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 Tri-Valley School District?

- **Share of school funding provided by local taxpayers to Tri-Valley:** 44%
- **Number of times Tri-Valley has raised property taxes in the last 11 years:** 10
- **Tri-Valley rank in terms of local tax effort out of 500 school districts (#1 being the highest):** 399
- **The increase in state funding for Tri-Valley if it were fully funded by the state:** $1.9M

Let your elected officials know you support more funding for your schools and sensible property tax relief:

- **Senators**
  - Sen. David Argall (R)
- **Representatives**
  - Rep. Joe Kerwin (R)

These elected officials currently represent the communities this school district serves.

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- **Representatives**
  - Rep. Kurt Masser (R)

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

How much is spent to educate district students?

- **Current spending per student in Tri-Valley:** $13,447
- **Tri-Valley rank in current spending out of 500 school districts (#1 being the highest):** 469
**Tri-Valley**
School District Factsheet 2022

**Number of students**: 912

**Performance: Students on Grade Level**
- **Reading**: 3rd grade, 54%
- **Math**: 7th grade, 7%

**Child Poverty Rate**
- **School District**: 13%
- **Statewide**: 17%

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

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| Increase in instructional costs for the district                            | -$649,787  
| -7%                                                                          |          |
| Change in state funding to cover instructional costs                        | + $140,205  
| + 3%                                                                         |          |
| Change in expenditures for special education                                | + 0%     
| + $8,168                                                                    |          |
| Change in state revenue dedicated to special education                      | + 14%    
| +$72,630                                                                    |          |
| Change in payments to charter schools                                       | + 61%    
| + $52,112                                                                   |          |

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