



## Neag School is Ranked

### #1 Public School of Education on the East Coast

The **Neag School of Education** is the #1 public school of education in the Northeast and on the East Coast. Also significant are the rankings of the Neag School's core programs which are individually assessed by U.S. News. Four rank in the top tier, including: **Elementary Education (14); Special Education (17); Curriculum & Instruction (22), and Education Administration (26).**

Dean Richard Schwab says he is gratified the rankings remain strong. "They reinforce other indicators we use to gauge the quality of our programs," he says.

The Neag School continues to attract many of the state's top students to its programs, according to the Dean. "We're also pleased by feedback from superintendents who often tell us Neag graduates are their first choice for hire."

Schwab also points to research indicating Neag teacher education grads stay in the field of education far longer than the state or national average. "These factors combined paint a very encouraging picture," he says, "that we're headed in the right direction and our grads are well-prepared professionals who are leaders in classrooms, in schools and in the field of education."

Each year, *U.S. News* gathers opinion data from program directors, senior faculty, school superintendents and deans to rank professional school programs. Statistical indicators supplied by each school are used to measure the quality of a school's faculty, research, and students.

### Best Schools of Education 2010

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|------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|
| 1. Vanderbilt University                 | 14. University of Michigan-Ann Arbor        |
| 2. Stanford University                   | 16. Ohio State University                   |
| 3. Teachers College, Columbia University | 17. Michigan State University               |
| 4. University of Oregon                  | 18. University of Kansas                    |
| 5. University of California-Los Angeles  | 19. Boston College                          |
| 6. Harvard University                    | 19. Indiana University-Bloomington          |
| 7. Johns Hopkins University              | 21. University of Minnesota-Twin Cities     |
| 7. Northwestern University               | 24. Arizona State University                |
| 7. University of California-Berkeley     | 24. Pennsylvania State University Park      |
| 7. University of Texas-Austin            | <b>24. University of Connecticut -Neag</b>  |
| 7. University of Wisconsin-Madison       | 24. University of Illinois-Urbana-Champaign |
| 12. University of Washington             | 24. University of Maryland-College Park     |
| 13. University of Pennsylvania           | 24. University of Virginia (Curry)          |
| 14. New York University                  |                                             |

Source: *U.S. News & World Report 2009*



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Best Education Schools Specialty Rankings:

### Elementary Teacher Education

1. Michigan State University
2. University of Wisconsin--Madison
3. Teachers College, Columbia University
4. University of Georgia
5. Ohio State University
- University of Virginia (Curry)
- Vanderbilt University (Peabody)
8. University of Illinois--Urbana- Champaign
9. Indiana University--Bloomington
10. University of Michigan--Ann Arbor
- University of Washington
12. University of Maryland--College Park
- University of Texas--Austin
- 14. Arizona State University**  
**University of Connecticut (Neag)**
16. Boston College (Lynch)
- Stanford University

Best Education Schools Specialty Rankings:

### Education Administration & Supervision

1. Vanderbilt University (Peabody)
2. University of Wisconsin--Madison
3. Harvard University
4. Teachers College, Columbia University
5. Ohio State University
- Pennsylvania State University--University Park
7. Stanford University
8. Michigan State University
9. University of Southern California (Rossier)
10. University of Michigan--Ann Arbor
- University of Texas--Austin
12. University of Washington
13. University of Missouri
14. University of California--Los Angeles
15. University of Maryland--College Park
- University of North Carolina--Chapel Hill
17. Indiana University--Bloomington
18. University of Illinois--Urbana-Champaign
- University of Minnesota--Twin Cities
20. Texas A&M University--College Station
21. University of Georgia
- University of Pennsylvania
- University of Utah
24. University of California--Berkeley
- University of Virginia (Curry)
- 26. University of Connecticut (Neag)**

Best Education Schools Specialty Rankings:

### Curriculum and Instruction

1. University of Wisconsin--Madison
2. Michigan State University
3. Teachers College, Columbia University
4. University of Illinois--Urbana- Champaign
5. Ohio State University
6. Stanford University
7. University of Michigan--Ann Arbor
8. University of Georgia
9. University of Washington
10. University of Texas--Austin
- University of Virginia (Curry)
12. University of California--Los Angeles
13. Vanderbilt University (Peabody)
14. Indiana University--Bloomington
- Pennsylvania State University--  
University Park
16. University of California--Berkeley
17. Harvard University
18. Arizona State University
- University of Maryland--College Park
20. University of Minnesota--Twin Cities
21. Louisiana State University--Baton Rouge
- 22. University of Connecticut (Neag)**  
University of Iowa

Best Education Schools Specialty Rankings:

### Special Education

1. Vanderbilt University (Peabody)
2. University of Kansas
3. University of Oregon
4. University of Virginia (Curry)
5. University of Florida
6. University of Illinois--Urbana-Champaign
7. University of Texas--Austin
8. University of Minnesota--Twin Cities
9. University of Washington
- University of Wisconsin--Madison
11. University of Maryland--College Park
12. Teachers College, Columbia University
13. Pennsylvania State University--University Park
14. University of Georgia
- University of North Carolina--Chapel Hill
16. Ohio State University
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