2003 Equalized Tax Rates

School Tax Rate and Total Local Tax Rate

(With State Rankings Based on School Tax & Total Tax)

		(Col. 1	(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	(Col. 4)	(Со	1. 5)
				Total		State R	ankings
Atlantic	County	Equalized School Tax	Eq. Sch. Tax Rate as	Equalized Tax Rate (Sch, Mun, Cnty)	Total Tax Rate as	School Tax	Total Tax
	State Avg Tax Ro	<i>Rate</i> ate: \$1.28	Pct. of State Avg.	\$2.32	Pct. of State Avg.	(1=highe 566=lowe	
GSCS A	bsecon City	\$1.68	131.1%	\$3.13	135.3%	148	90
A	tlantic City	\$0.88	68.5%	\$2.70	116.5%	497	199
В	rigantine City	\$0.79	61.7%	\$1.96	84.7%	511	450
В	uena Borough	\$1.55	121.1%	\$2.80	121.0%	219	164
В	uena Vista Township	\$1.54	120.0%	\$2.39	103.0%	226	304
С	orbin City	\$1.66	129.8%	\$2.51	108.5%	158	259
E	gg Harbor City	\$1.81	141.4%	\$3.69	159.3%	88	25
E	gg Harbor Township	\$1.70	132.6%	\$2.50	108.0%	141	263
E	stell Manor City	\$1.51	117.7%	\$2.13	91.8%	240	394
F	olsom Borough	\$1.19	92.6%	\$1.99	85.9%	400	444
G	alloway Township	\$1.69	132.3%	\$2.70	116.7%	143	194
Н	amilton Township	\$1.54	120.0%	\$2.63	113.5%	227	217
Н	ammonton Township	\$1.62	126.1%	\$2.79	120.3%	186	173
Li	inwood City	\$1.88	147.0%	\$3.11	134.2%	55	95
Lo	ongport City	\$0.06	5.0%	\$1.02	43.9%	561	552
Μ	largate City	\$0.59	46.4%	\$1.82	78.6%	530	477
Μ	Iullica City	\$1.48	115.8%	\$2.65	114.5%	258	210
Ν	orthfield City	\$1.66	129.8%	\$2.86	123.5%	160	146
Р	leasantville City	\$1.22	95.3%	\$3.43	147.9%	391	43 Abbott
P	ort Republic City	\$1.33	103.5%	\$2.17	93.6%	344	378
S	omers Point City	\$1.45	113.5%	\$2.62	112.9%	278	222
V	entnor City	\$1.07	83.7%	\$2.73	117.8%	442	189
W	/eymouth Township	\$1.17	91.6%	\$1.83	79.1%	407	473

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	(Col. 1	(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	(Col. 4)	(Co	l. 5)
			Total		State R	ankings
Bergen County	Equalized School Tax Rate	Eq. Sch. Tax Rate as Pct. of State	Equalized Tax Rate (Sch, Mun, Cnty)	Total Tax Rate as Pct. of	School Tax	Total Tax
State Avg Tax Ra		Avg.	\$2.32	State Avg.	(1=highe 566=lowe	0
GSCS Allendale Borough	\$1.36	105.8%	\$2.05	88.5%	329	415
Alpine Borough	\$0.35	27.4%	\$0.79	34.1%	547	562
Bergenfield Borough	\$1.71	133.2%	\$2.95	127.5%	136	123
Bogota Borough	\$1.75	136.6%	\$2.79	120.4%	115	170
Carlstadt Borough	\$0.70	54.7%	\$1.59	68.4%	523	518
Cliffside Park Borough	\$0.96	74.9%	\$1.93	83.2%	477	459
GSCS Closter Borough	\$1.46	113.7%	\$2.12	91.5%	274	396
GSCS Cresskill Borough	\$1.27	99.1%	\$2.00	86.4%	372	439
GSCS Demarest Borough	\$1.51	117.5%	\$2.18	94.3%	242	376
Dumont Borough	\$1.72	134.6%	\$2.60	112.1%	127	230
East Rutherford Boroug	า \$1.24	96.6%	\$1.78	76.8%	382	485
Edgewater Borough	\$0.54	42.3%	\$1.61	69.4%	532	516
Elmwood Park Borough	\$1.32	102.8%	\$2.16	93.3%	348	379
GSCS Emerson Borough	\$1.50	116.7%	\$2.42	104.6%	252	289
Englewood City	\$1.10	85.9%	\$2.31	99.7%	431	343
GSCS Englewood Cliffs Boroug	gh \$0.37	28.8%	\$0.94	40.4%	542	554
GSCS Fair Lawn Borough	\$1.57	122.9%	\$2.37	102.4%	206	310
Fairview Borough	\$1.35	105.4%	\$2.63	113.4%	332	218
GSCS Fort Lee Borough	\$0.93	72.6%	\$2.11	91.0%	483	403
GSCS Franklin Lakes Borough	\$1.01	78.6%	\$1.46	63.0%	465	528
Garfield City	\$1.29	100.7%	\$2.36	101.7%	365	320 Abbott
Glen Rock Borough	\$1.65	128.8%	\$2.45	105.6%	170	280
GSCS Hackensack City	\$1.47	115.1%	\$2.95	127.3%	267	126
GSCS Harrington Park Boroug	n \$1.62	126.5%	\$2.29	98.7%	181	350
Hasbrouck Heights Bord		109.7%	\$2.43	104.8%	307	287
GSCS Haworth Borough	\$1.50	117.4%	\$2.32	100.2%	243	337
Hillsdale Borough	\$1.45	113.6%	\$2.04	88.0%	277	422
Ho-Ho-Kus Borough	\$0.92	71.6%	\$1.64	70.8%	487	512
GSCS Leonia Borough	\$1.43	111.3%	\$2.36	102.0%	293	315
Little Ferry Borough	\$1.50	117.2%	\$2.65	114.3%	247	212
Lodi Borough	\$1.81	141.1%	\$2.84	122.5%	91	156
Lyndhurst Township	\$1.24	96.6%	\$2.31	99.9%	381	342
Mahwah Township	\$0.88	68.9%	\$1.32	57.1%	495	535
GSCS Maywood Borough	\$1.31	102.6%	\$2.38	102.7%	350	307
Midland Park Borough	\$1.42	110.9%	\$2.23	96.4%	297	362
GSCS Montvale Borough	\$1.10	85.8%	\$1.77	76.5%	435	486
Moonachie Borough	\$0.91	71.0%	\$1.67	72.2%	489	506
GSCS New Milford Borough	\$1.50	117.4%	\$2.42	104.5%	244	290
North Arlington Borough	\$1.51	118.1%	\$2.67	115.5%	237	203
Northvale Borough	\$1.46	114.0%	\$2.31	99.7%	273	344
GSCS Norwood Borough	\$1.30	101.1%	\$2.01	86.8%	360	434
GSCS Oakland Borough	\$1.48	115.2%	\$2.15	92.9%	265	383
GSCS Old Tappan Borough	\$1.34	104.9%	\$1.77	76.3%	334	488
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Bergen County	Equalized School Tax Rate	Eq. Sch. Tax Rate as Pct. of State	Tax Rate (Sch, Mun, Cnty)	Total Tax Rate as Pct. of	School Tax	Total Tax
State Avg Tax Ra		Avg.	\$2.32	State Avg.	(1=highe: 566=lowe	
SSCS Oradell Borough	\$1.39	108.2%	\$2.14	92.4%	318	388
Palisades Park Borough	\$1.10	85.9%	\$1.96	84.5%	434	452
SSCS Paramus Borough	\$0.92	72.1%	\$1.57	67.6%	484	522
SCS Park Ridge Borough	\$1.11	86.4%	\$1.81	78.2%	429	478
SSCS Ramsey Borough	\$1.43	111.9%	\$2.13	91.9%	289	393
Ridgefield Borough	\$0.76	59.5%	\$1.29	55.9%	519	538
SCS Ridgefield Park Village	\$1.72	134.3%	\$2.91	125.5%	129	137
SCS Ridgewood Village	\$1.42	110.5%	\$2.11	91.3%	301	401
SCS River Edge Borough	\$1.56	121.9%	\$2.47	106.7%	213	273
SCS River Vale Township	\$1.45	113.2%	\$2.04	88.2%	280	418
SCS Rochelle Park Township	\$1.08	84.3%	\$2.01	86.9%	439	433
Rockleigh Borough	\$0.24	18.9%	\$0.90	38.7%	551	556
Rutherford Borough	\$1.54	120.6%	\$2.53	109.2%	223	250
Saddle Brook Township	\$1.21	94.3%	\$2.04	87.9%	395	424
SCS Saddle River Borough	\$0.35	27.5%	\$0.82	35.2%	546	561
South Hackensack Town	shi \$0.91	71.2%	\$2.19	94.8%	488	373
SCS Teaneck Township	\$1.71	133.6%	\$2.88	124.4%	134	141
SCS Tenafly Borough	\$1.44	112.6%	\$2.21	95.5%	286	369
Teterboro Borough	\$0.13	10.2%	\$1.31	56.7%	558	536
SCS Upper Saddle River Boro	oug \$1.16	90.4%	\$1.60	69.1%	415	517
Waldwick Borough	\$1.57	122.3%	\$2.30	99.3%	210	347
Wallington Borough	\$1.36	106.5%	\$2.21	95.4%	322	370
Washington Township	\$1.19	92.6%	\$1.88	81.0%	402	464
SCS Westwood Borough	\$1.22	94.9%	\$2.12	91.3%	392	400
SCS Woodcliff Lake Borough	\$1.10	86.1%	\$1.72	74.3%	430	497
SSCS Wood-Ridge Borough	\$1.14	89.0%	\$2.02	87.3%	419	430
SSCS Wyckoff Township	\$1.22	95.6%	\$1.66	71.5%	388	507

