Pennsylvania is not paying its fair share for public schools. It ranks 44th 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 Brookville Area School District?**

- **36%** Share of school funding provided by local taxpayers to Brookville Area.
- **6** The number of times Brookville Area has raised property taxes in the last 8 years.
- **401** Brookville Area rank in terms of local tax effort out of 500 school districts (#1 being highest).
- **$2M** The increase in state funding for Brookville Area if it were fully funded by the state.

**How much is spent to educate district students?**

- **$14,024** Current spending per student in Brookville Area.
- **374** Brookville Area rank in current spending out of 500 school districts (#1 being highest).

**Contact these elected officials**

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

**Senator**

Sen. Joseph Scarnati (R)

**Representative**

Rep. Cris Dush (R)
Here is what has changed for the district since 2011 when the state dramatically reduced education funding.

| Change in Expenditures for Special Education | +$1,434,401 (11%) |
| Change in Payments to Charter Schools | -$37,251 |
| +50% | Change in Expenditures for Special Education | +$1,039,273 |
| +6% | Change in State Revenue Dedicated to Special Education | +$66,030 |
| -12% | Change in Payments to Charter Schools | $37,251 |

Increase in instructional costs for the district

Change in state funding to cover instructional costs

Number of students 1,560

Performance - Students on Grade Level

- Reading: 3rd 58%
- Math: 7th 45%

Child Poverty Rate

- School District 19%
- Statewide 18%

To view sources of this information please visit www.paschoolswork.org/data