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 Lampeter-Strasburg School District?

- **75%** Share of school funding provided by local taxpayers to Lampeter-Strasburg.
- **9** Number of times Lampeter-Strasburg has raised property taxes in the last 11 years.
- **116** Lampeter-Strasburg rank in terms of local tax effort out of 500 school districts (#1 being the highest).
- **$3.4M** The increase in state funding for Lampeter-Strasburg if it were fully funded by the state.

How much is spent to educate district students?

- **$15,182** Current spending per student in Lampeter-Strasburg.
- **336** Lampeter-Strasburg rank in current spending out of 500 school districts (#1 being the highest).

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. Scott Martin (R)

- **Representatives**
  - Rep. Keith Greiner (R)
  - Rep. Michael Sturla (D)

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

- **Senators**
  - Sen. Scott Martin (R)

- **Representatives**
  - Rep. Bryan Cutler (R)
  - Rep. Steven Mentzer (R)
Number of students: 3,101

Performance: Students on Grade Level
- Reading: 3rd Grade - 76%
- Math: 7th Grade - 44%

Child Poverty Rate:
- School District: 7%
- Statewide: 17%

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

- Increase in instructional costs for the district: + $5,094,026 (+ 17%)
- Change in state funding to cover instructional costs: + $704,017 (+ 13%)
- Change in expenditures for special education: + 49% (+ $2,665,695)
- Change in state revenue dedicated to special education: + 11% (+$146,804)
- Change in payments to charter schools: + 8% (+ $41,546)

To view sources of this information, please visit www.paschoolswork.org/data