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CRIMINAL JUSTICE/LEGAL SYSTEM

Title: JUVENILE COURT STATISTICS : *YEAR* (Book) --AN 1995--
Source: OFFICE OF JUVENILE JUSTICE AND DELINQUENCY PREVENTION (OJJDP)
Pages: 95+
Subject: 1. JUVENILE JUSTICE.
Holdings: 1995, 2000, 2005, 2006-2007
URL: <http://www.ojjdp.ncjrs.gov/ojstatbb/njcda/pdf/jcs2007.pdf> (2006-07 ed.)
<http://www.ojjdp.ncjrs.gov/ojstatbb/njcda/pdf/jcs2005.pdf> (2005 ed.)
<http://www.ncjrs.gov/pdffiles1/ojjdp/218587.pdf> (2003-2004 ed.)
<http://www.ncjrs.gov/pdffiles1/ojjdp/209736.pdf> (2000 ed.)
<http://ojjdp.ncjrs.org/publications/PubSearch.asp> (use search for older eds.)
See also <http://ojjdp.ncjrs.gov/ojstatbb/jcsdb/>

Title: PRISON AND JAIL INMATES AT MIDYEAR (Electronic Document)
Source: BUREAU OF JUSTICE STATISTICS (BJS)
Subject: 1. PRISON STATISTICS. 2. PRISONERS.
Notes: "Jail Inmates at Midyear" presents data on numbers of jails and jail inmates at midyear and analyzes patterns of growth
"Prison Inmates at Midyear" presents data on prisoners under the jurisdiction of federal or state correctional authorities, collected from the National Prisoner Statistics series
Frequency: Annual
URL: <http://bjs.ojp.usdoj.gov/index.cfm?ty=pbse&sid=38> (1996 through current ed.)

EDUCATION

Title: 2008-09 ACCOUNTABILITY REPORT : Comparison of the Board of Regents approved budget to actual expenditures (Book) --2009.
Source: NEVADA SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION (NSHE)
Pages: 85
Subject: 1. NEVADA SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION (NSHE)--FINANCES.

Title: ALL FUNDS REPORT : For the *QUARTER* (Book) --AN 2006--
Source: NEVADA SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION (NSHE)
Pages: 20+
Subject: 1. NEVADA SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION (NSHE)--FINANCES.
Frequency: Quarterly
Holdings: 9/06, 3/07, 9/07, 9/08, 3/09

Title: THE CONDITION OF EDUCATION : *YEAR* in brief (Book) --AN 2004--

Source: NATIONAL CENTER FOR EDUCATION STATISTICS (NCES)

Pages: 20+

Subject: 1. EDUCATION--STATISTICS.

Notes: Contains a sample of the 38 indicators in The Condition of Education *YEAR*; 6 sections include Education Access, Achievement, Economic Outcomes, Institutional Management, Climate and Resources
Pre-2000 title: The Pocket Condition of Education

See also NCES' website, featuring an integrated collection of the indicators and analyses published in *The Condition of Education* (2000 through the current edition) and links to previous editions of *The Condition of Education*

Frequency: Annual

Holdings: 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010

URL: <http://nces.ed.gov/pubsearch/getpubcats.asp?sid=091#060> (1992-current)

Title: DIGEST OF EDUCATION STATISTICS *YEAR* (Book) --AN 2000--

Source: NATIONAL CENTER FOR EDUCATION STATISTICS (NCES)

Pages: 500+

Subject: 1. EDUCATION--STATISTICS.

Notes: Information on the number of schools and colleges, enrollments, teachers, graduates, educational attainment, finances, federal funds for education, libraries, international education, and research and development; primarily tables
2004 edition available online only

Frequency: Annual

Holdings: 2000, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009

URL: <http://nces.ed.gov/programs/digest/> (1990-current)

Title: EDUCATIONAL TECHNOLOGY IN U.S. PUBLIC SCHOOLS : Fall 2008 (Book) --2010.

