

# Classroom Dollars and Proposition 301 Results

## Murphy Elementary School District

Maricopa County

District size: Medium  
 Students attending: 2,332  
 Number of schools: 4  
 Number of certified teachers: 134

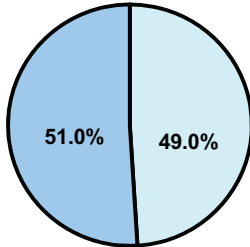
### Classroom Dollars

Fiscal year 2008 averages per pupil

District

State

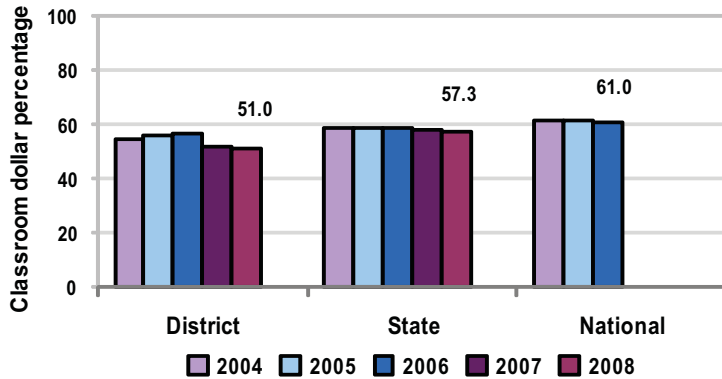
Classroom  
 \$5,213  
 \$4,480



Nonclassroom  
 \$5,012  
 \$3,333

Total  
 \$10,225  
 \$7,813

5-year comparison



### Expenditures by function

	District					State 2008	National 2006
	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008		
Classroom dollars	54.4	55.7	56.4	51.8	51.0	57.3	61.0
Nonclassroom dollars:							
Administration	16.1	14.2	13.6	14.1	14.4	9.2	10.8
Plant operations	10.8	11.8	11.1	11.5	11.8	11.3	9.9
Food service	7.1	6.8	6.9	6.2	7.0	4.8	3.8
Transportation	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.9	1.9	4.4	4.2
Student support	6.1	5.8	5.7	8.0	7.9	7.4	5.2
Instruction support	3.7	3.9	4.7	6.5	6.0	5.4	4.9
Other		0.1				0.2	0.2

### Comparative Information

	District			State 2008
	2006	2007	2008	
Student/teacher ratio	18.8	15.6	16.4	17.3
Average teacher salary	\$41,847	\$43,647	\$43,062	\$44,967
Average years' experience	7.6	7.0	6.2	8.1

Classroom dollar ranking: 171 of 230 districts.

### Proposition 301

#### District-reported 2008 results

##### Teacher pay

- On average, each teacher, librarian, speech pathologist, and counselor earned between \$5,159 and \$5,653 in additional salary, which includes performance pay for fiscal year 2007 performance.

##### Performance

- The District accomplished its goals, which were the same as the prior fiscal year's goals and were based on school and individual performance.
- 2 of the District's 4 schools were labeled "Performing" by ADE for AZ LEARNS.
- Schools received positive ratings on parent satisfaction surveys.
- Most teachers participated in 4 parent activity nights.

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- Monies were primarily used to increase eligible employee compensation.
- Teachers participated in after-school AIMS intervention tutoring and summer school instruction.