

# Classroom Dollars and Proposition 301 Results

## Creighton Elementary School District

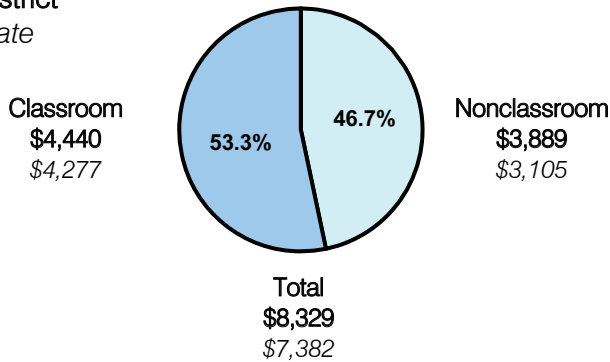
Maricopa County

District size: Large  
 Students attending: 7,360  
 Number of schools: 9  
 Number of certified teachers: 475

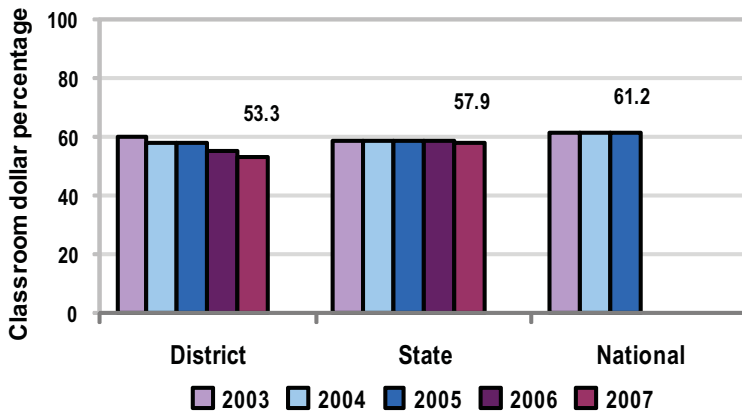
### Classroom Dollars

Fiscal year 2007 averages per pupil

District  
 State



5-year comparison



Expenditures by function

	District					State 2007	National 2005
	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007		
Classroom dollars	59.8	58.0	57.8	55.0	53.3	57.9	61.2
Nonclassroom dollars:							
Administration	8.0	7.7	7.5	8.7	9.1	9.5	11.0
Plant operations	10.7	11.0	10.6	10.7	10.6	11.3	9.6
Food service	7.5	8.0	7.2	6.4	6.2	4.7	3.9
Transportation	2.7	2.6	2.5	2.8	2.9	4.3	4.1
Student support	6.8	7.5	8.3	9.3	9.4	7.3	5.2
Instruction support	4.5	5.2	5.4	7.0	8.0	4.8	4.8
Other			0.7	0.1	0.5	0.2	0.2

### Comparative Information

	District			State 2007
	2005	2006	2007	
Student/teacher ratio	16.7	16.5	15.5	17.4
Average teacher salary	\$41,239	\$42,412	\$41,420	\$43,833
Average years' experience	7.7	7.5	7.4	8.1

Classroom dollar ranking: 147 of 229 districts.

### Proposition 301

#### District-reported 2007 results

##### Teacher pay

- On average, each teacher, librarian, and speech pathologist earned between \$4,654 and \$5,919 in additional salary.

##### Performance

- The District accomplished its goals, which were similar to the prior fiscal year's goals and were based on school performance.
- Academic achievement goals called for students to demonstrate Adequate Yearly Progress, the schools to meet AZ LEARNS objectives, and ELL students to progress toward English proficiency.
- The student absence rate at 8 of the 9 schools was less than 5.6 percent during the first 100 days of the school year or showed an improvement over the prior year.
- Other goals were linked to teacher development and increasing parent involvement.

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- Monies were used solely to increase eligible employee compensation.