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Slippery Rock Area

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 Slippery Rock Area School District?

53%

Share of school funding provided by local taxpayers to Slippery Rock Area.

5

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

345

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

\$546,194

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

Contact these elected officials

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

Senators

Sen. Scott Hutchinson (R)

Sen. Elder Vogel (R)

Representatives

Rep. Tedd Nesbit (R)

Rep. Aaron Bernstine (R)

Rep. Marci Mustello (R)

How much is spent to educate district students?

\$14,737

Current spending per student in Slippery Rock Area.

293

Slippery Rock Area rank in current spending out of 500 school districts (#1 being highest).



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

+\$3,658,225
(19%)

Increase in instructional costs for the district

-\$338,562
(-3%)

Change in state funding to cover instructional costs

+51%

+\$1,951,939

Change in Expenditures for Special Education

+6%

+\$91,077

Change in State Revenue Dedicated to Special Education

+40%

+\$329,377

Change in Payments to Charter Schools

Number of students

2,039

Performance - Students on Grade Level

Reading:
3rd

81%

Math:
7th

52%

Child Poverty Rate

School District

11%

Statewide

18%

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