



INVEST IN STUDENTS, SECURE OUR FUTURE

South Middleton

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 South Middleton School District?

71%

Share of school funding provided by local taxpayers to South Middleton.

6

The number of times South Middleton has raised property taxes in the last 8 years.

207

South Middleton rank in terms of local tax effort out of 500 school districts (#1 being highest).

\$52,379

The increase in state funding for South Middleton 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:

Senator

Sen. Mike Regan (R)

Representative

Rep. Torren Ecker (R)

How much is spent to educate district students?

\$14,210

Current spending per student in South Middleton.

362

South Middleton 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.

+\$2,157,170
(10%)

Increase in instructional costs for the district

+\$89,391
(2%)

Change in state funding to cover instructional costs

+15%

+\$598,059

Change in Expenditures for Special Education

+5%

+\$52,686

Change in State Revenue Dedicated to Special Education

+30%

+\$106,985

Change in Payments to Charter Schools

Number of students

2,171

Performance - Students on Grade Level

Reading:
3rd

71%

Math:
7th

39%

Child Poverty Rate

School District

8%

Statewide

18%

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