Pennsylvania is not paying its fair share for public schools. It ranks 43rd in the country in state share of education costs.

What does this mean for the Pennsbury School District?

75% Share of school funding provided by local taxpayers to Pennsbury.

Number of times Pennsbury has raised property taxes in the last 11 years. 7

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

The increase in state funding for Pennsbury if it were fully funded by the state. $11.3M

How much is spent to educate district students?

$18,438 Current spending per student in Pennsbury.

Pennsbury rank in current spending out of 500 school districts (#1 being the highest). 109

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. Robert Tomlinson (R)
Sen. Steve Santarsiero (D)

Representatives
Rep. Perry Warren (D)
Rep. John Galloway (D)

These elected officials represent the communities this school district serves under legislative maps taking effect in January.

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Number of students: 10,617

Performance:
- Reading: 3rd Grade 71%
- Math: 7th Grade 26%

Child Poverty Rate:
- School District: 6%
- Statewide: 17%

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

+ $12,826,444
  + 9%
  Increase in instructional costs for the district

+ $1,099,555
  + 5%
  Change in state funding to cover instructional costs

+ 55%
+ $15,961,763
Change in expenditures for special education

+ 11%
+ $573,789
Change in state revenue dedicated to special education

+ 67%
+ $2,138,041
Change in payments to charter schools

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