



## McKeesport Area School District Factsheet 2023

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

### What does this mean for the McKeesport Area School District?

**28%**

Share of school funding provided by local taxpayers to McKeesport Area.

Number of times McKeesport Area has raised property taxes in the last 12 years.

**9**

**401**

McKeesport Area rank in terms of local tax effort out of 500 school districts (#1 being the highest).

The increase in state funding for McKeesport Area if it were fully funded by the state.

**\$13.4M**

**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)

#### **Representatives**

Rep. Nickolas Pisciotano (D)  
Rep. Matt Gergely (D)

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

**\$16,091**

Current spending per student in McKeesport Area.

McKeesport Area rank in current spending out of 500 school districts (#1 being the highest).

**333**



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Number of  
students

3,828

Performance:  
Students on  
Grade Level

Reading:  
3rd  
29%

Math:  
7th  
6%

Child Poverty Rate

School  
District  
39%

Statewide  
17%

HERE IS WHAT HAS CHANGED FOR THE DISTRICT SINCE 2011 WHEN THE STATE  
DRAMATICALLY REDUCED EDUCATION FUNDING:

+ \$5,875,240  
+ 18%

Increase in instructional costs for  
the district

+ \$3,450,341  
+ 12%

Change in state funding to cover  
instructional costs

+ 84%  
+ \$5,561,289

Change in expenditures for special education

+ 30%  
+\$884,254

Change in state revenue dedicated to special  
education

+ 142%  
+ \$5,827,451

Change in payments to charter schools