

## How Does Massachusetts Compare to the Race to the Top Winners? *MBAE's Analysis*

| <b>Massachusetts – 411.4 out of 500 points</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | <b>Delaware – 454.6 out of 500 points</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | <b>Tennessee – 444.2 out of 500 points</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
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| <p>Budget: \$287 million<br/>Budget Bracket: \$150-250 million</p> <p><b>State Success Factors: 111.4 out of 125</b><br/>- District Participation: 65% (256 of 392 districts)<br/>- Union Participation: 100% (203 of 203 applicable districts)</p> <p><b>Standards and Assessments: 53.8 out of 70</b><br/>- Will adopt Common Core by Fall 2010<br/>- Participating in 2 assessment consortia</p> <p><b>Data Systems: 38.4 out of 47</b><br/>- Will meet all 12 COMPETES elements by fall 2011<br/>- Teaching and Learning system will give teachers access to student data and instructional materials</p> <p><b>Great Teachers and Leaders: 101.4 out of 138</b><br/>- Student Growth will be an element of teacher and principal evaluations<br/>- Expert committee will create new evaluations<br/>- Pilot programs will test using new evaluations for career and compensation decisions</p> <p><b>School Turnaround: 47.4 out of 50</b><br/>- Develop a “turnaround corps” of educators trained specifically for turning around schools<br/>- Attract, develop, and manage turnaround partners</p> <p><b>Charter, STEM and General: 59 out of 70</b><br/>- Creation of STEM Advisory Council<br/>- Recent school intervention and charter legislation<br/>- History of high academic and test performance<br/>- “Smart Cap” charter law –targeted cap increases</p> | <p>Budget: \$107 million<br/>Budget Bracket: \$20-75 million</p> <p><b>State Success Factors: 119.4 out of 125</b><br/>District Participation: 100% (38 total districts)<br/>Union Participation: 100% (38 of 38 applicable districts)</p> <p><b>Standards and Assessments: 68.8 out of 70</b><br/>- Will adopt Common Core by June 2010<br/>- Participating in 4 assessment consortia</p> <p><b>Data Systems: 39.8 out of 47</b><br/>- Already meets all 12 America COMPETES elements<br/>- 35 “data coaches” deployed to schools to support data driven instruction</p> <p><b>Great Teachers and Leaders: 119.2 out of 138</b><br/>- Student Growth <i>must</i> be demonstrated to be classified as an “effective teacher”<br/>- Districts required to create “Teacher Leader” career pathway and create at least one teacher leader position in each high-need school</p> <p><b>School Turnaround: 42.8 out of 50</b><br/>- Creation of state “turnaround office”<br/>- State Secretary of Education can break union/district stalemate over turnaround plans</p> <p><b>Charter, STEM and General: 57.4 out of 70</b><br/>- Creation of STEM Coordinating Council<br/>- Focus on statewide programs and legislation<br/>- Already had uniform teacher evaluation program<br/>- No charter caps</p> | <p>Budget: \$501 million<br/>Budget Bracket: \$150-250 million</p> <p><b>State Success Factors: 112 out of 125</b><br/>District Participation: 100% (140 total districts)<br/>Union Participation: 93% (115 of 124 applicable districts)</p> <p><b>Standards and Assessments: 68.4 out of 70</b><br/>- Will adopt Common Core by August 2010<br/>- Participating in 5 assessment consortia</p> <p><b>Data Systems: 43.6 out of 47</b><br/>- Already meets all 12 America COMPETES elements<br/>- Promises all teachers will be trained in student data use by 2014</p> <p><b>Great Teachers and Leaders: 114 out of 138</b><br/>- Student Growth is 50% of teacher evaluation as mandated by new legislation<br/>- Creates \$12 million incentive funds for districts to implement new compensation models<br/>- New evaluations used in tenure decisions</p> <p><b>School Turnaround: 48 out of 50</b><br/>- Creation of Achievement School Districts (ASDs) in 13 lowest performing districts.<br/>- All collective bargaining removed from ASDs</p> <p><b>Charter, STEM and General: 58.2 out of 70</b><br/>- Creation of Tennessee STEM Innovation Network<br/>- Long history of longitudinal data<br/>- Strong Governor and bipartisan support<br/>- Recently raised charter cap from 50 to 90 schools</p> |