

# The Fiscal Burden of Illegal Immigration on South Dakota

How much does it cost taxpayers in the Mount Rushmore State?

An estimated  
**6,000**>  
  
illegal aliens  
live in  
South Dakota

Their roughly  
**2,000**>  
  
U.S.-born  
children do too.

Illegal alien  
households  
add  
**2,000**>  
  
students to  
local schools.

The average cost to  
South Dakotans is  
**\$4,910**  
  
per illegal  
alien!


## What Are Taxpayers Supporting?

  
Education  
**\$17 million**

  
Police, Legal  
& Corrections  
**\$4.6 million**

    
Plus Healthcare, Public Assistance &  
General Government Services Expenses

Illegal Immigration Cost  
South Dakota Taxpayers  
**\$36.9**  
**Million**  in 2017.

That amounts to a burden of  
**\$111**   
per household headed  
by a U.S. citizen.