Source: NATIONAL CENTER FOR EDUCATION STATISTICS (NCES)

Pages: 66

Series: First Look

Subject: 1. EDUCATIONAL TECHNOLOGY. 2. EDUCATION--SCHOOLS, PUBLIC.

Notes: Report "presents data from a fall 2008 Fast Response Survey System (FRSS) survey of public schools on the availability and use of educational technology. This includes information on computer hardware and Internet access, availability of staff to help integrate technology into instruction and provide timely technical support, and perceptions of educational technology issues at the school and district level. "

URL: <http://nces.ed.gov/pubsearch/pubsinfo.asp?pubid=2010034>

Title: JOBS OUTLOOK : Is a college education important? (Electronic Document) --2010.

Source: CQ RESEARCHER

Pages: 24

Subject: 1. EMPLOYMENT. 2. UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES.

Notes: Looks at 3 main issues: Is the job market most dynamic only at the high and low ends of the scale? Does offshoring present a major threat to U.S. jobs? Do "green" jobs represent an important potential source of new employment?

Title: NEVADA'S PROMISE : Excellence, rigor, and equity -- State of Nevada Race to the Top a pplication for phase 2 funding (Book) --2010.

Source: NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Pages: UNP

Subject: 1. EDUCATION--FINANCES. 2. FINANCES AND FUNDS, FEDERAL.

Notes: Three volumes

Title: NEVADA YOUTH RISK BEHAVIOR SURVEY REPORT : *YEAR* (Book) --AN 1993--

Source: NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Pages: 70+

Subject: 1. CHILD WELFARE. 2. EDUCATION--PUPILS--HEALTH AND NUTRITION. 3. HEALTH CARE--CHILDREN.

Notes: Surveys injuries, tobacco, alcohol and drug use, sexual behavior, diet imbalance, and physical activity

As of 2001 ed., merged with the Safe and Drug-Free Schools Survey

Exhibit I: Assembly Education, 5-12-97, A.C.R. 10 (1995 ed.)

Frequency: Biennial

Holdings: 1993, 1995, 1997, 1999, 2001, 2003, 2005, 2009

URL: <http://www.doe.nv.gov/YRBS.htm> (2005 through current ed.)

Title: READING 2009 : National assessment of educational progress at grades 4 and 8 (Book) --2010.

Source: NATIONAL CENTER FOR EDUCATION STATISTICS (NCES)

Pages: 69

Series: The Nation's Report Card

Subject: 1. EDUCATION--ASSESSMENT. 2. EDUCATION--COMPETENCY TESTING.

Notes: "Highlights of the national results show that gains in overall average scores seen in earlier years did not continue at grade 4 but did continue at grade 8. The overall average score for fourth-graders in 2009 was unchanged from the score in 2007 but was higher than the scores in other earlier assessment years from 1992 to 2005. The average score for eighth-graders in 2009 was 1 point higher than in 2007 and 4 points higher than 1992 but was not consistently higher than in all the assessment years in between. There were no significant changes from 2007 to 2009 in the score gaps between White and Black students or between White and Hispanic students at either grade 4 or grade 8. State results for grade 4 show score increases since 2007 in three states and jurisdictions and decreases in four states. At grade 8, scores were higher in 2009 than in 2007 in nine states and jurisdictions, and no states showed a decline."

URL: <http://nces.ed.gov/pubsearch/pubsinfo.asp?pubid=2010458> (2009 ed.)

<http://nces.ed.gov/pubsearch/pubsinfo.asp?pubid=2007496> (2007 ed.)

Title: SELF-SUPPORTING BUDGET : *YEARS* (Book) --AN 2006--

Source: NEVADA SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION (NSHE)

Pages: 69+

Subject: 1. NEVADA SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION (NSHE)--FINANCES.

Notes: Tables of detailed budget data for each appropriation area, comparing operating budget to actual expenditure

Frequency: Annual

Holdings: 2006-2007, 2007-2008, 2008-2009, 2009-2010

Title: SHAPE OF THE NATION REPORT : Status of physical education in the USA (Electronic Document) --2010.

