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 Clearfield Area School District?**

- **29%** Share of school funding provided by local taxpayers to Clearfield Area.
- **Number of times Clearfield Area has raised property taxes in the last 12 years:** 5
- **329** Clearfield Area rank in terms of local tax effort out of 500 school districts (#1 being the highest).
- **The increase in state funding for Clearfield Area if it were fully funded by the state:** $4.5M

**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. Kephart Dallas (R)

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

- **$18,176** Current spending per student in Clearfield Area.
- **Clearfield Area rank in current spending out of 500 school districts (#1 being the highest):** 180
Clearfield Area
School District Factsheet 2023

Number of students
2,186

Performance:
Students on Grade Level
Reading: 3rd 46%
Math: 7th 16%

Child Poverty Rate
School District 19%
Statewide 17%

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

+ $6,196,670
+ $397,085
+ 30% + 2.6%
Increase in instructional costs for the district
Change in state funding to cover instructional costs

+ 78%
+ $3,381,671
Change in expenditures for special education

+ 21%
+$339,843
Change in state revenue dedicated to special education

+ 162%
+ $1,512,401
Change in payments to charter schools

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