Pennsylvania is not paying its fair share for public schools. It ranks 45th in the country in state share of education costs.

**What does this mean for the Greater Johnstown School District?**

- **15%** Share of school funding provided by local taxpayers to Greater Johnstown.
- **1** Number of times Greater Johnstown has raised property taxes in the last 12 years.
- **389** Greater Johnstown rank in terms of local tax effort out of 500 school districts (#1 being the highest).
- **$16.1M** The increase in state funding for Greater Johnstown if it were fully funded by the state.

**How much is spent to educate district students?**

- **$15,351** Current spending per student in Greater Johnstown.
- **397** Greater Johnstown rank in current spending out of 500 school districts (#1 being the highest).

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. Wayne Langerholc (R)

**Representatives**
Rep. Frank Burns (D)
Rep. James Rigby (R)
Greater Johnstown
School District Factsheet 2023

Number of students
3,060

Performance:
Reading: 3rd
20%

Math: 7th
3%

Child Poverty Rate
School District: 56%
Statewide: 17%

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

+ $1,134,483
+ 4%
Increase in instructional costs for the district

+ $4,082,119
+ 19%
Change in state funding to cover instructional costs

+ 41%
+ $2,446,468
Change in expenditures for special education

+ 26%
+$576,431
Change in state revenue dedicated to special education

+ 303%
+ $2,573,005
Change in payments to charter schools

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