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			Total		State R	ankings
Burlington County	Equalized School Tax <u>Rate</u>	Eq. Sch. Tax Rate as Pct. of State	Equalized Tax Rate (Sch, Mun, Cnty)	Total Tax Rate as Pct. of	School Tax (1=highe	Total Tax st taxing
State Avg Tax Ra	<i>te: \$1.28</i>	Avg.	\$2.32	State Avg.	566=lowe	
Bass River Township	\$2.24	174.9%	\$2.87	123.9%	12	145
Beverly City	\$2.09	163.4%	\$3.67	158.4%	19	26
Bordentown City	\$1.90	148.2%	\$3.29	142.2%	51	62
Bordentown Township	\$1.82	142.2%	\$2.71	116.8%	76	193
Burlington City	\$1.70	133.0%	\$2.97	128.3%	137	117 Abbott
Burlington Township	\$1.57	122.8%	\$2.38	103.0%	207	305
Chesterfield Township	\$1.95	152.4%	\$2.54	109.8%	39	247
Cinnaminson Township	\$1.81	141.5%	\$2.75	118.9%	85	181
Delanco Township	\$1.75	136.9%	\$2.91	125.5%	111	136
Delran Township	\$1.83	142.9%	\$2.91	125.5%	73	135
Eastampton Township	\$1.62	126.7%	\$3.01	129.8%	179	113
Edgewater Park Townsh	iip \$1.59	124.0%	\$2.62	113.3%	195	220
Evesham Township	\$1.93	150.8%	\$2.80	121.0%	43	166
Fieldsboro Borough	\$1.81	141.6%	\$2.86	123.5%	84	148
Florence Township	\$1.61	125.9%	\$2.66	114.8%	187	206
Hainesport Township	\$1.56	121.9%	\$2.35	101.4%	214	323
Lumberton Township	\$1.57	122.2%	\$2.36	102.1%	212	314
Mansfield Township	\$1.74	136.1%	\$2.33	100.7%	118	332
Maple Shade Borough	\$1.87	146.3%	\$2.81	121.5%	60	162
Medford Lakes Borough	\$2.17	169.6%	\$3.35	144.8%	13	52
Medford Township	\$2.08	162.1%	\$2.94	126.9%	21	127
GSCS Moorestown Township	\$1.58	123.3%	\$2.40	103.4%	202	301
Mount Holly Township	\$1.71	133.3%	\$2.90	125.1%	135	139
GSCS Mount Laurel Township	\$1.86	145.2%	\$2.76	119.3%	63	177
New Hanover Township	\$1.81	141.2%	\$2.32	100.1%	89	339
North Hanover Township	\$1.45	113.2%	\$2.16	93.3%	281	380
Palmyra Borough	\$1.66	130.0%	\$2.99	129.3%	156	116
Pemberton Borough	\$2.11	164.6%	\$3.18	137.2%	17	80
Pemberton Township	\$1.24	96.8%	\$2.77	119.4%	378	176 Abbott
Riverside Township	\$1.49	116.4%	\$2.62	113.3%	254	219
Riverton Borough	\$1.92	149.9%	\$3.28	141.6%	45	64
Shamong Township	\$2.09	163.3%	\$2.60	112.3%	20	228
Southampton Township	\$1.91	148.7%	\$2.61	112.5%	47	226
Springfield Township	\$1.75	136.6%	\$2.64	113.9%	116	213
Tabernacle Township	\$1.91	148.7%	\$2.64	113.9%	46	214
Washington Township	\$1.39	108.2%	\$1.89	81.8%	319	462
Westampton Township	\$1.46	113.6%	\$2.40	103.7%	276	298
Willingboro Township	\$1.75	136.9%	\$3.49	150.8%	110	41
Woodland Township	\$1.78	138.7%	\$2.35	101.5%	102	322
Wrightstown Borough	\$1.84	143.8%	\$2.35	101.4%	70	327

