# **Classroom Dollars and Proposition 301 Results**

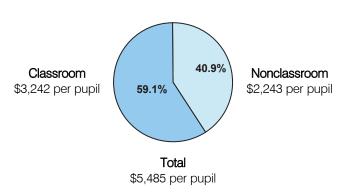
# Pendergast Elementary School District

District size: Large
Students attending: 9,530
Number of schools: 11
Number of certified teachers: 523

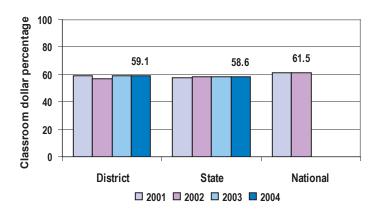
District

# Classroom Dollars

# Fiscal year 2004



# 4-year comparison



### Expenditures by function

### Percentage

		Dis	State	National		
	2001	2002	2003	2004	2004	2001
Classroom dollars	58.9	57.0	59.0	59.1	58.6	61.5
Nonclassroom dollars:						
Administration	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.3	9.5	10.9
Plant operations	11.5	11.8	10.3	11.6	11.7	9.7
Food service	4.9	6.0	5.6	5.3	4.7	4.0
Transportation	2.9	2.7	2.7	2.6	4.0	4.1
Student support	5.4	5.7	6.5	6.6	7.0	5.0
Instruction support	7.3	7.7	6.8	5.5	4.3	4.6
Other					0.2	0.2

# Comparative Information

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	2002	2003	2004	2004
Student/teacher ratio	18.4	18.1	18.2	18.2
Average teacher salary	\$39,834	\$39,667	\$40,740	\$38,534
Average years' experience	5.0	4.9	5.7	8.7

Classroom dollar ranking: 56 of 227 districts.

# Proposition 301

# District-reported 2004 results

## Teacher pay

 On average, each teacher, librarian, speech pathologist, audiologist, and counselor earned an additional \$1,110 in salary.

## Performance

- The District accomplished its goals, which were based on district and school performance.
- All schools were labeled "performing" or better by ADE for AZ LEARNS.
- Parents surveyed at each school gave positive ratings ranging from 88 percent to 95 percent.
- 8 schools met their student achievement goals.

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- Monies were used to increase eligible employee base pay and to compensate teachers for participating in professional development.
- 116 teachers participated in a new-teacher induction program and completed 30 hours of professional development activities. 66 teachers acted as mentors. 331 teachers attended district-sponsored teacher academies.
- Approximately 456 students participated in afterschool tutoring in reading, writing, and math.
- 1,440 students participated in AIMS intervention intercessions, and 70 percent of these students increased their reading skills by 1 level.