



# Punxsutawney Area 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 Punxsutawney Area School District?

29%

Share of school funding provided by local taxpayers to Punxsutawney Area.

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

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

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

\$6.3M

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. Joe Pittman (R)

### Representatives

Rep. Brian Smith (R)

## How much is spent to educate district students?

\$17,986

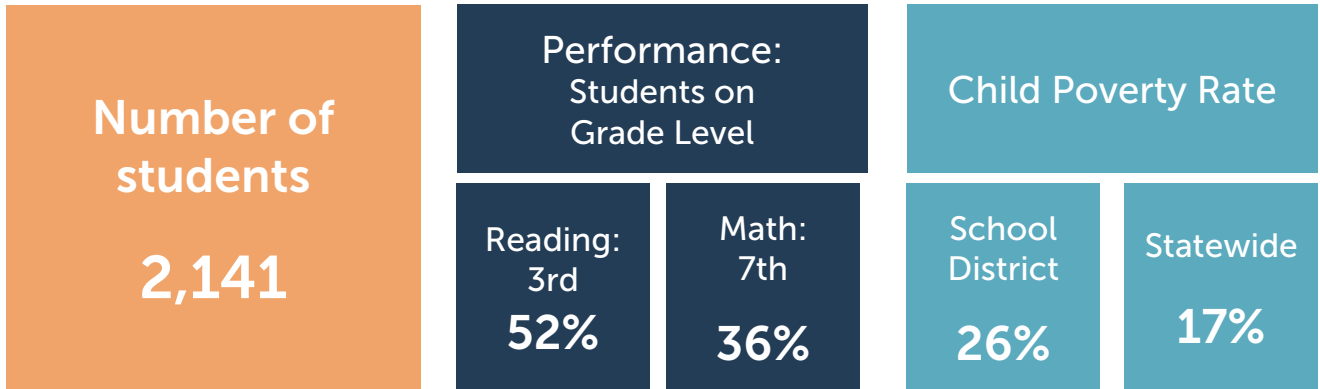
Current spending per student in Punxsutawney Area.

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

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