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Camden County	Equalized School Tax Pate	Eq. Sch. Tax Rate as	Tax Rate (Sch, Mun, Cnty)	Total Tax Rate as Pct. of	School Tax	Tota Tax	
State Avg Tax R	<i>Rate</i> ate: \$1.28	Pct. of State Avg.	\$2.32	State Avg.	(1=highe 566=lowe	0	
Audubon Borough	\$1.88	146.4%	\$3.55	153.2%	58	34	
Audubon Park Borough	n \$1.16	90.5%	\$4.81	207.9%	414	5	
Barrington Borough	\$2.08	162.0%	\$3.72	160.8%	22	22	
Bellmawr Borough	\$1.85	144.8%	\$3.73	161.0%	64	21	
Berlin Borough	\$1.74	135.9%	\$3.20	138.3%	119	73	
Berlin Township	\$1.85	144.1%	\$3.54	152.7%	67	35	
Brooklawn Borough	\$1.30	101.3%	\$3.42	147.8%	357	44	
Camden City	\$0.73	57.1%	\$3.65	157.7%	520	27 /	Abbott
GSCS Cherry Hill Township	\$2.00	155.8%	\$3.19	137.6%	31	78	
Chesilhurst Borough	\$1.55	120.6%	\$3.00	129.7%	222	114	
Clementon Borough	\$1.60	125.3%	\$3.72	160.5%	191	23	
Collingswood Borough	\$1.89	147.4%	\$3.79	163.6%	54	18	
Gibbsboro Borough	\$1.82	142.2%	\$3.28	141.6%	78	65	
Gloucester City City	\$0.90	70.0%	\$3.24	139.9%	492	69 A	Abbott
Gloucester Township	\$1.73	135.4%	\$3.41	147.1%	121	46	
Haddon Heights Borou		156.4%	\$3.62	156.2%	29	30	
GSCS Haddon Township	\$1.90	148.7%	\$3.42	147.6%	48	45	
GSCS Haddonfield Borough	\$1.82	141.7%	\$3.12	134.5%	82	94	
Hi-nella Borough	\$3.11	243.0%	\$4.97	214.4%	2	4	
Laurel Springs Borough		141.0%	\$3.56	153.6%	93	33	
Lawnside Borough	\$1.73	135.0%	\$3.35	144.8%	124	53	
Lindenwold Borough	\$2.43	189.8%	\$4.42	190.7%	5	6	
Magnolia Borough	\$2.25	175.7%	\$4.24	182.9%	10	10	
Merchantville Borough	\$2.17	169.4%	\$4.04	174.6%	14	13	
Mount Ephrain Boroug		121.5%	\$3.73	161.1%	216	20	
Oaklyn Borough	\$1.62	126.2%	\$3.65	157.6%	184	28	
Pennsauken Township		129.3%	\$3.21	138.8%	165	71	
Pine Hill Borough	\$2.40	187.6%	\$4.23	182.8%	6	11	
Pine Valley Borough	\$0.00	0.0%	\$1.66	71.5%	565	508	
Runnemede Borough	\$2.16	168.7%	\$3.79	163.4%	15	19	
Somerdale Borough	\$2.35	183.8%	\$4.18	180.4%	8	12	
Stratford Borough	\$2.33	181.6%	\$3.86	166.7%	9	16	
Tavistock Borough	\$1.63	127.4%	\$3.87	167.0%	177	15	
GSCS Voorhees Township	\$1.93	151.0%	\$3.34	144.3%	42	54	
Waterford Township	\$1.94	151.5%	\$3.71	160.1%	41	24	
Winslow Township	\$1.83	142.7%	\$3.31	142.7%	74	60	
Woodlynne Borough	\$2.00	155.8%	\$5.00	216.0%	30	3	

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State Avg Tax Rate		Avg.	\$2.32	State Avg.	(1=highes 566=lowe	
Avalon Borough	\$0.06	4.7%	\$0.61	26.4%	562	566
Cape May City	\$0.44	34.4%	\$1.10	47.5%	536	546
Cape May Point Borough	\$0.03	2.2%	\$0.66	28.4%	563	564
Dennis Township	\$1.17	91.3%	\$1.62	69.8%	408	514
Lower Township	\$1.06	82.8%	\$1.98	85.6%	450	446
Middle Township	\$1.42	110.8%	\$2.20	95.1%	298	371
North Wildwood City	\$0.60	46.9%	\$1.88	81.0%	529	465
Ocean City City	\$0.35	27.2%	\$1.14	49.0%	548	543
Sea Isle City	\$0.16	12.5%	\$0.84	36.1%	555	559
Stone Harbor Borough	\$0.08	6.1%	\$0.64	27.5%	560	565
Upper Township	\$1.42	111.1%	\$1.75	75.7%	296	491
West Cape May Borough	\$0.73	56.9%	\$1.39	60.1%	521	532
West Wildwood Borough	\$0.78	61.3%	\$1.94	83.8%	514	455
Wildwood City	\$1.07	83.3%	\$2.75	118.5%	446	184
Wildwood Crest Borough	\$0.46	35.6%	\$1.54	66.4%	534	524
Woodbine Borough	\$1.11	86.7%	\$1.77	76.3%	426	487

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Cumberland County	Equalized School Tax Rate	Eq. Sch. Tax Rate as Pct. of State	Equalized Tax Rate (Sch, Mun, Cnty)	Total Tax Rate as Pct. of	School Tax	Total Tax	
State Avg Tax Ro		Avg.	\$2.32	State Avg.	(1=highest taxing 566=lowest taxing)		
Bridgeton City	\$0.80	62.8%	\$2.85	122.9%	509	153 Abbott	
Commercial Township	\$0.93	72.6%	\$2.43	104.9%	482	286	
Deerfield Township	\$1.98	154.3%	\$2.96	127.8%	36	121	
Downe Township	\$1.73	134.9%	\$2.70	116.4%	126	201	
Fairfield Borough	\$0.98	76.6%	\$2.16	93.0%	471	382	
Greenwich Township	\$1.96	153.3%	\$3.22	139.2%	38	70	
Hopewell Township	\$1.75	136.8%	\$2.80	121.0%	113	165	
Lawrence Township	\$1.14	88.8%	\$2.53	109.4%	422	249	
Maurice River Township	\$1.36	106.4%	\$2.46	106.1%	323	276	
Millville City	\$0.89	69.3%	\$2.85	123.2%	494	150 Abbott	
Shiloh Borough	\$2.05	160.4%	\$3.39	146.4%	24	48	
Stow Creek Township	\$1.31	102.3%	\$2.32	100.3%	351	336	
Upper Deerfield Townsh	nip \$1.66	129.2%	\$2.62	113.3%	166	221	
Vineland City	\$0.82	63.9%	\$2.50	107.9%	508	265 Abbott	

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Essex County <i>State Avg Tax R</i>	Equalized School Tax Rate ate: \$1.28	Eq. Sch. Tax Rate as Pct. of State Avg.	Equalized Tax Rate (Sch, Mun, Cnty) \$2.32	Total Tax Rate as Pct. of State Avg.	School Tax (1=highe	
_		111.9%		145.6%	566=lowe	st taxing) 51
Belleville Township	\$1.43		\$3.37	145.6%		51 86
Bloomfield Township Caldwell Township	\$1.53 \$1.30	119.2% 101.8%	\$3.16 \$2.42	136.4%	230 353	288
GSCS Cedar Grove Township		88.9%	\$2.42 \$2.07	89.5%	353 421	408
East Orange City	\$1.23	96.1%	\$5.32	229.8%	383	2 Abbott
Essex Fells Township	\$0.84	65.5%	\$1.81	78.0%	503 501	480
Fairfield Borough	\$0.86	67.3%	\$1.83	70.0%	499	475
GSCS Glen Ridge Borough	\$1.98	154.6%	\$3.26	140.9%	35	66
Irvington Township	\$1.22	95.4%	\$4.38	189.0%	389	7 Abbott
GSCS Livingston Township	\$1.40	109.3%	\$2.36	101.8%	311	319
GSCS Maplewood Township	\$1.82	142.0%	\$3.17	136.9%	80	82
GSCS Millburn Township	\$0.88	68.5%	\$1.84	79.6%	496	470
GSCS Montclair Township	\$1.71	133.7%	\$3.01	130.2%	132	111
Newark City	\$0.97	76.1%	\$2.72	117.5%	473	190 Abbott
North Caldwell Borough		94.2%	\$2.14	92.6%	396	387
Nutley Township	\$1.41	109.7%	\$2.90	125.1%	308	138
Orange City	\$1.11	86.5%	\$3.95	170.8%	428	14 Abbott
GSCS Roseland Borough	\$0.78	61.0%	\$2.00	86.6%	515	437
GSCS South Orange Village	\$1.82	142.4%	\$3.31	143.1%	75	58
GSCS Verona Township	\$1.33	103.6%	\$2.51	108.5%	343	257
West Caldwell Townshi		100.3%	\$2.41	104.1%	367	294
GSCS West Orange Township	\$1.79	139.7%	\$3.19	137.8%	98	76

