

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 Forest City Regional School District?

50%

Share of education costs covered by local taxpayers in the Forest City Regional School District. Property tax burden rank 415.

3%

School property tax increases since 2011 in the Forest City Regional School District.

\$779,766

The increase to Forest City Regional 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:

Senators

Sen. Lisa Baker (R)

Sen. John Blake (D)

How much is spent to educate district students?

\$15,172

Spending per student in Forest City Regional School District

\$17,482

Spending per student in highest spending districts

159

Forest City Regional School District rank in spending out of 500 school districts (#1 being highest)

Representatives

Rep. Fritz Jonathan (R)

District #114 Vacant

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

+\$623,484

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

-\$506,981

Change in state/federal funding

-6%

Change in Expenditures for Special Education

-4%

Change in State Revenue Dedicated to Special Education

+44%

Change in Payments to Charter Schools

Number of students
757

Performance - Students on Grade Level

Reading
50%

Math
29%

Child Poverty Rate

School District
19%

Statewide
18%

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