



# Northgate

## 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 Northgate School District?

55%

Share of school funding provided by local taxpayers to Northgate.

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

5

297

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

The increase in state funding to Northgate since 2011.

\$1.1M

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. Wayne Fontana (D)

#### Representatives

Rep. Emily Kinkead (D)

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

\$20,955 Current spending per student in Northgate.

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

66

Number of  
students

**1,126**

Performance:  
Students on  
Grade Level

Reading:  
3rd

**61%**

Math:  
7th

**19%**

Child Poverty Rate

School  
District

**13%**

Statewide

**17%**

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

**+ \$4,358,887**  
**+ 32%**

Increase in instructional costs for  
the district

**+ \$260,117**  
**+ 5%**

Change in state funding to cover  
instructional costs

**+ 51%**  
**+ \$1,217,272.00**

Change in expenditures for special education

**+ 21%**  
**+\$174,263**

Change in state revenue dedicated to special  
education

**+ 131%**  
**+ \$831,815**

Change in payments to charter schools