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	(Col. 1	(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	(Col. 4)	(Со	<i>l. 5)</i>
			Total Equalized		State R	ankings
	Equalized School Tax Rate	Eq. Sch. Tax Rate as Pct. of State	Tax Rate (Sch, Mun, Cnty)	Total Tax Rate as Pct. of	School Tax	Total Tax
State Avg Tax Rat		Avg.	\$2.32	State Avg.	(1=highest taxing 566=lowest taxing)	
Clayton Borough	\$1.84	143.8%	\$3.51	151.4%	69	38
Deptford Township	\$1.66	129.8%	\$2.94	126.7%	159	128
East Greenwich Township	o \$1.84	144.0%	\$2.64	113.8%	68	215
Elk Township	\$1.58	123.4%	\$2.87	124.0%	201	143
Franklin Township	\$1.57	122.5%	\$2.84	122.7%	208	154
Glassboro Borough	\$1.89	147.8%	\$3.65	157.5%	53	29
Greenwich Township	\$1.07	83.6%	\$2.51	108.5%	444	258
Harrison Township	\$1.86	145.5%	\$2.77	119.8%	62	174
Logan Township	\$1.74	136.1%	\$2.74	118.1%	117	187
Mantua Township	\$1.92	150.0%	\$3.06	132.3%	44	102
Monroe Township	\$1.73	135.0%	\$3.10	133.9%	125	99
National Park Borough	\$2.25	175.6%	\$3.58	154.6%	11	32
Newfield Borough	\$1.76	137.7%	\$3.17	136.8%	106	83
Paulsboro Borough	\$1.29	100.9%	\$3.04	131.4%	362	105
Pitman Borough	\$2.02	157.8%	\$3.32	143.1%	27	57
South Harrison Township	\$1.86	145.6%	\$2.61	112.9%	61	223
Swedesboro Borough	\$1.82	141.7%	\$3.31	142.9%	81	59
Washington Township	\$1.73	135.3%	\$3.00	129.4%	122	115
Wenonah Borough	\$1.99	155.2%	\$3.21	138.5%	34	72
West Deptford Township	\$1.49	115.9%	\$2.82	121.8%	255	159
Westville Borough	\$1.68	131.0%	\$3.19	137.9%	149	75
Woodbury City	\$2.45	191.1%	\$4.30	185.7%	4	8
Woodbury Heights Boroug	gh \$1.88	146.4%	\$3.39	146.2%	57	49
Woolwich Township	\$1.77	138.5%	\$2.79	120.4%	103	171

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	(Col. 1	(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	(Col. 4)	(Co	l. 5)	
			Total		State R	ankings	
Hudson County	Equalized School Tax Rate	Eq. Sch. Tax Rate as Pct. of State	Equalized Tax Rate (Sch, Mun, Cnty)	Total Tax Rate as Pct. of	School Tax	Total Tax	
State Avg Tax R	ate: \$1.28	Ävg.	\$2.32	State Avg.	(1=highest taxing 566=lowest taxing)		
Bayonne City	\$1.48	115.6%	\$3.32	143.3%	263	55	
East Newark Borough	\$0.89	69.4%	\$2.57	110.8%	493	239	
Guttenberg Town	\$0.98	76.8%	\$2.63	113.6%	468	216	
Harrison Town	\$1.03	80.1%	\$2.58	111.2%	459	235 Abbott	
Hoboken City	\$0.62	48.8%	\$1.69	72.9%	528	503 Abbott	
Jersey City City	\$0.92	71.6%	\$2.71	117.2%	486	192 Abbott	
Kearny Town	\$1.54	120.4%	\$3.05	131.5%	225	104	
North Bergen Township	\$1.04	81.0%	\$2.93	126.4%	456	130	
Secaucus Town	\$0.76	59.5%	\$2.33	100.7%	518	331	
Union City City	\$0.92	71.9%	\$3.59	155.1%	485	31 Abbott	
Weehawken Township	\$0.84	65.3%	\$2.23	96.2%	502	363	
West New York Town	\$1.00	78.2%	\$3.14	135.4%	466	89 Abbott	

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	(Col. 1	(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	(Col. 4)	(Co	1. 5)
			<i>Total</i>		State R	ankings
Hunterdon County	Equalized School Tax	Eq. Sch. Tax Rate as Pct. of State	Equalized Tax Rate (Sch, Mun, Cnty)	Total Tax Rate as Pct. of	School Tax	Total Tax
State Avg Tax R	<i>Rate</i> ate: \$1.28	Avg.	\$2.32	State Avg.	(1=highest taxing 566=lowest taxing)	
Alexandria Township	\$1.42	110.6%	\$2.00	86.4%	300	440
Bethlehem Township	\$1.67	130.7%	\$2.40	103.8%	151	296
Bloomsbury Borough	\$1.67	130.0%	\$2.38	102.6%	154	308
Califon Borough	\$1.84	143.4%	\$2.70	116.5%	72	198
Clinton Town	\$1.47	114.9%	\$2.41	103.9%	269	295
GSCS Clinton Township	\$1.33	104.1%	\$1.97	85.0%	336	448
Delaware Township	\$1.35	105.1%	\$1.99	85.8%	333	445
East Amwell Township	\$1.36	106.0%	\$1.99	85.9%	326	443
SSCS Flemington Borough	\$1.61	125.5%	\$2.55	109.9%	189	246
Franklin Township	\$1.30	101.7%	\$2.02	87.4%	354	428
Frenchtown Borough	\$1.48	115.8%	\$2.33	100.7%	257	330
Glen Gardner Borough	\$1.51	118.1%	\$2.32	100.4%	238	335
Hampton Borough	\$2.38	185.4%	\$3.25	140.2%	7	67
High Bridge Borough	\$1.94	151.6%	\$2.65	114.5%	40	211
Holland Township	\$1.30	101.1%	\$1.72	74.3%	361	498
Kingwood Township	\$1.28	100.0%	\$1.84	79.3%	369	471
Lambertville City	\$1.18	92.4%	\$1.80	77.6%	404	483
Lebanon Borough	\$1.36	106.4%	\$2.03	87.5%	324	427
Lebanon Township	\$1.50	116.8%	\$1.96	84.5%	251	451
Milford Borough	\$1.45	113.2%	\$2.04	88.3%	283	417
SSCS Raritan Township	\$1.36	105.9%	\$1.99	86.0%	328	441
SSCS Readington Township	\$1.24	96.6%	\$1.93	83.5%	380	457
Stockton Borough	\$1.23	96.0%	\$1.96	84.8%	385	449
Tewksbury Township	\$1.07	83.9%	\$1.81	78.2%	441	479
Union Township	\$1.42	110.5%	\$1.87	80.9%	303	466
West Amwell Township	\$1.26	98.3%	\$1.74	75.3%	375	492

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				Total Fauglized		State R	ankings
Mercer County		Equalized School Tax Rate	Eq. Sch. Tax Rate as Pct. of State	Equalized Tax Rate (Sch, Mun, Cnty)	Total Tax Rate as Pct. of	School Tax	Total Tax
	State Avg Tax Ra		Avg.	\$2.32	State Avg.	(1=highe 566=lowe	st taxing st taxing)
	East Windsor Township	\$2.02	157.8%	\$2.95	127.5%	26	124
GSCS	Ewing Township	\$1.88	146.7%	\$2.96	127.9%	56	119
	Hamilton Township	\$1.43	111.6%	\$2.59	111.6%	292	232
	Hightstown Borough	\$2.11	164.6%	\$3.52	151.8%	18	37
GSCS	Hopewell Borough	\$1.50	117.1%	\$2.45	105.8%	248	277
GSCS	Hopewell Township	\$1.30	101.2%	\$2.18	94.3%	359	375
GSCS	Lawrence Township	\$1.39	108.4%	\$2.49	107.5%	315	269
GSCS	Pennington Borough	\$1.54	120.5%	\$2.53	109.0%	224	254
GSCS	Princeton Borough	\$0.98	76.7%	\$2.07	89.2%	470	409
GSCS	Princeton Township	\$0.97	75.5%	\$1.97	85.3%	476	447
	Trenton City	\$1.16	90.8%	\$3.79	163.6%	411	17 Abbott
GSCS	Washington Township	\$1.69	131.9%	\$2.66	115.0%	144	204
GSCS	West Windsor Township	\$1.77	137.9%	\$2.82	121.7%	105	161

