Pennsylvania is not paying its fair share for public schools. It ranks 45th in the country in state share of education costs.

What does this mean for the Baldwin-Whitehall School District?

- **64%** Share of school funding provided by local taxpayers to Baldwin-Whitehall.
- **6** Number of times Baldwin-Whitehall has raised property taxes in the last 12 years.
- **274** Baldwin-Whitehall rank in terms of local tax effort out of 500 school districts (#1 being the highest).
- **$19.7M** The increase in state funding for Baldwin-Whitehall if it were fully funded by the state.

How much is spent to educate district students?

- **$13,354** Current spending per student in Baldwin-Whitehall.
- **491** Baldwin-Whitehall rank in current spending out of 500 school districts (#1 being the highest).

Let your elected officials know you support more funding for your schools and sensible property tax relief:

These elected officials currently represent the communities this school district serves.

**Senators**
- Sen. James Brewster (D)
- Sen. Jay Costa (D)

**Representatives**
- Rep. Daniel Miller (D)
- Rep. Nickolas Pisciottano (D)
Number of students: 4,455

Performance:
- Reading: 3rd Grade Level - 58%
- Math: 7th Grade Level - 22%

Child Poverty Rate:
- School District: 17%
- Statewide: 17%

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

- + $4,581,967
  + 12%
  Increase in instructional costs for the district

- + $1,666,110
  + 13%
  Change in state funding to cover instructional costs

- + 27%
  + $1,566,350
  Change in expenditures for special education

- + 20%
  + $500,311
  Change in state revenue dedicated to special education

- + 31%
  + $344,404
  Change in payments to charter schools

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