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.
- **6** Number of times South Park has raised property taxes in the last 12 years.
- **196** South Park rank in terms of local tax effort out of 500 school districts (#1 being the highest).
- **$1.5M** The increase in state funding for South Park if it were fully funded by the state.

How much is spent to educate district students?

- **$16,249** Current spending per student in South Park.
- **324** South Park 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. Devlin Robinson (R)
- **Representatives**
  - Rep. Andrew Kuzma (R)
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

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