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			<i>Total</i>		State R	ankings
Middlesex County	Equalized School Tax Rate	Eq. Sch. Tax Rate as Pct. of State	Equalized Tax Rate (Sch, Mun, Cnty)	Total Tax Rate as Pct. of	School Tax	Total Tax
State Avg Tax Ra		Avg.	\$2.32	State Avg.	(1=highe 566=lowe	
Carteret Borough	\$1.48	115.9%	\$2.93	126.6%	256	129
GSCS Cranbury Township	\$1.24	96.7%	\$2.01	86.8%	379	435
Dunellen Borough	\$1.68	131.3%	\$2.79	120.4%	147	169
GSCS East Brunswick Townshi	p \$1.72	134.5%	\$2.57	111.0%	128	237
GSCS Edison Township	\$1.46	114.2%	\$2.40	103.7%	272	299
Helmetta Borough	\$2.03	158.6%	\$2.96	127.8%	25	120
GSCS Highland Park Borough	\$1.90	148.5%	\$3.08	132.8%	49	100
Jamesburg Borough	\$2.15	167.5%	\$3.29	141.9%	16	63
GSCS Metuchen Borough	\$1.58	123.5%	\$2.38	102.7%	199	306
Middlesex Borough	\$1.69	131.7%	\$2.85	123.0%	145	152
Milltown Borough	\$1.58	123.6%	\$2.50	108.0%	198	262
GSCS Monroe Township	\$1.16	90.6%	\$1.94	83.8%	412	456
New Brunswick City	\$1.39	108.3%	\$2.79	120.3%	317	172 Abbott
GSCS North Brunswick Townsh	nip \$1.72	134.2%	\$2.70	116.4%	130	200
Old Bridge Township	\$1.63	127.6%	\$2.59	111.7%	175	231
Perth Amboy City	\$0.97	75.6%	\$2.43	105.0%	475	285 Abbott
Piscataway Township	\$1.58	123.3%	\$2.49	107.4%	204	270
Plainsboro Township	\$1.75	137.0%	\$2.44	105.4%	109	281
Sayreville Borough	\$1.42	111.2%	\$2.34	101.0%	295	328
South Amboy City	\$1.48	115.6%	\$2.33	100.7%	262	329
GSCS South Brunswick Towns	hip \$1.58	123.3%	\$2.36	102.0%	205	316
South Plainfield Borough	n \$1.32	102.7%	\$2.22	95.7%	349	366
South River Borough	\$1.10	85.9%	\$2.03	87.7%	432	425
Spotswood Borough	\$1.68	130.9%	\$2.76	119.2%	150	178
Woodbridge Township	\$1.67	130.3%	\$2.57	111.0%	153	236

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			Total		State R	anki	ngs
Ionmouth County	Equalized School Tax <u>Rate</u>	Eq. Sch. Tax Rate as Pct. of State	Equalized Tax Rate (Sch, Mun, Cnty)	Total Tax Rate as Pct. of	School Tax (1=highe	To Ta	tal 1x
State Avg Tax Ro	ıte: \$1.28	Avg.	<i>\$2.32</i>	State Avg.	566=lowe		
Aberdeen Township	\$1.99	155.2%	\$2.88	124.2%	33	142	
Allenhurst Borough	\$0.12	9.3%	\$1.17	50.7%	559	542	
Allentown Borough	\$1.84	143.7%	\$2.95	127.4%	71	125	
Asbury Park City	\$1.01	79.0%	\$3.12	134.7%	462	92	Abbott
Atlantic Highlands Borou	ugh \$1.35	105.4%	\$2.45	105.7%	331	279	
Avon-by-the-Sea Boroug	gh \$0.45	35.0%	\$1.35	58.2%	535	534	
Belmar Borough	\$0.78	60.9%	\$1.90	82.1%	516	461	
Bradley Beach Borough	\$1.03	80.2%	\$2.19	94.7%	458	374	
Brielle Borough	\$0.95	74.5%	\$1.83	78.8%	479	476	
SSCS Colts Neck Township	\$1.18	92.5%	\$1.76	76.2%	403	489	
Deal Borough	\$0.13	10.3%	\$0.83	35.9%	557	560	
Eatontown Borough	\$1.42	110.5%	\$2.57	110.7%	302	240	
Englishtown Borough	\$1.57	122.2%	\$2.46	106.2%	211	275	
SSCS Fair Haven Borough	\$1.30	101.2%	\$2.15	92.7%	358	386	
Farmingdale Borough	\$1.81	141.4%	\$2.40	103.5%	87	300	
Freehold Borough	\$1.33	104.2%	\$2.55	110.3%	335	243	
Freehold Township	\$1.49	116.7%	\$2.14	92.2%	253	389	
Hazlet Township	\$1.70	133.0%	\$2.60	112.1%	138	229	
Highlands Borough	\$1.53	119.4%	\$3.19	137.8%	228	77	
SSCS Holmdel Township	\$1.23	96.0%	\$1.92	82.7%	386	460	
Howell Township	\$1.82	142.2%	\$2.52	108.8%	77	256	
Interlaken Borough	\$0.16	12.2%	\$1.44	62.1%	556	530	
Keansburg Borough	\$1.16	90.8%	\$3.16	136.4%	410	85	Abbot
Keyport Borough	\$1.63	127.6%	\$2.75	118.7%	174	183	
SSCS Little Silver Borough	\$1.28	99.5%	\$2.18	94.0%	370	377	
Loch Arbour Village	\$0.42	32.5%	\$1.36	58.7%	537	533	
Long Branch City	\$1.14	89.3%	\$2.56	110.5%	417	241	Abbot
Manalapan Township	\$1.52	118.9%	\$2.26	97.5%	232	357	
Manasquan Borough	\$0.90	70.1%	\$1.70	73.4%	491	501	
Marlboro Township	\$1.55	120.9%	\$2.25	97.2%	221	359	
Matawan Borough	\$2.01	156.9%	\$3.03	130.6%	28	108	
SSCS Middletown Township	\$1.37	107.0%	\$2.20	95.0%	321	372	
Millstone Township	\$1.51	117.6%	\$2.01	86.9%	241	432	
Monmouth Beach Borou		67.4%	\$1.72	74.2%	498	500	
Neptune City Borough	\$1.41	109.8%	\$2.75	118.8%	306	182	
Neptune Township	\$1.29	100.8%	\$2.35	101.4%	364		Abbot
Ocean Township	\$1.45	113.1%	\$2.24	96.7%	285	361	
Oceanport Borough	\$1.18	91.8%	\$2.04	88.0%	405	421	
Red Bank Borough	\$1.40	109.5%	\$2.39	103.1%	309	303	
Roosevelt Borough	\$2.58	201.5%	\$3.54	152.7%	3	36	
SSCS Rumson Borough	\$0.91	70.9%	\$1.65	71.3%	490	509	
SSCS Sea Bright Borough	\$0.66	51.7%	\$1.84	79.2%		472	
Sea Girt Borough	\$0.30	23.2%	\$1.02	44.2%	550	551	

