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 New Kensington-Arnold School District?

- **32%** Share of school funding provided by local taxpayers to New Kensington-Arnold.

- Number of times New Kensington-Arnold has raised property taxes in the last 12 years. **8**

- New Kensington-Arnold rank in terms of local tax effort out of 500 school districts (#1 being the highest). **380**

- The increase in state funding for New Kensington-Arnold if it were fully funded by the state. **$5.7M**

How much is spent to educate district students?

- **$16,954** Current spending per student in New Kensington-Arnold.

- New Kensington-Arnold rank in current spending out of 500 school districts (#1 being the highest). **264**

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. Joe Pittman (R)

**Representatives**

Rep. Jill Cooper (R)
New Kensington-Arnold
School District Factsheet 2023

Number of students
2,046

Performance: Students on Grade Level
- Reading: 3rd 27%
- Math: 7th 10%

Child Poverty Rate
- School District: 40%
- Statewide: 17%

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

- + $1,470,720
  + 8%
  Increase in instructional costs for the district

- + $1,888,494
  + 13%
  Change in state funding to cover instructional costs

- + 54%
  + $2,830,170
  Change in expenditures for special education

- + 25%
  + $441,224
  Change in state revenue dedicated to special education

- + 181%
  + $1,831,119
  Change in payments to charter schools

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