Littleton Elementary School District

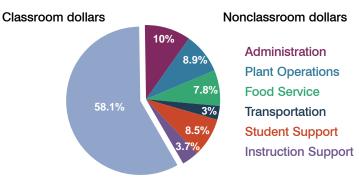
Maricopa County

Peer groups: Efficiency 9, Achievement 5 Legislative district(s): 12, 13, and 23

District size: Medium-Large Students attending: 4,764 Number of schools: 6

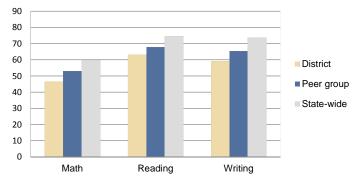
OPERATIONAL EFFICIENCY

Spending by function



STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT AND TEACHER INFORMATION

Percentage of students meeting state standards (AIMS)



5-year trend

Total spending per pupil increased by 32 percent. Spending in the classroom varied year to year, decreasing slightly overall from 58.2 to 58.1 percent. Spending on transportation and instruction support decreased significantly, while spending on student support increased significantly. Spending in other nonclassroom areas varied year to year.

District's cost measures relative to peer group

Operational Area	Measure		District	Peer Average	State Average
Administration	Cost per pupil		\$719	\$872	\$721
	Students per administrator		65	72	66
Plant	Cost per square foot		\$6.12	\$6.86	\$6.25
Operations	Square footage per student		105	127	146
Food Service	Cost per meal equivalent		\$2.57	\$2.32	\$2.41
Transportation	Cost per mile		\$4.47	\$5.66	\$3.35
Transportation	Miles per rider		150	129	282
Very low	Low	Comparable I		gh V	ery high

Per-pupil spending by function

	District		Peer	State	National
	2009	2010	2010	2010	2008
Total	\$7,399	\$7,225	\$7,783	\$7,609	\$10,297
Classroom dollars	\$4,369	\$4,197	\$4,157	\$4,253	\$6,262
Nonclassroom dollars:	\$3,030	\$3,028	\$3,626	\$3,356	\$4,035
Administration	664	719	872	721	1,109
Plant Operations	657	642	873	914	1,003
Food Service	521	567	501	366	390
Transportation	206	220	260	342	438
Student Support	663	611	582	581	556
Instruction Support	319	269	538	432	539

Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) toward federal goals

3 schools met all applicable AYP objectives for NCLB. 3 did not because some students did not demonstrate sufficient academic progress.

Student and teacher information

		Peer	State
Measure	District	Average	Average
Attendance rate	95%	95%	94%
Graduation rate (2009)	N/A	N/A	76%
Poverty rate (2009)	18%	19%	21%
Student/teacher ratio	16.9	18.0	17.9
Average teacher salary	\$44,249	\$43,515	\$47,077
Average years' experience	4.9	7.9	10.6
Percent of teachers in first 3 years	63%	35%	20%

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Teacher and other staff pay

On average, each teacher earned \$4,352 in additional pay, and each counselor and curriculum specialist earned between \$1,782 and \$2,700.

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	-	
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