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School Siting and Design: School Minimum Acreage Guidelines Scoring Details by State

This table summarizes the state minimum acreage requirements for schools at each grade level (elementary, middle, and high school) by state. The first column under each grade level sets out the acreage range of the requirement and the second column indicates the scoring correlated with that range. Refer to Section IV. Overview of the Report Cards: Key Topics & Grading for a full description of the indicator and scoring.

STATE	Elementary Minimum Acreage Requirement	Elementary Minimum Acreage Score	Middle School Minimum Acreage Requirement	Middle School Minimum Acreage Score	High School Minimum Acreage Requirement	High School Minimum Acreage Score	Total Minimum Acreage Requirement Score
Alabama	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	0
Alaska	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	0
Arizona	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	0
Arkansas	>5 ac req	-4	> 10 ac req	-3	>15 ac req	-3	-10
California	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	0
Colorado	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	0
Connecticut	>5 ac req	-4	> 10 ac req	-3	>15 ac req	-3	-10
Delaware	>5 ac req	-4	> 10 ac req	-3	>15 ac req	-3	-10
District of Columbia	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	0
Florida	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	0
Georgia	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	> 10 ac req	-3	>15 ac req	-3	-6
Hawaii	>5 ac req	-4	> 10 ac req	-3	>15 ac req	-3	-10
Idaho	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	0
Illinois	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	0
Indiana	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	0
Iowa	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	0
Kansas	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	0
Kentucky	>5 ac req	-4	> 10 ac req	-3	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	-7
Louisiana	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	0
Maine	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	0
Maryland	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	0
Massachusetts	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	0
Michigan	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	0
Minnesota	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	0
Mississippi	>5 ac req	-4	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	>15 ac req	-3	-7
Missouri	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	0
Montana	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	0
Nebraska	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	0
Nevada	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	0
New Hampshire	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	0
New Jersey	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	0
New Mexico	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	0
New York	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	0
North Carolina	>5 ac req	-4	> 10 ac req	-3	>15 ac req	-3	-10
North Dakota	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	0
Ohio	>5 ac req	-4	> 10 ac req	-3	>15 ac req	-3	-10
Oklahoma	>5 ac req	-4	> 10 ac req	-3	>15 ac req	-3	-10
Oregon	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	0
Pennsylvania	>5 ac req	-4	> 10 ac req	-3	>15 ac req	-3	-10
Rhode Island	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	0
South Carolina	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	0
South Dakota	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	0
Tennessee	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	0
Texas	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	0
Utah	>5 ac req	-4	> 10 ac req	-3	>15 ac req	-3	-10
Vermont	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	0
Virginia	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	0
Washington	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	0
West Virginia	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	> 10 ac req	-3	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	-3
Wisconsin	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 15 ac	0	0
Wyoming	No min ac req or ≤ 5 ac	0	No min ac req or ≤ 10 ac	0	>15 ac req	-3	-3