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 Twin Valley School District?

- **72%** Share of school funding provided by local taxpayers to Twin Valley.
- **10** Number of times Twin Valley has raised property taxes in the last 12 years.
- **77** Twin Valley rank in terms of local tax effort out of 500 school districts (#1 being the highest).
- **$8.1M** The increase in state funding for Twin Valley if it were fully funded by the state.

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. Scott Martin (R)
- Sen. Katie Muth (D)

**Representatives**
- Rep. Dan Williams (D)
- Rep. Mark Gillen (R)
- Rep. Paul Friel (D)

How much is spent to educate district students?

- **$19,649** Current spending per student in Twin Valley.
- **100** Twin Valley rank in current spending out of 500 school districts (#1 being the highest).
Number of students: 3,137

Performance:
- Reading: 3rd Grade 66%
- Math: 7th Grade 40%

Child Poverty Rate:
- School District: 9%
- Statewide: 17%

Here is what has changed for the district since 2011 when the state dramatically reduced education funding:

- Increase in instructional costs for the district: + $14,660,730 (+ 47%)
- Change in state funding to cover instructional costs: + $1,110,789 (+ 16%)
- Change in expenditures for special education: + 101% (+ $6,558,959)
- Change in state revenue dedicated to special education: + 30% (+$413,818)
- Change in payments to charter schools: + 193% (+ $1,948,459)

To view sources of this information, please visit www.paschoolswork.org/data