

Table 1.7 Percent of Teens Ages 16 - 19 Not in School and Not Working and Percent Change in the 50 States and the District of Columbia, 2000 - 2005

Ranked by Percent Change (2000 - 2005)

RANK		PERCENT NOT IN SCHOOL AND NOT WORKING AGE 16-19 2000	PERCENT NOT IN SCHOOL AND NOT WORKING AGE 16-19 2005	PERCENT CHANGE 2000-2005
1	Nevada	16	9	-44
2	Connecticut	8	5	-38
3	Idaho	11	7	-36
4	Louisiana	15	10	-33
5	Arizona	13	9	-31
6	Arkansas	12	9	-25
6	Utah	8	6	-25
8	Georgia	14	11	-21
9	Hawaii	10	8	-20
9	Indiana	10	8	-20
9	Oregon	10	8	-20
12	North Carolina	11	9	-18
12	Texas	11	9	-18
14	Alabama	12	10	-17
14	Massachusetts	6	5	-17
14	South Carolina	12	10	-17
17	Illinois	9	8	-11
17	Maryland	9	8	-11
17	Michigan	9	8	-11
17	New York	9	8	-11
21	Oklahoma	11	10	-9
22	Kentucky	12	11	-8
23	California	8	8	0
23	Delaware	9	9	0
23	Iowa	6	6	0
23	Mississippi	11	11	0
23	Missouri	9	9	0
23	Nebraska	5	5	0
23	New Jersey	7	7	0
23	New Mexico	11	11	0
23	Pennsylvania	7	7	0
23	Tennessee	11	11	0
23	Vermont	7	7	0
23	Virginia	7	7	0
23	West Virginia	11	11	0
36	Florida	8	9	13
36	Washington	8	9	13
38	Montana	7	8	14
38	Ohio	7	8	14
38	Rhode Island	7	8	14
41	Colorado	6	7	17
41	Kansas	6	7	17
41	Wisconsin	6	7	17
41	Wyoming	6	7	17
45	New Hampshire	5	6	20
46	Alaska	8	10	25
46	Minnesota	4	5	25
46	North Dakota	4	5	25
49	South Dakota	6	8	33
50	Maine	4	7	75
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Not Ranked	District of Columbia	12	8	-33