

North Star School District Factsheet 2024

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 North Star School District?

Share of school funding provided by local taxpayers to North Star.

Number of times North Star has raised property taxes in the last 13 years.

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

The increase in state funding for North Star if it were fully funded by the state.

\$2.1 M

How much is spent to educate district students?

\$17,861

447

Current spending per student in North Star.

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

318

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. Patrick Stefano (R)

Representatives

Rep. Carl Metzgar (R)



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Number of students

1,041

Performance: Students on Grade Level

Reading: 3rd

81%

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20%

Math:

7th

Child Poverty Rate

School District

10%

Statewide

16%

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

+\$947,011 +9%

Increase in instructional costs for the district

+\$579,532 +7%

Change in state funding to cover instructional costs

+26% +\$465,538

Change in expenditures for special education

+20% +\$157,488

Change in state revenue dedicated to special education

+202% +\$745,174

Change in payments to charter schools