



Ridley

School District Factsheet 2023

*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 Ridley School District?

55%

Share of school funding provided by local taxpayers to Ridley.

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

8

79

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

The increase in state funding for Ridley if it were fully funded by the state.

\$4.1M

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. Anthony Williams (D)
Sen. John Kane (D)
Sen. Timothy Kearney (D)

Representatives

Rep. Regina Young (D)
Rep. David Delloso (D)
Rep. Leanne Krueger (D)
Rep. Carol Kazeem (D)

How much is spent to educate district students?

\$20,228 Current spending per student in Ridley.

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

83

Number of
students

5,656

Performance:
Students on
Grade Level

Reading:
3rd
77%

Math:
7th
50%

Child Poverty Rate

School
District
10%

Statewide
17%

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

+ \$21,150,145
+ 32%

Increase in instructional costs for
the district

+ \$2,358,264
+ 16%

Change in state funding to cover
instructional costs

+ 54%
+ \$7,709,872

Change in expenditures for special education

+ 40%
+\$1,096,403

Change in state revenue dedicated to special
education

+ 152%
+ \$1,658,050

Change in payments to charter schools