

Pennsylvania is not paying its fair share for public schools. It ranks 46th in the country in state share of education costs. Pennsylvania also has the widest gap in the U.S. between the highest and lowest spending school districts.

What does this mean for the Brentwood Borough School District?

56%

Share of education costs covered by local taxpayers in the Brentwood Borough School District. Property tax burden rank 1.

16%

School property tax increases since 2011 in the Brentwood Borough School District.

\$4M

The increase to Brentwood Borough School District if it were fully funded by the state.

Contact these elected officials to let them know you support more funding for your schools and sensible property tax relief:

Senator

Sen. Jim Brewster (D)

Representative

Rep. Harry Readshaw (D)

How much is spent to educate district students?

\$14,236

Spending per student in Brentwood Borough School District

\$17,482

Spending per student in highest spending districts

216

Brentwood Borough School District rank in spending out of 500 school districts (#1 being highest)

Here is what has changed for the district since 2011 when the state dramatically reduced education funding.

+\$1,000,737

Change in local funding for the district from property and other local taxes

+\$623,741

Change in state/federal funding

+32%

Change in Expenditures for Special Education

-9%

Change in State Revenue Dedicated to Special Education

+302%

Change in Payments to Charter Schools

Number of students
1,270

Performance - Students on Grade Level

Reading
69%

Math
42%

Child Poverty Rate

School District
13%

Statewide
18%

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