

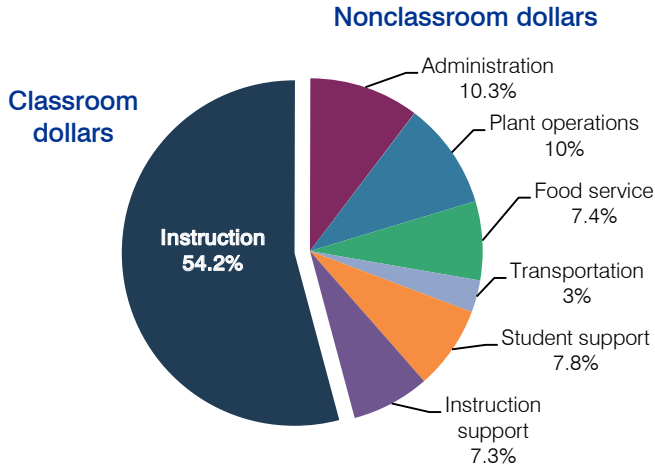
Pendergast Elementary School District

Maricopa County
 Efficiency peer groups 7 and T-3, Achievement peer group 14
 Legislative district(s): 19 and 29

District size / location: Large, City
 Students attending: 9,325
 Number of schools: 14

OPERATIONAL EFFICIENCY

Spending by operational area



5-year spending trend

Total spending per pupil increased by 2 percent. Spending in the classroom decreased from 56.2 to 54.2 percent. Overall, spending on plant operations decreased and spending on food service and instruction support increased. Spending on other nonclassroom areas remained stable.

Cost measures relative to peer averages

Operational area	Measure	District	Peer average	State average
Administration	Cost per pupil	\$684	\$695	\$736
	Students per administrator	69	67	66
Plant operations	Cost per square foot	\$5.35	\$6.05	\$6.09
	Square footage per student	124	131	152
Food service	Cost per meal equivalent	\$2.46	\$2.41	\$2.47
Transportation	Cost per mile	\$3.97	\$3.80	\$3.50
	Cost per rider	\$955	\$940	\$982

Very low Low Comparable High Very high

Per-pupil spending by operational area

	District		Peer average	State average	National average
	2011	2012	2012	2012	2010
Total	\$7,186	\$6,631	\$7,254	\$7,475	\$10,652
Classroom dollars	3,991	3,592	3,944	4,053	6,526
Nonclassroom dollars:	3,195	3,039	3,310	3,422	4,126
Administration	707	684	695	736	1,139
Plant operations	719	664	794	928	1,012
Food service	499	492	489	382	405
Transportation	184	198	299	362	443
Student support	545	519	526	578	592
Instruction support	541	482	507	436	535

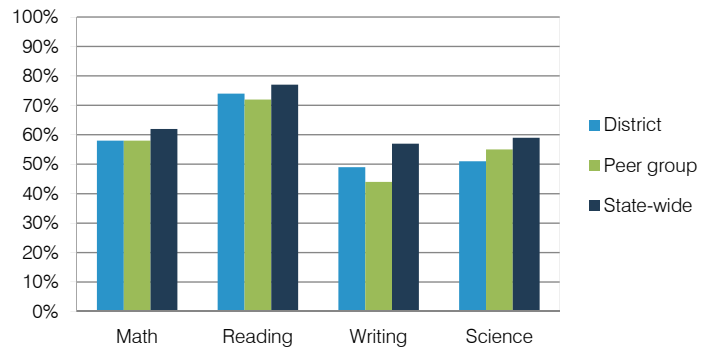
STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT, TEACHER MEASURES, AND FINANCIAL ASSESSMENT

ADE-reported district and school letter grades

District grade: **B**

Grade	Number of schools	Percentage of schools
A	3	21%
B	3	21%
C	6	43%
D	2	14%
F	0	0%
Not rated	0	0%

Percentage of students who met state standards (AIMS)



Student and teacher measures

Measure	District	Peer average	State average
Attendance rate	95%	95%	94%
Graduation rate (2011)	N/A	N/A	N/A
Poverty rate (2011)	26%	25%	25%
Students per teacher	20.1	19.8	18.1
Average teacher salary	\$44,865	\$40,307	\$45,193
Amount from Proposition 301	\$1,871	\$2,532	\$3,195
Average years of teacher experience	9.4	7.3	11.0
Percentage of teachers in first 3 years	17%	27%	16%

Financial stress assessment

Overall financial stress level: **Low**

Measure: 2010 through 2012	Assessment
Number of students attending	Concentrated decrease
Spending exceeded operating/capital budgets	No overspending
Spending increase election results	Voter-approved
Operating reserve percentage (max. 4%), trend	3.8%, Increasing
Years of capital reserve held	1 to 3 years
Current financial and internal control status	Compliant