Source: NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR SPORT AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION (NASPE)

Subject: 1. EDUCATION--PUPILS--ATHLETICS. 2. EDUCATION--CURRICULUM.

Notes: "The Shape of the Nation Report provides a current picture of physical education (PE) in the American education system. Incremental improvements have been made in the last few years in the number of states that now require PE (17% increase) and student assessment in PE (26% increase). However, the Report shows that more states now allow waivers and exemptions from PE classes (77% increase) and no progress has been made in providing daily physical education in all grades K-12."

URL: <http://www.aahperd.org/naspe/publications/Shapeofthenation.cfm?cid=00007>

Title: STATE AND LOCAL IMPLEMENTATION OF THE NO CHILD LEFT BEHIND ACT : Volume IX -- Accountability under NCLB: Final report (Book) --2010.

Source: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Pages: 294

Subject: 1. EDUCATION--ACCOUNTABILITY.

Notes: "Based on findings from two federally funded studies—the Study of State Implementation of Accountability and Teacher Quality Under NCLB (SSI-NCLB) and the National Longitudinal Study of NCLB (NLS-NCLB)—this report describes the progress that states, districts, and schools have made in implementing the accountability provisions of NCLB through 2006–07. Data were collected in state-level interviews; surveys of a nationally representative sample of district officials, principals, and teachers; surveys of parents in eight school districts; and surveys of supplemental educational service providers in 16 districts in 2004–05 and in 2006–07. This report is based on data collected in 2004–05 and 2006–07, and updates findings from the Interim report that were based on data collected in 2004–05."

URL: <http://www2.ed.gov/rschstat/eval/disadv/nclb-accountability/nclb-accountability-final.pdf>

Title: THE STATE OF PRESCHOOL : *YEAR* state preschool yearbook (Book) --AN 2003--

Source: NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR EARLY EDUCATION RESEARCH (NIEER)

Pages: 175+

Subject: 1. EDUCATION--PRESCHOOL.

Notes: "The 2009 State Preschool Yearbook is the seventh in a series of annual reports profiling state-funded prekindergarten programs in the United States. This latest Yearbook presents data on state-funded prekindergarten during the 2008-2009 school year. The first report in this series focused on programs for the 2001-2002 school year and established a baseline against which we may now measure progress over eight years. Tracking these trends is essential, since changes in states' policies on preschool education will influence how successfully America's next generation will compete in the knowledge economy."

Holdings: 2003, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009

URL: <http://nieer.org/yearbook/> (current ed.)

Title: THE TOP AMERICAN RESEARCH UNIVERSITIES : 2009 Annual report (Electronic Document) --2009.

Source: ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY, CENTER FOR MEASURING UNIVERSITY PERFORMANCE

Pages: 200+

Subject: 1. UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES--CURRICULUM.

Notes: "The Center for Measuring University Performance determines the Top American Research Universities by their rank on nine different measures: Total Research, Federal Research, Endowment Assets, Annual Giving, National Academy Members, Faculty Awards, Doctorates Granted, Postdoctoral Appointees, and SAT/ACT range."

URL: <http://mup.asu.edu/research.html> (2000 to current eds.)

Title: *YEAR* SELF-SUPPORTING BUDGET : Budget to actual comparison (Book) --AN 2004--

Source: NEVADA SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION (NSHE)

Pages: 300+

Subject: 1. NEVADA SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION (NSHE)--FINANCES.

Notes: Tables of detailed budget data for each appropriation area, comparing operating budget to actual expenditure

Frequency: Annual

Holdings: 2003-2004, 2005-2006, 2006-2007, 2007-2008, 2008-2009

URL: <http://system.nevada.edu/News/Publicatio/Budget-Rep/index.htm>

Title: *YEAR* STATE OPERATING BUDGET : Budget to actual comparison (Book) --AN 2004--

Source: NEVADA SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION (NSHE)

Pages: 150+

Subject: 1. NEVADA SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION (NSHE)--FINANCES.

