Red Mesa Unified School District

Apache County Peer groups: Operational 6 and T-10, Achievement 7¹

Legislative district(s): 7 District location: Rural Number of schools: 5 Graduation rate (2018): 69%

Instructional spending percentage by year

2001 2002 2003 2004 2005 2006 2007 2008 2009 2010 2011 2012 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 40.9 43.6 45.4 42.9 42.0 43.9 42.6 40.4 38.6 38.7 40.6 39.9 38.6 31.6 36.1 36.8 38.1 34.6 33.9

Students attending; Size:

Special education population:

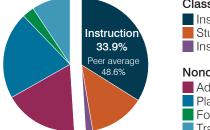
English learner population:

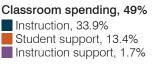
Free/reduced meal eligibility:

Poverty rate (2018):

5-year change in students attending:

Spending by operational area





Nonclassroom spending, 51% Administration, 17.8% Plant operations, 21% Food service, 2.9% Transportation, 9.3%

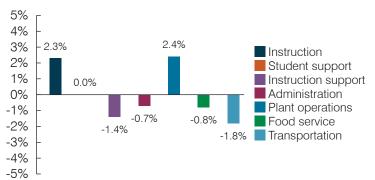
Operational measures relative to peer averages

Operational area	Measure	Dist	rict	Peer average	State average
Administration	Cost per pupil	\$3,	371	\$1,750	\$903
	Students per administrative pos	ition	22	45	66
Plant operations	Cost per square foot		5.38	\$5.35	\$6.49
	Square footage pe student	er .	740	315	158
Food service	Cost per meal	\$2	2.99	\$3.77	\$3.08
Transportation	Cost per mile	\$2	2.25	\$2.20	\$4.29
	Cost per rider	\$2,	668	\$1,962	\$1,424
Very low	Low Co	nparable		Hiah	Very high

Per pupil spending

	Di	istrict	Peer average	State average
Spending by area	2018	2019	2019	2019
Instruction	\$ 6,640	\$ 6,426	\$ 5,732	\$ 4,869
Student support	2,141	2,554	763	754
Instruction support	935	320	364	497
Administration	3,628	3,371	1,750	903
Plant operations	3,829	3,982	1,697	1,027
Food service	434	559	545	438
Transportation	1,599	1,762	616	417
Total operational	19,206	18,974	11,467	8,905
Land and buildings	192	49	757	1,086
Equipment	541	957	692	496
Interest	0	0	152	261
Other	50	131	64	180
Total nonoperational	783	1,137	1,665	2,023
Total per pupil spending	\$ 19,989	\$ 20,111	\$13,132	\$10,928

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



456; Small

14%

43%

93%

7%

29% decrease

Average teacher salary and other measures



 Measure
 2017
 2018
 2019

 Students per teacher
 11.0
 13.2
 12.7

 Average years of teacher experience
 17.8
 17.4
 19.3

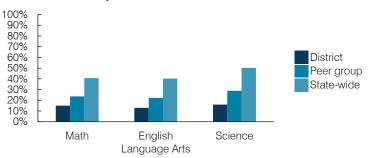
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3%

3%

Students who passed State assessments²

Percentage of teachers in first 3 years



¹ See Appendix A for information, such as districts included in each peer group, and Appendix B for sources and methodology.

² School letter grades are available at https://azreportcards.azed.gov.

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