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	Equalized School Tax Rate	Eq. Sch. Tax Rate as Pct. of State Avg.	Total Equalized Tax Rate (Sch, Mun, Cnty) \$2.32	Total Tax Rate as Pct. of State Avg.	School Tax (1=highe	0
GSCS Shrewsbury Borough	\$1.20	93.8%	\$2.27	98.2%	398	st taxing) 353
GSCS Shrewsbury Township	\$1.55	121.1%	\$3.06	132.1%	220	103
South Belmar Borough	\$1.40	108.9%	\$2.51	108.4%	312	260
Spring Lake Borough	\$0.24	18.5%	\$0.86	37.1%	552	558
Spring Lake Heights Boro	u \$0.79	61.3%	\$1.57	67.8%	513	519
Tinton Falls Borough	\$1.50	116.9%	\$2.37	102.2%	250	313
Union Beach Borough	\$1.51	118.1%	\$2.86	123.3%	239	149
Upper Freehold Township	\$1.61	125.5%	\$2.22	95.7%	190	365
Wall Township	\$1.21	94.7%	\$2.02	87.1%	393	431
West Long Branch Boroug	gh \$1.29	100.8%	\$2.13	92.0%	363	392

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			Total		State R	ankings
	Equalized	Eq. Sch.	Equalized	Total Tax	School	Total
Morris County	School Tax	Tax Rate as	Tax Rate (Sch, Mun, Cnty)	Rate as	Tax	Tax
	Rate	Pct. of State		Pct. of	(1=highe	
State Avg Tax Rat		Avg.	\$2.32	State Avg.	566=lowe	
Boonton Town	\$1.36	106.0%	\$2.15	92.8%	327	384
GSCS Boonton Township	\$1.22	95.4%	\$1.83	79.1%	390	474
Butler Borough	\$1.41	110.3%	\$2.28	98.3%	304	352
GSCS Chatham Borough	\$0.96	74.8%	\$1.62	69.9%	478	513
GSCS Chatham Township	\$0.97	76.1%	\$1.57	67.7%	472	521
Chester Borough	\$1.35	105.6%	\$2.27	98.1%	330	354
GSCS Chester Township	\$1.32	103.0%	\$1.87	80.6%	347	467
Denville Township	\$1.32	103.1%	\$1.95	84.3%	346	453
Dover Town	\$1.33	103.9%	\$2.50	107.8%	338	268
GSCS East Hanover Township	\$0.79	61.3%	\$1.45	62.8%	512	529
GSCS Florham Park Borough	\$0.68	53.5%	\$1.31	56.4%	524	537
GSCS Hanover Township	\$0.82	64.3%	\$1.44	62.1%	506	531
Harding Township	\$0.39	30.4%	\$0.93	40.1%	540	555
Jefferson Township	\$1.50	117.3%	\$2.31	99.9%	245	341
GSCS Kinnelon Borough	\$1.39	108.6%	\$2.09	90.2%	313	406
GSCS Lincoln Park Borough	\$1.36	106.3%	\$2.42	104.5%	325	291
GSCS Long Hill Township	\$1.15	89.8%	\$2.00	86.5%	416	438
GSCS Madison Borough	\$1.01	78.8%	\$1.65	71.1%	463	510
GSCS Mendham Borough	\$1.12	87.5%	\$1.68	72.6%	424	504
Mendham Township	\$1.16	90.6%	\$1.75	75.7%	413	490
Mine Hill Township	\$1.51	118.2%	\$2.46	106.3%	236	274
GSCS Montville Township	\$1.23	95.8%	\$1.87	80.6%	387	468
Morris Plains Borough	\$0.99	77.0%	\$1.93	83.2%	467	458
GSCS Morris Township	\$1.06	82.4%	\$1.74	75.0%	453	493
GSCS Morristown Town	\$0.98	76.8%	\$2.30	99.3%	469	348
Mount Arlington Borough	\$1.33	103.9%	\$2.05	88.4%	339	416
Mount Olive Township	\$1.85	144.7%	\$2.66	114.9%	65	205
GSCS Mountain Lakes Borough	\$1.44	112.3%	\$2.03	87.5%	288	426
Netcong Borough	\$1.80	140.5%	\$2.76	119.1%	96	180
GSCS Parsippany-Troy Hills To	wn \$1.30	101.4%	\$2.12	91.4%	356	399
Pequannock Township	\$1.45	113.2%	\$2.13	92.1%	282	391
Randolph Township	\$1.47	114.5%	\$2.15	92.8%	270	385
GSCS Riverdale Borough	\$1.06	82.8%	\$1.80	77.8%	452	481
Rockaway Borough	\$1.65	129.0%	\$2.48	107.1%	168	271
Rockaway Township	\$1.66	129.5%	\$2.50	107.8%	163	267
Roxbury Township	\$1.47	114.5%	\$2.33	100.5%	271	334
Victory Gardens Borough		41.2%	\$2.04	88.1%	533	419
Washington Township	\$1.55	121.3%	\$2.22	95.7%	218	367
Wharton Borough	\$1.67	130.3%	\$2.35	101.4%	152	326
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				Total		State R	ankings
Ocean	County	Equalized School Tax Rate	Eq. Sch. Tax Rate as Pct. of State	Equalized Tax Rate (Sch, Mun, Cnty)	Total Tax Rate as Pct. of	School Tax	Total Tax
State Avg Tax Rat		te: \$1.28	Ävg.	\$2.32	State Avg.	(1=highe 566=lowe	
	Barnegat Light Borough	\$0.42	32.5%	\$1.07	46.1%	538	548
	Barnegat Township	\$1.60	125.1%	\$2.70	116.5%	192	197
	Bay Head Borough	\$0.18	14.1%	\$0.86	37.3%	554	557
	Beach Haven Borough	\$0.38	29.7%	\$1.24	53.4%	541	540
	Beachwood Borough	\$1.07	83.7%	\$2.25	97.1%	443	360
	Berkeley Township	\$1.01	79.1%	\$1.94	84.0%	460	454
	Brick Township	\$1.04	81.0%	\$2.06	89.0%	455	411
	Dover Township	\$1.06	82.8%	\$1.89	81.5%	451	463
	Eagleswood Township	\$1.66	129.6%	\$2.55	110.0%	162	244
	Harvey Cedars Borough	\$0.41	31.9%	\$1.12	48.2%	539	544
	Island Heights Borough	\$1.28	100.3%	\$2.29	99.1%	368	349
	Jackson Township	\$1.38	107.3%	\$2.28	98.4%	320	351
	Lacey Township	\$1.41	110.0%	\$2.04	88.1%	305	420
	Lakehurst Borough	\$1.14	88.9%	\$3.12	134.7%	420	93
	Lakewood Township	\$1.26	98.0%	\$2.26	97.6%	377	355
	Lavallette Borough	\$0.23	18.3%	\$1.04	45.0%	553	550
	Little Egg Harbor Townsh	nip \$1.48	115.8%	\$2.70	116.6%	259	196
	Long Beach Township	\$0.36	28.4%	\$1.06	45.7%	544	549
	Manchester Township	\$1.17	91.6%	\$2.12	91.4%	406	397
	Mantoloking Borough	\$0.02	1.5%	\$0.69	29.9%	564	563
	Ocean Gate Borough	\$1.33	104.1%	\$2.50	107.9%	337	266
	Ocean Township	\$1.50	117.1%	\$2.53	109.1%	249	253
	Pine Beach Borough	\$1.08	84.1%	\$2.02	87.3%	440	429
	Plumsted Township	\$1.52	118.6%	\$2.10	90.8%	234	405
GSCS	Point Pleasant Beach Bo	ro \$0.72	56.0%	\$1.54	66.4%	522	525
	Point Pleasant Borough	\$1.21	94.5%	\$2.06	88.8%	394	413
	Seaside Heights Borough	n \$1.17	91.1%	\$2.32	100.2%	409	338
	Seaside Park Borough	\$0.63	48.8%	\$1.69	73.0%	527	502
	Ship Bottom Borough	\$0.36	27.7%	\$1.20	51.7%	545	541
	South Toms River Borou	gh \$1.07	83.5%	\$2.50	108.0%	445	261
	Stafford Township	\$0.93	72.9%	\$2.13	92.1%	481	390
	Surf City Borough	\$0.35	27.0%	\$1.11	47.8%	549	545
	Tuckerton Borough	\$1.62	126.6%	\$2.89	124.6%	180	140
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TotalState RankingsEqualized School Tax RateEq. Sch. Tax Rate as Pct. of StateEqualized Tax Rate (Sch, Mun, Cnty)Total Tax Rate as Pct. of State Avg.School Total Tax Rate State Avg.School Total Tax Context State Avg.Total Tax Tax Rate State Avg.School Total Tax State Avg.State Avg Tax Rate:\$1.28Avg.\$2.32State Avg.State Avg. State Avg.State Avg.Bloomingdale Borough Clifton City\$1.62126.1%\$2.93126.3%185131Clifton City\$1.42110.8%\$2.66114.8%299207			(Col. 1	(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	(Col. 4)	(Co	ol. 5)
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		Bloomingdale Borough	\$1.62	126.1%	\$2.93	126.3%	185	131
		Clifton City	\$1.42	110.8%	\$2.66	114.8%	299	207
Haledon Borough \$1.63 127.6% \$3.13 135.0% 176 91		Haledon Borough	\$1.63	127.6%	\$3.13	135.0%	176	91
Hawthorne Borough \$1.48 115.6% \$2.61 112.5% 261 227		Hawthorne Borough	\$1.48	115.6%	\$2.61	112.5%	261	227
GSCS Little Falls Township \$1.09 85.3% \$2.16 93.2% 436 381	GSCS	Little Falls Township	\$1.09	85.3%	\$2.16	93.2%	436	381
GSCS North Haledon Borough \$1.10 85.9% \$2.30 99.5% 433 346	GSCS	North Haledon Borough	\$1.10	85.9%	\$2.30	99.5%	433	346
Passaic City \$0.83 64.5% \$3.40 146.7% 505 47 Abbott		Passaic City	\$0.83	64.5%	\$3.40	146.7%	505	47 Abbott
Paterson City \$0.95 74.4% \$3.50 151.3% 480 39 Abbott		Paterson City	\$0.95	74.4%	\$3.50	151.3%	480	39 Abbott
Pompton Lakes Borough \$1.80 140.5% \$3.01 130.1% 94 112		Pompton Lakes Boroug	h \$1.80	140.5%	\$3.01	130.1%	94	112
Prospect Park Borough \$1.39 108.4% \$2.92 126.0% 316 132		Prospect Park Borough	\$1.39	108.4%	\$2.92	126.0%	316	132
Ringwood Borough \$1.67 130.0% \$2.81 121.2% 155 163		Ringwood Borough	\$1.67	130.0%	\$2.81	121.2%	155	163
GSCS Totowa Borough \$1.11 86.7% \$2.22 96.0% 427 364	GSCS	Totowa Borough	\$1.11	86.7%	\$2.22	96.0%	427	364
Wanaque Borough \$1.68 131.4% \$2.96 127.7% 146 122		Wanaque Borough	\$1.68	131.4%	\$2.96	127.7%	146	122
GSCS Wayne Township \$1.19 92.8% \$2.21 95.6% 399 368	GSCS	Wayne Township	\$1.19	92.8%	\$2.21	95.6%	399	368
West Milford Township \$1.70 132.3% \$2.97 128.2% 142 118		West Milford Township	\$1.70	132.3%	\$2.97	128.2%	142	118
West Paterson Borough \$1.27 99.1% \$2.37 102.3% 373 311		West Paterson Borough	ı \$1.27	99.1%	\$2.37	102.3%	373	311

