

State Rankings by Total Number of New National Board Certified Teachers

Rank	State	New NBCTs
1	MD	1,435
2	NC	835
3	CA	507
4	WA	338
5	AL	317
6	TX	276
7	MS	161
8	IL	152
9	VA	130
10	SC	127
11	NM	126
12	KY	83
13	WV	76
14	NV	72
15	AZ	69
16	WI	67
17	NY	62
18 (tied)	AR	42
18 (tied)	MO	42
20	MI	36
21 (tied)	DE	35
21 (tied)	PA	35
23	HI	32
24	CO	25
25 (tied)	MA	23
25 (tied)	UT	23

Rank	State	New NBCTs
27	ME	18
28	ND	14
29 (tied)	MT	12
29 (tied)	TN	12
31	OR	11
32	KS	10
33 (tied)	LA	6
33 (tied)	RI	6
35	MN	5
36 (tied)	GA	4
36 (tied)	IA	4
36 (tied)	OK	4
36 (tied)	WY	4
40 (tied)	AK	3
40 (tied)	NJ	3
40 (tied)	SD	3
43 (tied)	FL	2
43 (tied)	NE	2
43 (tied)	OH	2
46 (tied)	CT	1
46 (tied)	ID	1
46 (tied)	IN	1
US Total		5,254
Total New NBCTs		5,254

Number of NBCTs who certified in December 2025. Location based on NBCT self-reported data.

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