

Arizona Teachers Deserve 20% Pay Raise, Too

51ST Arizona is ranked as the worst place in the nation for teachers.

20% raise would bring the mean elementary school teacher annual salary in Arizona to **\$51,276**.

Still doesn't bring us above mean annual salary of what neighboring states are paying their teachers.

Colorado	\$52,360
Utah	\$54,180
Nevada	\$54,810
New Mexico	\$58,090
California	\$74,270
United States	\$59,020

20% raise for high school teachers would bring the mean annual salary to **\$57,624**, which is more in line with neighboring states, but still doesn't reach the national salary for teachers.

Colorado	\$53,640
New Mexico	\$53,920
Nevada	\$55,740
Utah	\$57,050
California	\$74,940
United States	\$61,420