

Waynesboro 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 Waynesboro Area School District?

39% Share of school funding provided by local taxpayers to Waynesboro Area.

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

8

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

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

\$20.9M

How much is spent to educate district students?

\$13,154 Current spending per student in Waynesboro Area.

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

492

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. Paul Schemel (R) Rep. Robert Kauffman (R)



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Number of students

4,464

Performance: Students on Grade Level

Reading: 3rd 49%

Math: 7th

25%

Child Poverty Rate

School District

20%

Statewide

17%

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

> + \$7,848,900 + 25%

Increase in instructional costs for the district

+ \$1,173,394

+ 7%

Change in state funding to cover instructional costs

+ 57%

+ \$3,112,397

Change in expenditures for special education

+ 17%

Change in state revenue dedicated to special

+\$379,867

education

+ 264%

Change in payments to charter schools

+ \$2,674,328