

State Policies on Postsecondary Tuition Setting, Capping and Freezing

What is the highest level of policy where tuition-setting authority is granted for four-year public institutions?

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STATE 📤	HIGHEST LEVEL OF POLICY WHERE TUITION-SETTING AUTHORITY IS GRANTED FOR FOUR-YEAR PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS	4 YEAR POLICY CITATION
Alabama	not formalized at state level	none
Alaska	by legislative statute	Alaska Stat. Ann. § 14.40.170
Arizona	by legislative statute	Ariz. Rev. Stat. Ann. § 15- 1626(6) et. seq.
Arkansas	by legislative statute	Ark. Code Ann. § 6-65-105, 6-65-212, 6-66-102(d)(3), 6-67-103(d)(3)

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California	by legislative statute	UC: UC REGENTS POLICY 3101 (11/10/2010) CSU: Cal. Code Regs. tit. 5, § 41800
Colorado	by legislative statute	Colo. Rev. Stat. § 23-1-108(12) (b)
Connecticut	by legislative statute	Conn. Gen. Stat. Ann. § 10a-6
Delaware	by legislative statute	University of Delaware: DEL. CODE ANN. TIT. 14, § 5106 Delaware State University: DEL. CODE ANN. TIT. 14, § 6505
District of Columbia	by legislative statute	Federal City College (now the University of the District of Columbia): D.C. Code Ann. § 38-1103
Florida	by legislative statute	Fla. Stat. Ann § 1009.24
Georgia	by board rule/policy	BOARD OF REGENTS POLICY MANUAL 7.3.1
Hawaii	by legislative statute	Haw. Rev. Stat. Ann. § 304A-401
Idaho	by legislative statute	Idaho Code § 33-3717A

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Illinois	by legislative statute	University of Illinois: 110 III. Comp. Stat. Ann. 305/7 Chicago State University: 110 III. Comp. Stat. Ann. 660/5-45 Eastern Illinois University: 110 III. Comp. Stat. Ann. 665/10-45 Governors State University: 110 III. Comp. Stat. Ann. 670/15-45 Illinois State University: 110 III. Comp. Stat. Ann. 675/20-45 Northeastern Illinois University: 110 III. Comp. Stat. Ann. 680/25-45 Northern Illinois University: 110 III. Comp. Stat. Ann. 685/30-45 Western Illinois University: 110 III. Comp. Stat. Ann.
Indiana	by legislative statute	IC: 21-14-2-1
Iowa	by legislative statute	Iowa Code Ann. § 262.9
Kansas	by legislative statute	Kan. Stat. Ann § 76-719
Kentucky	by legislative statute	KY. REV. STAT. ANN. § 164.020
Louisiana	by legislative statute	La. Stat. Ann. § 17:3351
Maine	by board rule/policy	University of Maine, Board of Trustees Policy Manual - Section 703 Tuition and Fees

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Maryland	by legislative statute	Morgan State University: Md. Code Ann., Educ. § 14-104 University of Maryland Systems: Md. Code Ann., Educ. § 12-109
Massachusetts	by legislative statute	MASS. GEN. LAWS ANN. CH. 75, § 1A
Michigan	in state constitution	MI CONST Art. 8, § 5 (West)
Minnesota	by legislative statute	Minn. Stat. Ann. § 135A.04
Mississippi	by board rule/policy	Board policy 702.01
Missouri	by legislative statute	MO. REV. STAT. § 173.1003
Montana	by legislative statute	Mont. Code Ann. § 20-25-421
Nebraska	by legislative statute	Neb. Rev. Stat. Ann. § 85-503
Nevada	by legislative statute	Nev. Rev. Stat. Ann. § 396.540
New Hampshire	by legislative statute	N.H. Rev. Stat. Ann. § 187-A:16
New Jersey	by legislative statute	Board of Governors: N.J. Stat. Ann. § 18A:3B-6 State Colleges: N.J. Stat. Ann. § 18A:64-13
New Mexico	by legislative statute	N.M. Stat. Ann. § 21-1-4

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New York	by legislative statute	SUNY: N.Y. Educ. Law § 6007 CUNY: N.Y. Educ. Law § 6206
North Carolina	by legislative statute	University of North Carolina: N.C. Gen. Stat. Ann. § 116-11
North Dakota	by legislative statute	N.D. Cent. Code § 15-10-17, State Board of Higher Education Policy 805.1
Ohio	by legislative statute	H.B. 166, Budget Bill of the 133rd General Asembly
Oklahoma	by legislative statute	Okla. Stat. Ann. tit. 70, § 3218.8
Oregon	by legislative statute	Or. Rev. Stat. Ann. § 352.102
Pennsylvania	by state rule	22 PA. CODE § 40.23
Rhode Island	not formalized at state level	16 R.I. Gen. Laws Ann. § 16-59- 9
South Carolina	by legislative statute	S.C. Code Ann. § 59-112-115
South Dakota	by legislative statute	SDCL § 13-53-6
Tennessee	by legislative statute	Tenn. Code Ann. § 49-7-202
Texas	by legislative statute	Tex. Educ. Code Ann. § 54.0513
Utah	by legislative statute	UTAH CODE ANN. § 53B-7- 101

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Vermont	by legislative statute	Vt. Stat. Ann. tit. 16, § 2174
Virginia	by legislative statute	2020 Budget Bill, H.B. 30 § 4- 9.02-2 D
Washington	by legislative statute	Wash. Rev. Code Ann. § 28B.15.067
West Virginia	by legislative statute	W. VA. CODE § 18B-10-1
Wisconsin	by legislative statute	Wis. Stat. Ann. § 36.27
Wyoming	by legislative statute	WYO. STAT. § 21-17-203