

# **East Stroudsburg 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 East Stroudsburg Area School District?

63% Share of school funding provided by local taxpayers to East Stroudsburg Area.

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

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

The increase in state funding to East Stroudsburg Area since 2011.

\$12.1M

How much is spent to educate district students?

\$21,626 Current spending per student in East Stroudsburg Area.

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

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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. Rosemary Brown (R) Sen. Elisabeth Baker (R)

#### Representatives

Rep. Tarah Probst (D) Rep. Maureen Madden (D)



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Number of students

6,793

Performance: Students on Grade Level

Reading: 3rd

46%

Math: 7th

14%

**Child Poverty Rate** 

School District

18%

Statewide

17%

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

> + \$10,771,021 + 13%

Increase in instructional costs for the district

+ \$5,301,658 + 28%

Change in state funding to cover instructional costs

+ 45%

+ \$8,088,635.86

Change in expenditures for special education

+ 40%

+\$1,436,169

Change in state revenue dedicated to special education

+ 257%

+ \$6,702,108

Change in payments to charter schools