



# Altoona Area School District Factsheet 2024

*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 Altoona Area School District?

26%

Share of school funding provided by local taxpayers to Altoona Area.

Number of times Altoona Area has raised property taxes in the last 13 years.

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

The increase in state funding for Altoona Area if it were fully funded by the state.

\$40.6 M

**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. Judith Ward (R)

**Representatives**

Rep. James Gregory (R); Rep. Louis Schmitt (R)

## How much is spent to educate district students?

\$15,083

Current spending per student in Altoona Area.

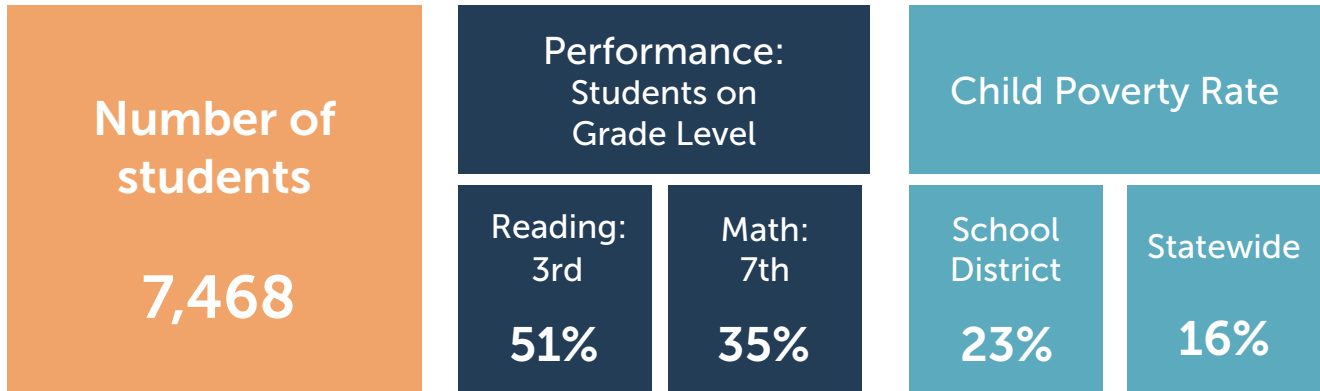
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**HERE IS WHAT HAS CHANGED FOR THE DISTRICT SINCE 2011 WHEN THE STATE DRAMATICALLY REDUCED EDUCATION FUNDING:**

