



Bristol Township

School District Factsheet

Pennsylvania is not paying its fair share for public schools. It ranks 44th in the country in state share of education costs. Pennsylvania also has the widest gap in the U.S. between the highest and lowest spending school districts.

What does this mean for the Bristol Township School District?

65%

Share of school funding provided by local taxpayers to Bristol Township.

8

The number of times Bristol Township has raised property taxes in the last 8 years.

28

Bristol Township rank in terms of local tax effort out of 500 school districts (#1 being highest).

\$20M

The increase in state funding for Bristol Township if it were fully funded by the state.

How much is spent to educate district students?

\$16,801

Current spending per student in Bristol Township.

143

Bristol Township rank in current spending out of 500 school districts (#1 being highest).

Contact these elected officials

to let them know you support more funding for your schools and sensible property tax relief:

Senator

Sen. Robert Tomlinson (R)

Representatives

Rep. John Galloway (D)

Rep. Tina Davis (D)



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

+\$3,254,384
(4%)

Increase in instructional costs for the district

-\$139,726
(-1%)

Change in state funding to cover instructional costs

+39%

+\$9,244,824

Change in Expenditures for Special Education

+12%

+\$509,953

Change in State Revenue Dedicated to Special Education

+75%

+\$2,599,411

Change in Payments to Charter Schools

Number of students

7,371

Performance - Students on Grade Level

Reading:
3rd

45%

Math:
7th

15%

Child Poverty Rate

School District

11%

Statewide

18%

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