

TABLE 1

### Spending variables used (from NERD\$ data)

State	Overall spending	Teacher instructional spending
Indiana	pp_total_raw	pp_instruction_site_raw
Louisiana	pp_total_raw	pp_total_raw * percentspendinstruction_raw
Massachusetts	pp_total_raw	pp_teachers_site_stloc_raw + pp_ teachers_site_fed_raw
Nevada	pp_total_raw	pp_person_instruction_fed_raw + pp_person_instruction_stloc_raw
New York	pp_total_raw	pp_classroomsalary_site_raw
North Carolina	pp_total_raw	pptotsalaries_raw