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 Saucon Valley School District?

- **73%** Share of school funding provided by local taxpayers to Saucon Valley.
- **38** Saucon Valley rank in terms of local tax effort out of 500 school districts (#1 being the highest).
- **3** Number of times Saucon Valley has raised property taxes in the last 12 years.
- **$2.3M** The increase in state funding to Saucon Valley since 2011.
- **$21,915** Current spending per student in Saucon Valley.

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. Lisa Boscola (D)

**Representatives**

Rep. Robert Freeman (D)
Rep. Milou Mackenzie (R)

How much is spent to educate district students?

- **40** Saucon Valley rank in current spending out of 500 school districts (#1 being the highest).
Number of students: 2,114

Performance: Students on Grade Level
- Reading: 3rd, 75%
- Math: 7th, 33%

Child Poverty Rate
- School District: 29%
- 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: + $8,207,875 (+ 29%)
- Change in state funding to cover instructional costs: + $597,982 (+ 15%)
- Change in expenditures for special education: + 80% (+ $3,265,660.63)
- Change in state revenue dedicated to special education: + 11% (+$100,874)
- Change in payments to charter schools: + 220% (+ $2,078,532)

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