

Valentine Elementary School District

Mohave County
Operational peer group: L
Legislative districts: 2

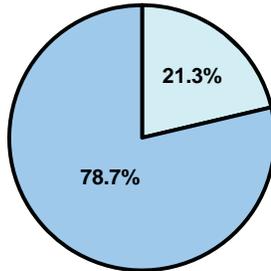
District size: Very Small
Students attending: 65
Number of schools: 1

OPERATIONAL EFFICIENCY

Average per-pupil spending

District
State

Classroom
\$8,794
\$4,497



Nonclassroom
\$2,374
\$3,411

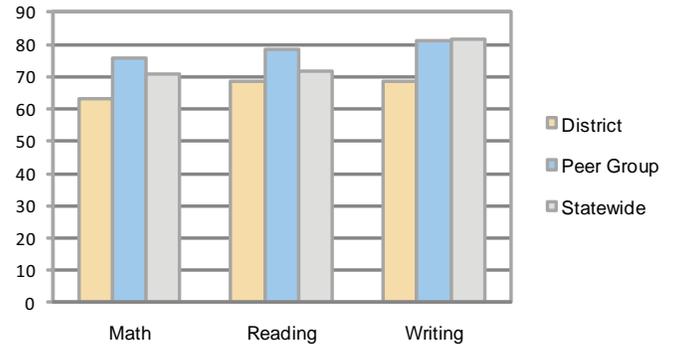
Total
\$11,168
\$7,908

5-year trend

Student enrollment increased by 48 percent, which contributed to the 4 percent decrease in total spending per pupil. Spending in the classroom varied year to year and increased significantly overall from 68.3 to 78.7 percent. Spending on plant operations, transportation, and instruction support decreased significantly, while spending in other nonclassroom areas varied year to year.

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT AND TEACHER INFORMATION

Percentage of students meeting state standards (AIMS)



Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) toward federal goals

The District's school met all applicable AYP objectives for NCLB.

District's cost measures relative to peer group

Operational Area	Measure	District	Peer Average	State Average
Administration	Cost per pupil	\$1,098	\$2,656	\$729
	Students per administrator	32	32	66
Plant Operations	Cost per square foot	\$3.15	\$7.53	\$6.40
	Square footage per student	224	318	144
Food Service	Cost per meal equivalent	N/A	\$5.10	\$2.53
Transportation	Cost per mile	\$1.46	\$1.79	\$3.36
	Miles per rider	278	710	271

Very Low Low Comparable High Very High

Student and teacher information

Measure	District	Peer average	State average
Attendance rate	95%	95%	95%
Graduation rate (2008)	N/A	55%	75%
Poverty rate	15%	12%	19%
Student/teacher ratio	12.9	10.7	17.1
Average teacher salary	\$60,645	\$45,399	\$45,209
Average years' experience	11.8	10.9	8.3
Percent of teachers in first 3 years	0%	18%	16%

Proposition 301

Teacher pay

On average, each teacher earned \$6,022 in additional salary.

Performance pay plan goals and results

Type of goal	Goal met?
Student achievement	■
Dropout/ graduation rates	
Student attendance	
Parent/student satisfaction	
Teacher attendance	
Teacher professional development	
Teacher evaluations	■
Tutoring	
Other	

■ = yes, □ = no, and ▤ = partially

Per-pupil spending by function

	District		Peer	State	National
	2008	2009	2009	2009	2007
Total	\$9,822	\$11,168	\$16,311	\$7,908	\$9,683
Classroom dollars	\$7,588	\$8,794	\$8,757	\$4,497	\$5,903
Nonclassroom dollars:	\$2,234	\$2,374	\$7,554	\$3,411	\$3,780
Administration	790	1,098	2,656	729	1,050
Plant Operations	900	704	2,297	920	951
Food Service	0	0	859	382	369
Transportation	541	572	930	343	406
Student Support	0	0	474	594	512
Instruction Support	3	0	338	431	470
Other	0	0	0	12	22