Notes: Tables comparing operating budget and actual expenditures for all major NSHE categories

Frequency: Annual

Holdings: 2004-2005, 2005-2006, 2006-2007, 2007-2008, 2008-2009

Title: *YEAR* SUMMER SCHOOL/CALENDAR YEAR BUDGET TO ACTUAL; *YEAR* SUMMER SCHOOL/CALENDAR YEAR BUDGETS; *YEAR* MID-YEAR SELF SUPPORTING BUDGETS (Book) --AN 2007--

Source: NEVADA SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION (NSHE)

Pages: 22+

Subject: 1. COMMUNITY COLLEGES--NEVADA. 2. EDUCATION--FINANCES--NEVADA. 3. NEVADA SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION (NSHE)

Notes: Alternate title: *YEAR* Summer School Budgets/*YEAR* Mid-Year Self Supporting Budgets

Frequency: Annual

Holdings: 2007/2006-07, 2009/2008-09 (2 vols.), 2010/2009-10 (2 vols.)

ENVIRONMENT & NATURAL RESOURCES

Title: CREATING VALUE : Recycling in the southern states (Electronic Document) --2010.

Source: COUNCIL OF STATE GOVERNMENTS, SOUTHERN

Pages: 48

Subject: 1. RECYCLING.

Notes: Discusses recycling in 15 southern states: AL, AR, FL, GA, KY, LA, MS, MO, NC, OK, SC, TN, TX, VA, WV

URL: <http://www.slcatlanta.org/Publications/EnergyEnvironment/recycling-web.pdf>

GOVERNMENT & POLITICS

Title: CENSUS CONTROVERSY : Should undocumented immigrants be counted? (Electronic Document) --2010.

Source: CQ RESEARCHER

Pages: 24

Subject: 1. CENSUS, 2010. 2. ILLEGAL IMMIGRANTS.

Notes: Looks at 3 main issues: Will the 2010 census be accurate? Should the census include undocumented immigrants? Should the long form be replaced by the American Community Survey?

Includes historical background about the census

Title: COMMITTEE TO CONSULT WITH THE DIRECTOR (NRS 218E.225) : *DATE* (Book) --AN 2000--
Source: NEVADA LEGISLATURE
Pages: 40+
Subject: 1. LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL BUREAU.
Notes: Committee created pursuant to NRS 218E.225 (formerly NRS 218.68249; formerly NRS 218.6828)
Meeting packets
Holdings: February 7, 2000; July 6, 2000; November 30, 2001; May 1, 2002; July 6, 2006; November 28, 2006; June 14, 2010

Title: ELECTION RESULTS B Y P R E C I N C T (A B S T R A C T) A N D E A R L Y V O T I N G A N D A B S E N T E E S T A T I S T I C S B Y E L E C T I O N (Electronic Document)
Source: WASHOE COUNTY REGISTRAR OF VOTERS
Subject: 1. ELECTIONS--NEVADA. 2. ELECTION RESULTS. 3. WASHOE COUNTY.
Notes: Includes general election results from 1998 to the present.
Includes primary election results from 1998 to the present.
Includes absent ballot and early voting numbers from 1996 to the present.
URL: <http://www.co.washoe.nv.us/voters/election04info.htm>

Title: FEDERAL REGIONAL YELLOW BOOK : Who's who in the federal government's departments, agencies, diplomatic missions, military installations and service academies outside of Washington, DC (Book) -- Summer 2010. --2010.
Source: LEADERSHIP DIRECTORIES, INC.
Pages: 1000+
Subject: 1. DIRECTORIES. 2. GOVERNMENT.
Frequency: Semiannual

Title: THE FISCAL SURVEY OF STATES : *YEAR* (Book) --AN 2007--
Source: NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF STATE BUDGET OFFICERS (NASBO)
NATIONAL GOVERNORS' ASSOCIATION (NGA)
Pages: 48+
Subject: 1. FINANCES AND FUNDS, STATE.
Notes: Aggregate and individual data on states' general fund receipts, expenditures and balances
Frequency: Semiannual
Holdings: 2007 (June and December), 2008 (June and December), 2009 (June and December), June 2010
URL: <http://www.nasbo.org/Publications/FiscalSurvey/tabid/65/Default.aspx> (1979 to current ed.)

