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North Pocono

School District Factsheet

Pennsylvania is not paying its fair share for public schools. It ranks 44th in the country in state share of education costs. Pennsylvania also has the widest gap in the U.S. between the highest and lowest spending school districts.

What does this mean for the North Pocono School District?

63%

Share of school funding provided by local taxpayers to North Pocono.

6

The number of times North Pocono has raised property taxes in the last 8 years.

100

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

\$4M

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

Contact these elected officials

to let them know you support more funding for your schools and sensible property tax relief:

Senators

Sen. Lisa Baker (R)

Sen. John Blake (D)

Representatives

Rep. Mike Carroll (D)

Rep. Michael Peifer (R)

How much is spent to educate district students?

\$15,529

Current spending per student in North Pocono.

224

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



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Here is what has changed for the district since 2011 when the state dramatically reduced education funding.

+\$8,199,278
(30%)

Increase in instructional costs for the district

-\$3,824
(0%)

Change in state funding to cover instructional costs

+52%

+\$2,371,217

Change in Expenditures for Special Education

+7%

+\$116,921

Change in State Revenue Dedicated to Special Education

+94%

+\$493,723

Change in Payments to Charter Schools

Number of students

3,064

Performance - Students on Grade Level

Reading: 3rd

79%

Math: 7th

46%

Child Poverty Rate

School District

8%

Statewide

18%

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