



Brandywine Heights Area

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 Brandywine Heights Area School District?

67%

Share of school funding provided by local taxpayers to Brandywine Heights Area.

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

9

81

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

The increase in state funding to Brandywine Heights Area since 2011.

\$760,706

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. Tracy Pennycuik (R)

Representatives

Rep. David Maloney (R)

How much is spent to educate district students?

\$20,960

Current spending per student in Brandywine Heights Area.

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

65



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Number of students

1,390

Performance:
Students on
Grade Level

Reading:
3rd

67%

Math:
7th

36%

Child Poverty Rate

School
District

15%

Statewide

17%

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

+ \$3,959,823
+ 22%

Increase in instructional costs for
the district

+ \$479,523
+ 9%

Change in state funding to cover
instructional costs

+ 18%
+ \$689,078.94

Change in expenditures for special education

+ 18%
+\$177,167

Change in state revenue dedicated to special
education

+ 66%
+ \$300,780

Change in payments to charter schools