

## Benefits to New Hampshire of NEBHE’s Regional Student Program, Tuition Break

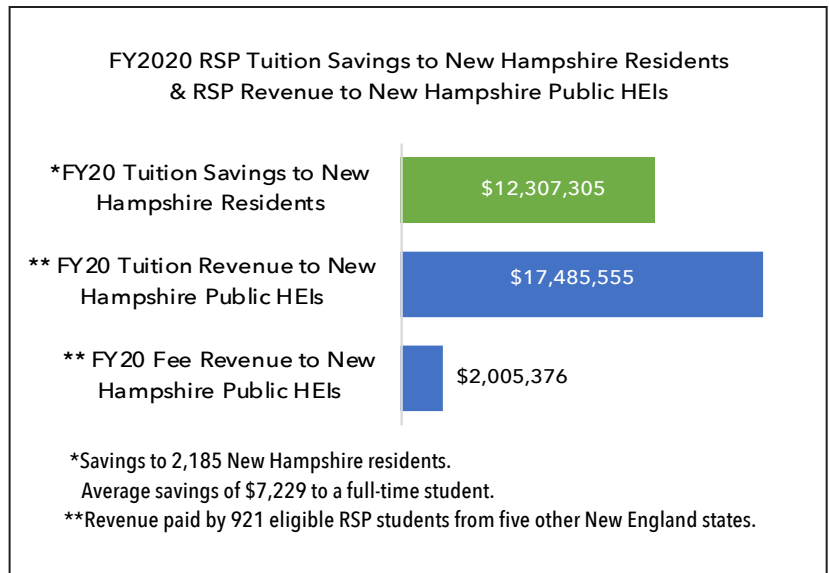
The New England Board of Higher Education (NEBHE), agency of the federally authorized, state-created Compact, provides resource-sharing and cost-saving programs for the six New England states.

- NEBHE’s longest-standing program, the Regional Student Program (RSP) Tuition Break, has delivered more than \$1 billion in college tuition savings to New England students and families since 1958.
- The region’s public colleges and universities collaborate to offer specialized academic programs at reduced tuition, providing affordable access to eligible out-of-state residents within the region.
- Tuition Break is a strategic enrollment management tool for participating public higher education institutions, and helps prepare the region’s future workforce in specialized and high-demand fields.

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- New Hampshire residents save millions of dollars in tuition while having access to more than 1,000 tuition-discounted degree programs at public colleges and universities in the five other New England states – including specialized fields of study not offered by New Hampshire public colleges and universities.
- New Hampshire public institutions receive millions of dollars in tuition revenue from eligible RSP students, who are residents of the other five New England states.



## NEBHE State Assessment and Return on Investment (ROI)

NEBHE state assessments support operations of the RSP Tuition Break, including:

- Managing participation of more than 9,000 annual participating students
- Engaging 80 public colleges and universities in offering eligible programs and enrollment data collection
- Annual certification of more than 2,000 undergraduate and graduate programs
- Promotion of the public colleges and universities and eligible program offerings through extensive outreach and communications, including to school counselors, legislators, students and families.

| ROI for the RSP Tuition Break in FY 2020 |           |
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| New Hampshire’s assessment to NEBHE..... | \$147,000 |
| ROI: RSP tuition savings.....            | 84-to-1   |
| ROI: RSP tuition savings + revenue ..... | 203-to-1  |