



Mahanoy Area School District Factsheet 2023

*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 Mahanoy Area School District?

23%

Share of school funding provided by local taxpayers to Mahanoy Area.

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

6

327

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

The increase in state funding for Mahanoy Area if it were fully funded by the state.

\$3.5M

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. Dave Argall (R)

Representatives

Rep. Dane Watro (R)

Rep. Jamie Barton (R)

Rep. Timothy Twardzik (R)

How much is spent to educate district students?

\$18,646

Current spending per student in Mahanoy Area.

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

151



Mahanoy Area School District Factsheet 2023

Number of
students

1,004

Performance:
Students on
Grade Level

Reading:
3rd
52%

Math:
7th
13%

Child Poverty Rate

School
District
28%

Statewide
17%

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

+ \$1,803,623
+ 18%

Increase in instructional costs for
the district

+ \$756,255
+ 9%

Change in state funding to cover
instructional costs

+ 57%
+ \$1,338,116

Change in expenditures for special education

+ 35%
+\$274,743

Change in state revenue dedicated to special
education

+ 102%
+ \$548,709

Change in payments to charter schools