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 Port Allegany School District?

- **23%** Share of school funding provided by local taxpayers to Port Allegany.

- **8** Number of times Port Allegany has raised property taxes in the last 12 years.

- **468** Port Allegany rank in terms of local tax effort out of 500 school districts (#1 being the highest).

- **$2.7M** The increase in state funding for Port Allegany if it were fully funded by the state.

How much is spent to educate district students?

- **$15,324** Current spending per student in Port Allegany.

- **399** Port Allegany 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:

- **Senators**
  - Sen. Cris Dush (R)

- **Representatives**
  - Rep. Martin Causer (R)
Number of students: 909

Performance:
- Reading: 3rd grade, 44%
- Math: 7th grade, 7%

Child Poverty Rate:
- School District: 27%
- Statewide: 17%

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

- + $1,020,984 + 12%
  Increase in instructional costs for the district

- + $202,773 + 2.4%
  Change in state funding to cover instructional costs

- + 95%
  + $1,041,418
  Change in expenditures for special education

- + 24%
  + $161,432
  Change in state revenue dedicated to special education

- + 97%
  + $138,987
  Change in payments to charter schools

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