## **Agua Fria Union High School District**

Maricopa County
Peer groups: Operational 3 and T-4, Achievement 8<sup>1</sup>

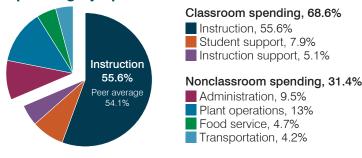
Legislative district(s): 4, 13, 19, and 29

District location: Suburb Number of schools: 5 Graduation rate (2018): 95% Students attending; Size: 7,899; Medium-large 5-year change in students attending: 11% increase Special education population: 11% English learner population: 1% Poverty rate (2018): 10% Free/reduced meal eligibility: 36%

#### Instructional spending percentage by year

2001 2002 2003 2004 2005 2006 2007 2008 2009 2010 2011 2012 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 55.7 53.3 54.6 51.6 51.3 56.1 53.8 54.3 53.7 53.4 53.1 51.9 52.6 52.2 53.0 53.0 52.5 53.5 55.6

### Spending by operational area



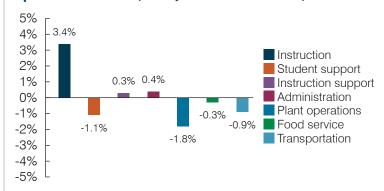
#### Operational measures relative to peer averages

Operational area	Measure	District	Peer average	State average
	Cost per pupil	\$837	\$887	\$903
Administration	Students per administrative position		68	66
Plant operations	Cost per square foot	\$7.31	\$5.90	\$6.49
	Square footage per student	156	159	158
Food service	Cost per meal	\$4.54	\$3.35	\$3.08
Transportation	Cost per mile	\$3.80	\$4.02	\$4.29
	Cost per rider	\$1,459	\$1,407	\$1,424
Very low	Low Compar	able	High	Very high

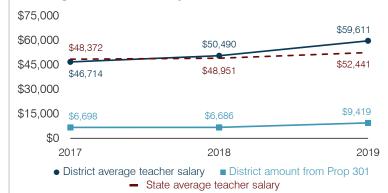
Per pupil spending

			Peer	State
	District		average	average
Spending by area	2018	2019	2019	2019
Instruction	\$ 3,960	\$ 4,878	\$ 4,496	\$ 4,869
Student support	600	690	730	754
Instruction support	393	450	377	497
Administration	733	837	887	903
Plant operations	1,031	1,138	977	1,027
Food service	341	413	353	438
Transportation	348	370	428	417
Total operational	7,406	8,776	8,248	8,905
Land and buildings	7,871	1,379	1,367	1,086
Equipment	510	740	508	496
Interest	441	468	319	261
Other	19	48	194	180
Total nonoperational	8,841	2,635	2,388	2,023
Total per pupil spending	\$ 16,247	\$ 11,411	\$10,636	\$10,928

# Percentage point change in spending by operational area (fiscal year 2014 versus 2019)

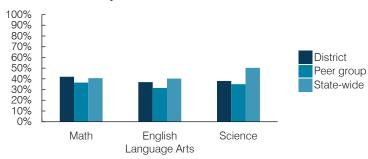


#### Average teacher salary and other measures



Measure	2017	2018	2019
Students per teacher	21.8	21.6	20.4
Average years of teacher experience	8.1	7.7	7.4
Percentage of teachers in first 3 years	33%	36%	39%

#### Students who passed State assessments<sup>2</sup>



See Appendix A for information, such as districts included in each peer group, and Appendix B for sources and methodology.

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