



INVEST IN STUDENTS, SECURE OUR FUTURE

Upper Adams

School District Factsheet

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 Upper Adams School District?

55%

Share of school funding provided by local taxpayers to Upper Adams.

7

The number of times Upper Adams has raised property taxes in the last 8 years.

118

Upper Adams rank in terms of local tax effort out of 500 school districts (#1 being highest).

\$6M

The increase in state funding for Upper Adams 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. Doug Mastriano (R)

Representative

Rep. Torren Ecker (R)

How much is spent to educate district students?

\$13,972

Current spending per student in Upper Adams.

382

Upper Adams rank in current spending out of 500 school districts (#1 being highest).





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

+\$2,158,492
(14%)

Increase in instructional costs for the district

-\$102,386
(-1%)

Change in state funding to cover instructional costs

+30%

+\$865,661

Change in Expenditures for Special Education

+8%

+\$77,463

Change in State Revenue Dedicated to Special Education

+147%

+\$778,289

Change in Payments to Charter Schools

Number of students

1,773

Performance - Students on Grade Level

Reading: 3rd

64%

Math: 7th

47%

Child Poverty Rate

School District

17%

Statewide

18%

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