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 Commodore Perry School District?

- **Share of school funding provided by local taxpayers to Commodore Perry:** 29%
- **Number of times Commodore Perry has raised property taxes in the last 11 years:** 3
- **Commodore Perry rank in terms of local tax effort out of 500 school districts (#1 being the highest):** 469
- **The increase in state funding for Commodore Perry if it were fully funded by the state:** $0.2M

How much is spent to educate district students?

- **Current spending per student in Commodore Perry:** $18,289
- **Commodore Perry rank in current spending out of 500 school districts (#1 being the highest):** 117

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. Michele Brooks (R)
- **Representatives**
  - Rep. Tedd Nesbit (R)
  - Rep. Parke Wentling (R)

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

- **Senators**
  - Sen. Michele Brooks (R)
- **Representatives**
  - Rep. Parke Wentling (R)
**Number of students**
466

**Performance: Students on Grade Level**
- **Reading:** 3rd grade, 56%
- **Math:** 7th grade, 11%

**Child Poverty Rate**
- **School District:** 19%
- **Statewide:** 17%

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

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<th>Change in Instructional Costs</th>
<th>Change in State Funding</th>
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<td>+ $515,949 10%</td>
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- Increase in instructional costs for the district
- Change in state funding to cover instructional costs

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- Change in expenditures for special education
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