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	(Col. 1	(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	(Col. 4)	(Co	l. 5)
Salem County	Equalized School Tax Rate	Eq. Sch. Tax Rate as Pct. of State	Total Equalized Tax Rate (Sch, Mun, Cnty)	Total Tax Rate as Pct. of	School Tax	ankings Total Tax st taxing
State Avg Tax R	ate: \$1.28	Avg.	\$2.32	State Avg.	566=lowe	est taxing)
Alloway Township	\$1.45	113.2%	\$2.53	109.2%	279	251
Carneys Point Townshi	p \$1.44	112.5%	\$2.79	120.7%	287	168
Elmer Borough	\$1.80	140.5%	\$3.20	138.0%	95	74
Elsinboro Township	\$1.77	138.3%	\$3.02	130.4%	104	110
Lower Alloways Creek	Tow \$0.00	0.0%	\$0.99	42.8%	566	553
Mannington Township	\$1.06	83.0%	\$2.12	91.7%	448	395
Oldmans Township	\$1.64	128.2%	\$2.73	118.0%	171	188
Penns Grove Borough	\$1.47	114.9%	\$3.45	149.1%	268	42
Pennsville Township	\$1.66	129.9%	\$2.83	122.0%	157	158
Pilesgrove Township	\$1.59	124.0%	\$2.58	111.4%	196	233
Pittsgrove Township	\$1.64	127.9%	\$2.84	122.4%	172	157
Quinton Township	\$1.53	119.2%	\$2.74	118.3%	231	185
Salem City	\$1.29	100.7%	\$3.49	150.8%	366	40
Upper Pittsgrove Town	ship \$1.33	103.6%	\$2.35	101.6%	342	321
Woodstown Borough	\$1.52	118.8%	\$3.10	134.0%	233	98

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	(Col. 1	(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	(Col. 4)	(Co	<i>l. 5)</i>
			<i>Total</i>		State R	ankings
Somerset County	Equalized School Tax Rate	Eq. Sch. Tax Rate as Pct. of State	Equalized Tax Rate (Sch, Mun, Cnty)	Total Tax Rate as Pct. of	School Tax	Total Tax
State Avg Tax R		Avg.	\$2.32	State Avg.	(1=highe 566=lowe	st taxing st taxing)
GSCS Bedminster Township	\$0.59	46.2%	\$1.24	53.6%	531	539
GSCS Bernards Township	\$1.01	78.6%	\$1.74	74.9%	464	494
Bernardsville Borough	\$0.80	62.3%	\$1.51	65.4%	510	526
Bound Brook Borough	\$1.79	139.6%	\$2.84	122.7%	99	155
Branchburg Township	\$1.43	111.8%	\$2.10	90.8%	291	404
Bridgewater Township	\$1.11	86.8%	\$1.73	74.7%	425	495
Far Hills Borough	\$0.37	28.5%	\$1.10	47.4%	543	547
Franklin Township	\$1.52	118.5%	\$2.42	104.3%	235	293
GSCS Green Brook Township	\$1.33	103.8%	\$2.08	90.0%	340	407
Hillsborough Township	\$1.55	121.3%	\$2.31	99.6%	217	345
Manville Borough	\$1.46	113.6%	\$2.44	105.3%	275	282
Millstone Borough	\$1.59	123.9%	\$2.33	100.6%	197	333
GSCS Montgomery Township	\$1.62	126.3%	\$2.36	101.9%	183	318
North Plainfield Boroug	h \$1.97	153.6%	\$3.17	137.0%	37	81
Peapack-Gladstone Bo	roug \$0.68	53.2%	\$1.49	64.5%	525	527
Raritan Borough	\$1.13	87.9%	\$2.06	88.9%	423	412
Rocky Hill Borough	\$0.83	64.7%	\$1.61	69.7%	504	515
GSCS Somerville Borough	\$2.06	160.9%	\$3.32	143.2%	23	56
South Bound Brook Bor	oug \$1.99	155.7%	\$3.30	142.4%	32	61
Warren Township	\$1.09	85.1%	\$1.73	74.5%	437	496
Watchung Borough	\$0.83	64.9%	\$1.68	72.6%	503	505

