District Planned Uses of Proposition 301 Monies **Camp Verde Unified** Grades served: **School District** Number of schools: Students attending:

PreK-12 3 1,429 Number of certified teachers: 82

District

17.4

\$31,891

\$26,000

55.2%

State

18

\$37,176

\$26,516

57.7%

Comparative Information

Student/teacher ratio:

in the classroom:

Average teacher salary:

Beginning teacher salary:

Percentage of dollars spent

Proposition 301 Dollars

Base pay: Performance pay: Menu options: Total Proposition 301 dollars:	\$ \$	102,494 204,989 204,989 512,472
Total budgeted expenditures		

for fiscal year 2002: \$12,685,411

Base Pay (\$102,494):

The District has decided to divide base pay monies equally between 76 classroom teachers and 4 counselors. Eligible employees will each receive an estimated \$1,000, paid during the normal payroll cycle.

Menu Options (\$204,989):

A committee of board members, district administrators, and teachers determined how menu monies would be allocated. The bulk of the monies, 94 percent, will be used to increase salaries and benefits for classroom teachers and counselors. The remainder of the money will be used to reduce class sizes by adding an additional class at the high school and middle school, and to establish a remedial summer school dropout prevention program.

Performance Pay (\$204,989):

Classroom teachers and counselors are eligible to receive performance monies up to \$2,000 each, distributed with the 2002 school year's final paycheck. Approximately 41 percent of the monies will be distributed based upon student achievement on standardized tests, while another 41 percent will be based upon additional duties such as peer coaching, parent night activities, and tutoring. To receive performance pay monies, eligible employees must remain District employees for the 2003 school year. The District is 1 of only 25 districts with a similar requirement. The District plans on carrying forward to the 2003 school year the remaining 18 percent of the performance monies.



Dollars in the Classroom (Fiscal Year 2001)

See also Auditor General Report, Arizona Public School Districts' Dollars Spent in the Classroom.