

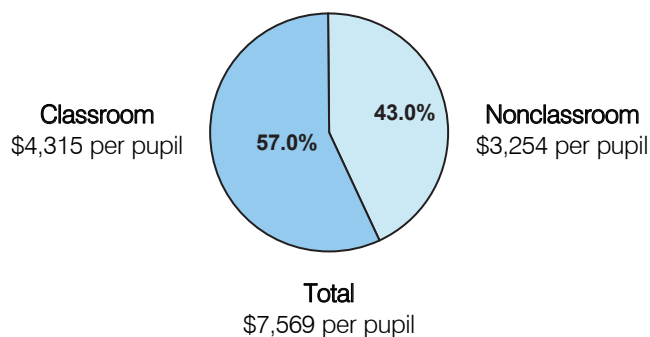
# Classroom Dollars and Proposition 301 Results

## Parker Unified School District

District size: Medium  
 Students attending: 1,922  
 Number of schools: 6  
 Number of certified teachers: 127

### Classroom Dollars

Fiscal year 2004

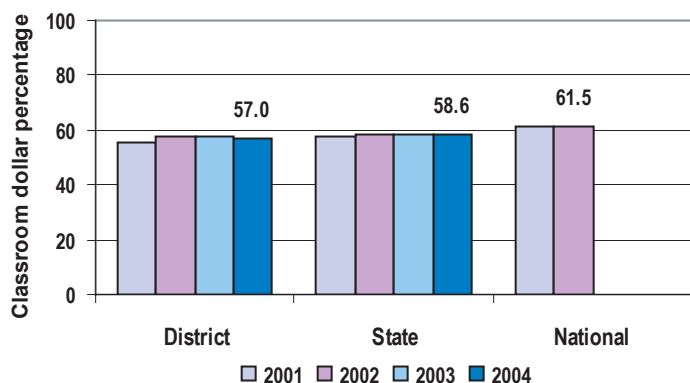


### Comparative Information

	District			State
	2002	2003	2004	2004
Student/teacher ratio	16.5	15.7	15.1	18.2
Average teacher salary	\$36,619	\$39,697	\$40,287	\$38,534
Average years' experience	9.2	8.8	8.7	8.7

Classroom dollar ranking: 93 of 227 districts.

### 4-year comparison



### Expenditures by function

	Percentage					
	District				State	National
	2001	2002	2003	2004	2004	2001
Classroom dollars	55.3	57.3	57.4	57.0	58.6	61.5
Nonclassroom dollars:						
Administration	14.2	13.7	11.9	10.2	9.5	10.9
Plant operations	12.5	11.3	12.4	11.1	11.7	9.7
Food service	3.9	3.9	3.7	3.7	4.7	4.0
Transportation	5.1	4.9	5.0	4.8	4.0	4.1
Student support	5.3	5.7	6.6	8.8	7.0	5.0
Instruction support	3.4	2.8	2.7	4.4	4.3	4.6
Other	0.3	0.4	0.3		0.2	0.2

### Proposition 301

#### District-reported 2004 results

##### Teacher pay

- On average, each teacher, speech pathologist, and counselor earned an additional \$5,124 in salary.

##### Performance

- The District accomplished most of its goals, which were based on school and individual performance.
- Each school accomplished a student achievement goal linked to student performance on the AIMS test.
- All traditional schools were labeled "performing" or better by ADE for AZ LEARNS.
- District-wide, students' standardized test scores improved by 2 percent, on average.
- Most teachers made the required number of individual parent contacts during the year. For example, the junior high school reported a total of more than 900 parent contacts during the year.
- Most teachers also established performance goals for individual students in their classes.

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- Monies were used solely to increase eligible employee compensation.