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 North Schuylkill School District?

42% Share of school funding provided by local taxpayers to North Schuylkill.

7 The number of times North Schuylkill has raised property taxes in the last 8 years.

385 North Schuylkill rank in terms of local tax effort out of 500 school districts (#1 being highest).

$5M The increase in state funding for North Schuylkill if it were fully funded by the state.

How much is spent to educate district students?

$14,044 Current spending per student in North Schuylkill.

371 North Schuylkill 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:

Senators
- Sen. John Gordner (R)
- Sen. David Argall (R)

Representatives
- Rep. Kurt Masser (R)
- Rep. Neal Goodman (D)
- Rep. Jerry Knowles (R)
Here is what has changed for the district since 2011 when the state dramatically reduced education funding.

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<th>Change in Expenditures for Special Education</th>
<th>-$151,756 (-1%)</th>
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<td>Change in Payments to Charter Schools</td>
<td>+$707,884 (186%)</td>
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<td>Change in Instructional Costs for the District</td>
<td>+$2,645,774 (17%)</td>
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<td>+$160,847 (+14%)</td>
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Number of students: 1,971

Performance - Students on Grade Level:
- Reading: 3rd Grade - 60%
- Math: 7th Grade - 37%

Child Poverty Rate:
- School District: 21%
- Statewide: 18%

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