Title: INDEX OF HISTORICAL ELECTION RESULTS : Election Department - Clark County, Nevada (Electronic Document)
Source: CLARK COUNTY ELECTION DEPARTMENT
Subject: 1. ELECTIONS--NEVADA. 2. ELECTION RESULTS. 3. CLARK COUNTY.
Notes: Includes general election results from 1909 to the present.
Includes primary election results from 1998 to the present.
Includes municipal primary and general election results from 1999 to the present.
Some years have only partial results available.
URL: http://www.accessclarkcounty.com/depts/Election/English/Pages/history_index.aspx

Title: LEGISLATIVE DRAFTER'S DESKBOOK : A practical guide (Book) --2006.

Source: THECAPITOL.NET

Pages: 618

Subject: 1. LEGISLATURES--BILLS.

Notes: Contents:

- Chapter 1: Being a Drafter
- Chapter 2: Understanding How Laws Are Made
- Chapter 3: Considering the Courts: Statutory Interpretation
- Chapter 4: Thinking Through the Policy
- Chapter 5: Choosing the Right Measure
- Chapter 6: Writing Effectively
- Chapter 7: Organizing and Arranging
- Chapter 8: Using the Right Style
- Chapter 9: Affecting and Amending Other Laws
- Chapter 10: Working in, and Working with, the Executive Branch
- Appendix One: The Impact of Information Technology on Drafting
- Appendix Two: Suggestions for Further Reading
- Appendix Three: Useful Web Sites
- Appendix Four: The Legislative Process--A Working Example
- Appendix Five: Positive Law and Non-Positive Law
- Appendix Six: Concerning Birds and Ponies, Poultry and Rabbits
- Appendix Seven: The Federal Legislative Measures--Some Examples
- Appendix Eight: The Federal Drafting Styles--Some Examples
- Appendix Nine: Executive Branch Materials
- Appendix Ten: A Drafting Practicum
- Appendix Eleven: The Constitution of the United States

Title: POLICY AND PROGRAM REPORT : *YEAR* (Background Paper) --AN 2005--

Source: LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL BUREAU, RESEARCH DIVISION

Pages: 400+

Subject: 1. REFERENCE DATA.

Notes: Former title: Policy Briefs

The purpose of the reports is primarily to give legislators some fundamental background on key legislative issues; they are not meant to be comprehensive treatments of the subject matter.

There are 32 separate briefs under 8 general headings: Business and Labor, Commerce, Education, Gaming in Nevada, Government, Health and Human Services, Justice System, Public Lands and Natural Resources

Frequency: Biennial

Holdings: 2005, 2006, 2006-2007 (print version includes Research Briefs), 2008-2009, 2010-2011

URL: <http://www.leg.state.nv.us/Division/Research/Publications/PandPReport/index.cfm> (current ed.)

Title: STATE OF NEVADA CLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION PLAN : Schematic and alphabetical arrangements of classes (Book) --AN 2000--

Source: NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL

Pages: 150+

Subject: 1. STATE EMPLOYEES.

Notes: Last updated June 11, 2010

12-07 and 2008 editions includes "Classified and Unclassified Compensation Schedules"

Holdings: 2000, 2001, 2003 (includes 11-15-03 and 1-2-04 revisions), 2005 (includes 2006 revisions), 2007 (3 eds.; 7-1-07, 10-15-07, and 12-20-07), 2008 (includes 2009 revisions), 2009 (includes 2009 and 2010 revisions)

URL: <http://dop.nv.gov/ClassPlan.html>

Title: THE WAGE PENALTY FOR STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES (Electronic Document) --2010.

