

Chambersburg Area 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 Chambersburg Area School District?

58% Share of school funding provided by local taxpayers to Chambersburg Area.

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

10

194

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

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

\$45.6M

How much is spent to educate district students?

\$14,015 Current spending per student in Chambersburg Area.

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

473

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. Douglas Mastriano (R)

Representatives

Rep. Richard Irvin (R) Rep. Robert Kauffman (R)



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Number of students

9,553

Performance: Students on Grade Level

Reading: 3rd

Math: 7th

Child Poverty Rate

School District

16%

Statewide

17%

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

+ \$27,056,448 + 40%

Increase in instructional costs for the district

+ \$2,592,577 + 10%

Change in state funding to cover instructional costs

+ 62%

+ \$8,274,941

Change in expenditures for special education

+ 24%

+\$918,237

Change in state revenue dedicated to special education

+ 148%

+ \$3,458,591

Change in payments to charter schools