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 Clarion-Limestone Area School District?

- **37%**: Share of school funding provided by local taxpayers to Clarion-Limestone Area.
- **9**: Number of times Clarion-Limestone Area has raised property taxes in the last 11 years.
- **427**: Clarion-Limestone Area rank in terms of local tax effort out of 500 school districts (#1 being the highest).
- **$2.0M**: The increase in state funding for Clarion-Limestone Area if it were fully funded by the state.

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. Scott Hutchinson (R)
- Sen. Cris Dush (R)

**Representatives**
- Rep. Donna Oberlander (R)
- Rep. Brian Smith (R)

How much is spent to educate district students?

- **$17,341**: Current spending per student in Clarion-Limestone Area.
- **165**: Clarion-Limestone Area rank in current spending out of 500 school districts (#1 being the highest).

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

**Senators**
- Sen. Cris Dush (R)
- Sen. Scott Hutchinson (R)

**Representatives**
- Rep. Brian Smith (R)
- Rep. Donna Oberlander (R)
Number of students: 835

Performance:
- Reading: 3rd grade, 64%
- Math: 7th grade, 40%

Child Poverty Rate:
- School District: 12%
- Statewide: 17%

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

+ $1,062,861 + 12%
Increase in instructional costs for the district

+ $16,840 + 0.3%
Change in state funding to cover instructional costs

+ 39% + $671,144
Change in expenditures for special education

+ 12% +$74,903
Change in state revenue dedicated to special education

+ 98% + $175,254
Change in payments to charter schools

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