Source: CENTER FOR ECONOMIC POLICY AND RESEARCH (CEPR)

Pages: 20

Subject: 1. COMPENSATION, WAGES AND HOURS. 2. LOCAL GOVERNMENT--EMPLOYEES. 3. STATE EMPLOYEES--COMPENSATION.

Notes: "State and local government budgets are under severe strain. Rather than blame the recession, which has simultaneously slashed tax revenues and increased the demand for social services, some conservatives have argued that excessive pay for public employees is the real cause of the financial woes. Several recent reports in the media have reinforced this view by emphasizing that, on average, government employees earn more than workers in the private sector. The problem with these analyses is that state and local government workers have much higher levels of formal education and are older (and therefore generally more experienced) than workers in the private sector. When state and local government employees are compared to private-sector workers with similar characteristics, state and local workers actually earn 4 percent less, on average, than their private-sector counterparts. This paper examines the wage penalty for working in the state-and-local sector."

URL: <http://www.cepr.net/index.php/publications/reports/wage-penalty-state-local-gov-employees/>

HEALTH & WELFARE

Title: CANCER FACTS AND FIGURES *YEAR* (Book) --AN 2000--

Source: AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY

Pages: 48+

Subject: 1. CANCER. 2. STATISTICS.

Notes: Exhibit E: Assembly Health and Human Services, 3-26-03, A.B. 315 (2003 ed.)

Exhibit S: Senate Finance 3-26-03, S.B. 352 (2003 ed.)

Exhibit GG: Assembly Commerce and Labor, 4-9-03, A.B. 502 (2003 ed.)

Holdings: 2000, 2003, 2005, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010

URL: <http://www.cancer.org/Research/CancerFactsFigures/CancerFactsFigures/index> (2005-current)

Title: HEALTH CARE REFORM : Is the landmark new plan a good idea? (Electronic Document) --2010.

Source: CQ RESEARCHER

Pages: 24

Subject: 1. HEALTH CARE REFORM--FEDERAL.

Notes: Looks at 3 main issues: Is the new health-care reform law a good idea? Will people with insurance lose out under the new law? Will health care reform make care more affordable?

MISCELLANEOUS

Title: BRINGING AMERICA UP TO SPEED : States' role in expanding broadband (Electronic Document) --2010.

Source: PEW CENTER ON THE STATES

Pages: 42

Subject: 1. INTERNET ACCESS. 2. TELECOMMUNICATIONS.

Notes: Report "looks at the national push to ensure high-quality, high-speed broadband access for all Americans. The report highlights innovative state programs that served as models for the FCC's plan—and examines the myriad challenges all states will face if they are to play a key role in expanding this technology in unprecedented ways."

URL: http://www.pewcenteronthestates.org/report_detail.aspx?id=59149

Title: EVERY LANDLORD'S LEGAL GUIDE (Book CD) -- 10th ed. --2010.

Source: NOLO

Pages: 200+

Subject: 1. LANDLORD AND TENANT.

Notes: Includes CD-ROM

"Provides plain-English legal information and forms for any landlord in any state"

NEVADA

Title: NEVADA : This is our land (Book) --NV 1994.

Source: MILUCK, NANCY CHRISTIAN

Pages: 207

Subject: 1. NEVADA HISTORY.

Notes: Survey from prehistory to present

TRANSPORTATION

Title: STANDARD PLANS FOR ROAD AND BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION (Book) --AN 1986--

Source: NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Pages: 775+

Subject: 1. HIGHWAYS AND ROADS--NEVADA.

Notes: Includes general requirements, construction details, materials details

Pre 2003 title: Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction

Holdings: 1986, 1996, 2003, 2007, 2010

URL: <http://www.nevadadot.com/business/contractor/standards/> (2001, 2007 and 2010 eds.)