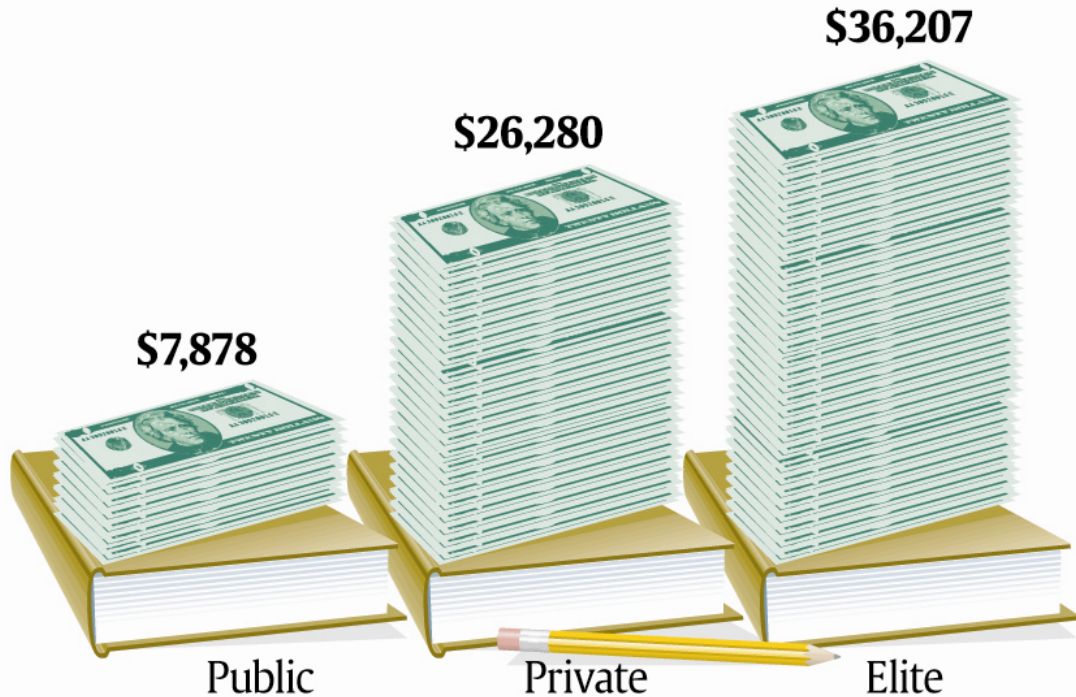


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Paying college tuition

Projected average annual tuition for four-year colleges in 2020 (in constant 2000 dollars):



Note: Elite colleges are defined as the top 100 ranked colleges based on the average SAT scores of admitted students

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