



## Garnet Valley School District Factsheet 2023

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

### What does this mean for the Garnet Valley School District?

**81%**

Share of school funding provided by local taxpayers to Garnet Valley.

Number of times Garnet Valley has raised property taxes in the last 12 years.

**11**

**26**

Garnet Valley rank in terms of local tax effort out of 500 school districts (#1 being the highest).

The increase in state funding to Garnet Valley since 2011.

**\$7.6M**

**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. John Kane (D)

#### Representatives

Rep. Wendell Williams (R)

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

**\$21,091**

Current spending per student in Garnet Valley.

Garnet Valley rank in current spending out of 500 school districts (#1 being the highest).

**59**



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Number of  
students

4,636

Performance:  
Students on  
Grade Level

Reading:  
3rd

81%

Math:  
7th

52%

Child Poverty Rate

School  
District

0%

Statewide

17%

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

+ \$20,043,330  
+ 35%

Increase in instructional costs for  
the district

+ \$1,345,860  
+ 24%

Change in state funding to cover  
instructional costs

+ 65%

+ \$8,180,686.77

Change in expenditures for special education

+ 29%

+\$426,857

Change in state revenue dedicated to special  
education

+ 125%

+ \$469,582

Change in payments to charter schools