



Council Rock

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 Council Rock School District?

77%

Share of school funding provided by local taxpayers to Council Rock.

7

The number of times Council Rock has raised property taxes in the last 8 years.

158

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

\$267,401

The increase in state funding for Council Rock if it were fully funded by the state.

How much is spent to educate district students?

\$19,405

Current spending per student in Council Rock.

52

Council Rock 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:

Senators

Sen. Robert Tomlinson (R)

Sen. Steve Santarsiero (D)

Representatives

Rep. Perry Warren (D)

Rep. Wendi Thomas (R)



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

+\$19,269,093
(13%)

Increase in instructional costs for the district

+\$317,153
(2%)

Change in state funding to cover instructional costs

+26%
+\$10,413,144

Change in Expenditures for Special Education

+2%
+\$135,684

Change in State Revenue Dedicated to Special Education

+16%
+\$87,824

Change in Payments to Charter Schools

Number of students
11,030

Performance - Students on Grade Level

Reading:
3rd

83%

Math:
7th

61%

Child Poverty Rate

School District

3%

Statewide

18%

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www.paschoolswork.org/data