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 North East School District?

40% Share of school funding provided by local taxpayers to North East.

Number of times North East has raised property taxes in the last 11 years. 8

North East rank in terms of local tax effort out of 500 school districts (#1 being the highest). 323

The increase in state funding for North East if it were fully funded by the state. $6.1M

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. Daniel Laughlin (R)

Representatives
Rep. Curtis Sonney (R)

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

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How much is spent to educate district students?

$13,224 Current spending per student in North East.

North East rank in current spending out of 500 school districts (#1 being the highest). 477
Number of students: 1,680

Performance: Students on Grade Level
- Reading: 3rd, 73%
- Math: 7th, 37%

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:

- + $1,315,172 (+ 9%) Increase in instructional costs for the district
- + $87,108 (+ 1%) Change in state funding to cover instructional costs
- + 38% (+ $844,128) Change in expenditures for special education
- + 9% (+ $105,249) Change in state revenue dedicated to special education
- + 108% (+ $275,790) Change in payments to charter schools

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