



INVEST IN STUDENTS, SECURE OUR FUTURE

Mid-West

School District Factsheet

Pennsylvania is not paying its fair share for public schools. It ranks 44th in the country in state share of education costs. Pennsylvania also has the widest gap in the U.S. between the highest and lowest spending school districts.

What does this mean for the Mid-West School District?

50%

Share of school funding provided by local taxpayers to Mid-West.

4

The number of times Mid-West has raised property taxes in the last 8 years.

183

Mid-West rank in terms of local tax effort out of 500 school districts (#1 being highest).

\$5M

The increase in state funding for Mid-West if it were fully funded by the state.

Contact these elected officials

to let them know you support more funding for your schools and sensible property tax relief:

Senator

Sen. John Gordner (R)

Representative

Rep. David Rowe (R)

How much is spent to educate district students?

\$13,497

Current spending per student in Mid-West.

429

Mid-West rank in current spending out of 500 school districts (#1 being highest).





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

+\$2,308,764
(12%)

Increase in instructional costs for the district

+\$24,785
(0%)

Change in state funding to cover instructional costs

+48%

+\$1,754,013

Change in Expenditures for Special Education

+9%

+\$125,346

Change in State Revenue Dedicated to Special Education

+97%

+\$577,430

Change in Payments to Charter Schools

Number of students

2,255

Performance - Students on Grade Level

Reading:
3rd

64%

Math:
7th

43%

Child Poverty Rate

School District

21%

Statewide

18%

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