

Classroom Dollars and Proposition 301 Results

Florence Unified School District

Pinal County

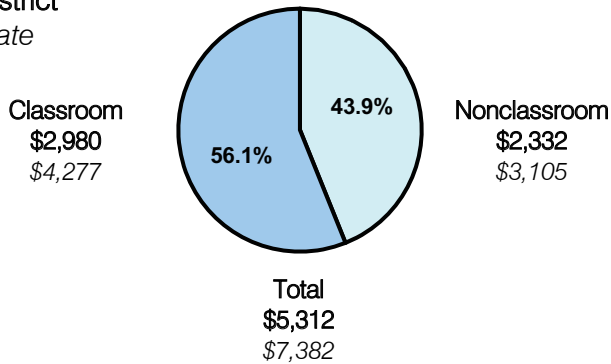
District size: Large
 Students attending: 5,928
 Number of schools: 6
 Number of certified teachers: 250

Classroom Dollars

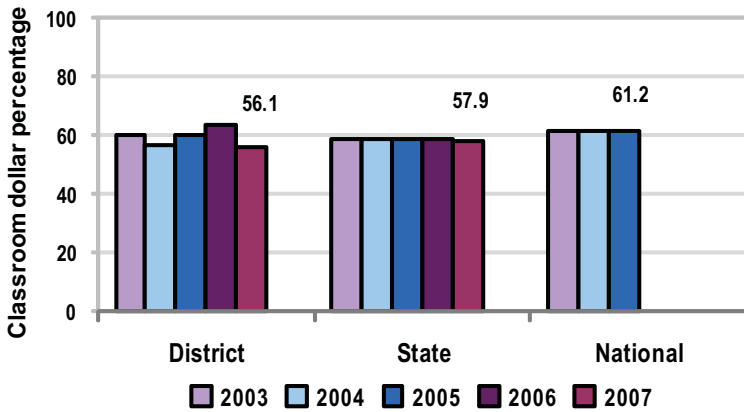
Fiscal year 2007 averages per pupil

District

State



5-year comparison



Expenditures by function

	District					State	National
	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2007	2005
Classroom dollars	59.8	56.4	59.9	63.2	56.1	57.9	61.2
Nonclassroom dollars:							
Administration	12.6	12.0	11.0	9.2	9.3	9.5	11.0
Plant operations	12.7	14.4	12.3	12.0	13.8	11.3	9.6
Food service	4.6	5.0	4.9	4.2	4.7	4.7	3.9
Transportation	5.5	5.4	5.7	5.6	7.0	4.3	4.1
Student support	3.6	4.8	5.5	4.8	6.9	7.3	5.2
Instruction support	1.1	2.0	0.7	1.0	2.2	4.8	4.8
Other	0.1					0.2	0.2

Comparative Information

	District			State
	2005	2006	2007	2007
Student/teacher ratio	18.7	18.3	23.8	17.4
Average teacher salary	\$42,600	\$38,152	\$44,270	\$43,833
Average years' experience	5.5	4.8	4.0	8.1

Classroom dollar ranking: 95 of 229 districts.

Proposition 301

District-reported 2007 results

Teacher Pay

- On average, each teacher earned an additional \$3,120 in salary.

Performance

- The District accomplished all of its goals, which were based on individual, school, and district performance.
- Each school had to receive a "Performing" or better label from ADE for AZ LEARNS or meet Adequate Yearly Progress objectives.
- All teachers participated in 30 hours of approved professional development activities and received satisfactory performance evaluations.
- Student attendance rates for the first 100 days of school were at least 94 percent.
- The District achieved at least an 80 percent satisfaction rating from parents.

Menu

- Monies were used to pay for professional development, including paying for instructional specialists, grade level and curriculum team leaders, and trainers.