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		(Col. 1	(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	(Col. 4)	(Со	l. 5)
		Equalized School Tax	Eq. Sch. Tax Rate as	Total Equalized Tax Rate	Total Tax Rate as	School	ankings Total
Susse	x County	Rate	Pct. of State	(Sch, Mun, Cnty)	Rate as Pct. of	Tax	Tax
	State Avg Tax R		Avg.	\$2.32	State Avg.	(1=highe 566=lowe	
	Andover Borough	\$1.64	127.7%	\$2.42	104.3%	173	292
	Andover Township	\$1.56	121.8%	\$2.76	119.2%	215	179
	Branchville Borough	\$1.27	99.0%	\$1.80	77.6%	374	482
	Byram Township	\$1.66	129.3%	\$2.86	123.5%	164	147
	Frankford Township	\$1.81	141.5%	\$2.58	111.2%	86	234
	Franklin Borough	\$1.82	141.7%	\$3.11	134.2%	83	96
	Fredon Township	\$1.50	117.3%	\$2.38	102.6%	246	309
	Green Township	\$1.66	129.7%	\$2.61	112.6%	161	225
	Hamburg Borough	\$1.81	141.1%	\$2.91	125.6%	90	134
	Hampton Township	\$1.75	136.9%	\$2.66	114.7%	112	208
	Hardyston Township	\$1.48	115.5%	\$2.52	109.0%	264	255
	Hopatcong Borough	\$1.62	126.4%	\$2.87	123.9%	182	144
	Lafayette Township	\$1.65	128.8%	\$2.25	97.3%	169	358
	Montague Township	\$1.65	129.0%	\$2.44	105.2%	167	284
	Newton Town	\$1.90	148.2%	\$3.07	132.6%	50	101
	Ogdensburg Borough	\$1.80	140.3%	\$3.19	137.6%	97	79
	Sandyston Township	\$1.76	137.5%	\$2.50	107.9%	107	264
GSCS	Sparta Township	\$1.57	122.4%	\$2.53	109.1%	209	252
	Stanhope Borough	\$1.85	144.6%	\$3.25	140.1%	66	68
GSCS	Stillwater Township	\$1.71	133.9%	\$2.70	116.7%	131	195
	Sussex Borough	\$1.89	147.9%	\$2.85	123.2%	52	151
	Vernon Township	\$1.70	132.8%	\$2.77	119.7%	139	175
	Walpack Township	\$1.08	84.4%	\$1.57	67.8%	438	520
	Wantage Township	\$1.87	146.3%	\$2.65	114.6%	59	209

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			<i>Total</i>		State R	ankings
Union County	Equalized School Tax Rate	Eq. Sch. Tax Rate as Pct. of State	Equalized Tax Rate (Sch, Mun, Cnty)	Total Tax Rate as Pct. of	School Tax	Total Tax
State Avg Tax R		Avg.	\$2.32	State Avg.	(1=highe 566=lowe	
GSCS Berkeley Heights Town	ship \$1.06	83.0%	\$1.79	77.1%	447	484
GSCS Clark Township	\$1.31	102.2%	\$2.37	102.3%	352	312
GSCS Cranford Township	\$1.20	93.9%	\$2.11	91.3%	397	402
Elizabeth City	\$0.82	63.9%	\$2.80	120.7%	507	167 Abbott
GSCS Fanwood Borough	\$1.60	124.9%	\$2.55	110.0%	193	245
Garwood Borough	\$1.33	103.6%	\$2.57	110.8%	341	238
Hillside Township	\$1.63	127.0%	\$3.37	145.7%	178	50
GSCS Kenilworth Borough	\$1.06	82.9%	\$2.05	88.6%	449	414
Linden City	\$1.40	109.4%	\$2.61	112.8%	310	224
GSCS Mountainside Borough	\$0.84	65.7%	\$1.64	70.8%	500	511
New Providence Borou	gh \$1.19	92.6%	\$2.06	89.1%	401	410
Plainfield City	\$0.97	76.0%	\$3.10	134.0%	474	97 Abbott
Rahway City	\$1.45	113.1%	\$3.02	130.5%	284	109
Roselle Borough	\$1.78	139.0%	\$4.30	185.6%	100	9
Roselle Park Borough	\$1.73	135.3%	\$3.16	136.2%	123	87
GSCS Scotch Plains Township	o \$1.58	123.3%	\$2.48	106.9%	203	272
GSCS Springfield Township	\$1.27	99.2%	\$2.40	103.8%	371	297
GSCS Summit City	\$0.77	60.4%	\$1.55	67.1%	517	523
GSCS Union Township	\$1.23	96.1%	\$2.56	110.4%	384	242
GSCS Westfield Town	\$1.30	101.7%	\$2.04	88.0%	355	423
Winfield Township	\$6.85	534.6%	\$12.42	536.3%	1	1

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	(Col. 1	(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	(Col. 4)	(Co	l. 5)
			<i>Total</i>		State R	ankings
Warren County	Equalized School Tax <u>Rate</u>	Eq. Sch. Tax Rate as Pct. of State	Equalized Tax Rate (Sch, Mun, Cnty)	Total Tax Rate as Pct. of	School Tax (1=highe	Total Tax st taxing
State Avg Tax Rate: \$1.28		Avg.	<i>\$2.32</i>	State Avg.	566=lowest taxing)	
Allamuchy Township	\$1.14	89.2%	\$1.99	86.0%	418	442
Alpha Borough	\$1.78	138.8%	\$3.17	136.8%	101	84
Belvidere Town	\$1.75	136.7%	\$3.03	130.7%	114	106
Blairstown Township	\$1.32	103.3%	\$2.01	86.8%	345	436
Franklin Township	\$1.74	135.5%	\$2.54	109.7%	120	248
Frelinghuysen Township	\$1.60	124.8%	\$2.36	101.9%	194	317
Greenwich Township	\$1.26	98.2%	\$2.12	91.4%	376	398
Hackettstown Town	\$1.82	142.0%	\$3.03	130.6%	79	107
Hardwick Township	\$1.43	111.3%	\$2.26	97.5%	294	356
Harmony Township	\$1.01	79.1%	\$1.86	80.2%	461	469
Hope Township	\$1.47	115.1%	\$2.32	100.0%	266	340
Independence Township	\$1.39	108.6%	\$2.35	101.4%	314	324
Knowlton Township	\$1.61	125.8%	\$2.44	105.3%	188	283
Liberty Township	\$1.70	132.7%	\$2.69	116.3%	140	202
Lopatcong Township	\$1.48	115.7%	\$2.39	103.2%	260	302
Mansfield Township	\$1.71	133.6%	\$2.74	118.1%	133	186
Oxford Township	\$1.58	123.5%	\$2.45	105.8%	200	278
Phillipsburg Town	\$1.05	81.6%	\$2.72	117.4%	454	191 Abbott
Pohatcong Township	\$1.53	119.3%	\$2.91	125.6%	229	133
Washington Borough	\$1.81	141.0%	\$3.16	136.2%	92	88
Washington Township	\$1.76	137.0%	\$2.82	121.7%	108	160
White Township	\$1.03	80.4%	\$1.72	74.2%	457	499

Equalized School Tax Rate (Col. 1) is calculated using the equalized valuation of each municipality and the total amount levied for school purposes in the municipality.

Total Equalized Tax Rate (Col. 3) is calculated using the equalized valuation of each municipality and the total amount levied for school, municipal and county purposes in the municipality.

The State Rankings represents the 566 municipalities sorted highest to lowest(1=highest taxing)according to two criteria: Local Equalized School Tax Rate to the State average equalized local school tax rate, and Total Local Equalized Tax Rate to the State average.

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