



South Park

School District Factsheet 2023

*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 South Park School District?

62%

Share of school funding provided by local taxpayers to South Park.

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

6

196

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

The increase in state funding for South Park if it were fully funded by the state.

\$1.5M

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. Devlin Robinson (R)

Representatives

Rep. Andrew Kuzma (R)

How much is spent to educate district students?

\$16,249

Current spending per student in South Park.

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

324

Number of
students

1,792

Performance:
Students on
Grade Level

Reading:
3rd
62%

Math:
7th
43%

Child Poverty Rate

School
District
3%

Statewide
17%

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

+ \$3,789,866
+ 21%

Increase in instructional costs for
the district

+ \$521,879
+ 7%

Change in state funding to cover
instructional costs

+ 68%
+ \$1,879,449

Change in expenditures for special education

+ 20%
+\$227,367

Change in state revenue dedicated to special
education

+ 358%
+ \$849,135

Change in payments to charter schools