAEP releases dozens of sample questions to the public. Below the header are four main navigation buttons: 'Questions Tool >>', 'Interactive Items >>', 'Test Yourself >>', and 'Item Maps >>'. Each button has a corresponding image and a brief description: 'Questions Tool' (database of released NAEP questions), 'Interactive Items' (computer-based assessments), 'Test Yourself' (actual questions administered to students), and 'Item Maps' (student performance by achievement level). On the right side, there is a 'What's New?' section with a link to 'The NAEP Questions Tool has lots of new features!' and a list of features: 'Sort and select questions with "drag 'n drop" option', 'Try customized "Test Yourself" feature', 'Create online self-scoring tests for students', and 'Compare results of student performance across nation'.

NAAL Test Questions Tool

The screenshot shows the 'NAAL Test Questions Tool' interface. At the top, it features the 'IES NCES National Center for Education Statistics' logo and a search bar. Below the logo is the 'National Assessment of Adult Literacy (NAAL)' title and a subtitle: 'A nationally representative and continuing assessment of English language literary skills of American Adults'. There are navigation links for 'Publications & Products', 'State & County Estimates', 'Staff', 'Search', and 'Site Index'. On the left, there is a sidebar menu with categories: 'About NAAL', 'Key Findings', 'Assessment Of...', 'Design & Development', 'Data Files', 'Sample Questions' (with sub-links for 'Sample Questions Search' and 'Sample Questions Help'), and 'Additional Resources' (with sub-links for 'Contact Us' and 'Join Newsflash'). The main content area is titled 'Sample Questions Search: 1985, 1992 & 2003'. It includes a 'Help' icon and a paragraph explaining the search process. Below this are several search criteria with pull-down menus: 'Year', 'Literacy Scale', 'Task Demand', 'Printed Material', and 'Percent of adults who answered question correctly'. There is also a 'Text String Search' field and a 'Sort Results By' dropdown menu. At the bottom, there is a 'No. of Items Per Page' dropdown menu.

MapED

Dynamic data-mapping tool that provides geographic context to NCES, U.S. Census Bureau, and other education-related demographic datasets



Education Demographic and Geographic Estimates (EDGE)

EDGE develops data products and tools to identify and understand the social and spatial context of education in the United States



More about EDGE

The following topics can be explored in the EDGE Data Program

- Social and economic conditions of school-age children by enrollment
- Characteristics of parents with school-age children
- School district demographics
- Community locale classifications and boundaries
- Locations for K–12 and postsecondary schools
- School district and school attendance area boundaries
- Proximity of schools to other community features
- School neighborhood economic conditions

Part 4 – Obtaining Data

- Public-use and Restricted-use Data
- Offsite Archive of NCES Data - ICPSR

Public-use and [Restricted-use Data](#)

- Public-use data – available to the public, though some data are less detailed to limit possible re-identification of survey participants
- Restricted-use data – more detailed and require a license from NCES
- DLDT Module [“Acquiring Micro-level NCES Data”](#)

PUBLICATIONS & PRODUCTS

Restricted-use Data Licenses
 IES uses Restricted-data Licenses as a mechanism for making more detailed data available to qualified researchers.

How to Obtain or Amend a License:
 IES/NCES will only accept restricted-use data License applications through its [Electronic Application System](#). Any License application that does not come through this system will be returned to the applicant. More information about applying for a License is available in the online application system instructions and in the [Restricted-Use Data Procedures Manual](#).

If you need to amend your license by adding a new user, deleting a user, obtaining other databases, or modifying your security plan, please see the [License modification instructions](#).

For questions, please contact:
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 Washington, DC 20202
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IESDataSecurity@ed.gov

Restricted-data Available

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Academic Library Surveys (ALS) • Baccalaureate & Beyond (B&B) • Beginning Postsecondary Students (BPS) • Civil Rights Data Collection (CRDC) • Common Core of Data (CCD) • Early Childhood Longitudinal Studies (ECLS) • Education Longitudinal Study of 2002 (ELS:2002) • Fast Response Survey System (FRSS) • High School & Beyond (HS&B) • High School Longitudinal Study (HS&LS) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • National Longitudinal Transition Study-2 (NLTS2) • National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS) • National Study of Postsecondary Faculty (NSOPF) • Postsecondary Education Quick Information System (PEQIS) • Pre-Elementary Education Longitudinal Study (PEELS) • Preschool Curriculum Evaluation Research (PCER) • Private School Universe Study (PSS) • Program for the International Assessment of Adult Competencies (PIAAC) • Program for International Student Assessment (PISA)
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[Offsite Archive of NCES Data – ICPSR](#)

ICPSR

Find & Analyze Data

[Log In/Create Account](#)
ICPSR Sites

Find Data
Search/Compare Variables
Find Publications
Resources for Students
Get Help

Announcements

- ICPSR's Summer Undergraduate Interns for 2016 Answer the Question, "Why ICPSR?"
- PATH Study Wave 1 Public-Use Files Released
- New Releases through 2016-08-07
- Career Opportunity in ICPSR for the Director, Resource Center for Minority Data (RCMD)
- Causes and Correlates Project Data Released
- Violence Against American Indian and

Find Data

GO

More Search Options

- [Browse by topic](#)
- [Browse by series](#)
- [Browse by geography](#)
- [Browse by investigator](#)
- [Browse by thematic collection](#)
- [Browse international data](#)
- [View all studies](#)

• [View all studies for which public-use variables are available](#)

Search Tips

Select a link below to reveal search tips relevant to your search.

[I'm looking for datasets related to a specific topic.](#)

[I'm looking for datasets that contain specific variables.](#)

[I'm looking for datasets that answer a particular research question.](#)

Part V - [NCES Kids' Zone](#)

Designed to help children learn about schools, decide on a college, and engage in learning activities



Module Summary

Explained how to access and explore NCES

- Data
- Publications
- Products
- Data tools

Module Resources

- [NCES Website](#)
- [Distance Learning Dataset Training](#)
- [Introduction to the NCES Datasets](#)
- [NCES Blog](#)
- [News Flash](#)
- [Recent Publications](#)
- [Annual Reports](#)
- [NCES Handbook of Survey Methods](#)
- [Statistical Standards Program](#)
- [Search Tables and Figures](#)
- [College Navigator](#)
- [Search for Public School Districts](#)
- [Search for Public Schools](#)
- [Search for Public School District Longitudinal Data](#)
- [Search for Private Schools](#)
- [Bibliography Search Tool](#)
- [Publications & Products Search](#)
- [Subject Index A-Z](#)
- [Survey and Program Areas Search](#)
- [ED Data Inventory](#)
- [Education Data Analysis Tool \(eDAT\)](#)
- [IPEDS Analytics: Delta Cost Project Database](#)
- [IPEDS Data Center](#)
- [NAEP Data Explorer \(NDE\)](#)
- [International Data Explorer \(IDE\)](#)
- [Elementary/Secondary Information System \(EISi\)](#)
- [DataLab](#)
- [Learning Center](#)
- [DataLab Features and Tools for Research](#)
- [NAEP State Comparisons](#)
- [Public School District Finance Peer Search](#)
- [Compare Academic Libraries](#)
- [State Education Data Profiles](#)
- [NAEP Questions Tool](#)
- [NAAL Questions Tool](#)
- [MapED](#)
- [Restricted-use Data](#)
- [Acquiring Micro-level NCES Data](#)
- [Offsite Archive of NCES Data - ICPSR](#)
- [Education Demographic and Geographic Estimates \(EDGE\)](#)
- [NCES Kids' Zone](#)
- [Classification of Instructional Programs \(CIP\)](#)