

Classroom Dollars and Proposition 301 Results

Wenden Elementary School District

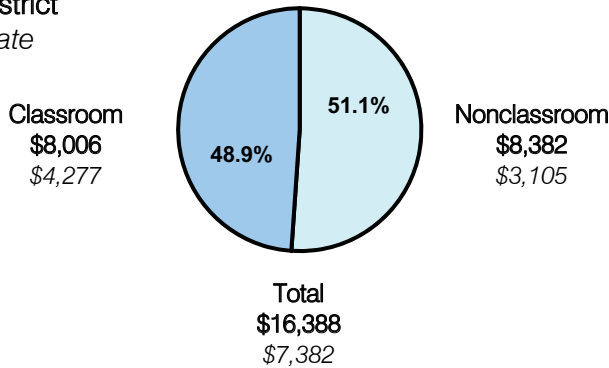
La Paz County

District size: Very Small
 Students attending: 77
 Number of schools: 1
 Number of certified teachers: 8

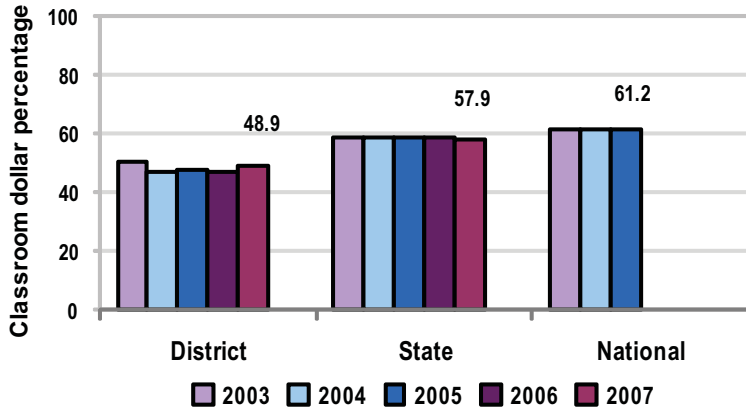
Classroom Dollars

Fiscal year 2007 averages per pupil

District
 State



5-year comparison



Expenditures by function

	District					State 2007	National 2005
	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007		
Classroom dollars	50.0	47.2	47.4	46.9	48.9	57.9	61.2
Nonclassroom dollars:							
Administration	12.5	12.6	12.5	14.9	13.7	9.5	11.0
Plant operations	14.9	15.6	16.8	15.5	15.9	11.3	9.6
Food service	11.7	12.3	13.0	11.8	10.4	4.7	3.9
Transportation	4.0	3.5	2.9	3.0	2.9	4.3	4.1
Student support	3.9	5.2	4.0	4.4	4.6	7.3	5.2
Instruction support	3.0	3.6	3.4	3.5	3.6	4.8	4.8
Other						0.2	0.2

Comparative Information

	District			State
	2005	2006	2007	2007
Student/teacher ratio	10.4	11.5	9.6	17.4
Average teacher salary	\$38,782	\$42,067	\$32,667	\$43,833
Average years' experience	7.8	8.3	8.8	8.1

Classroom dollar ranking: 182 of 229 districts.

Proposition 301

District-reported 2007 results

Teacher pay

- On average, each teacher earned an additional \$3,592 in salary.

Performance

- The District accomplished its goals, which were based on district, school, and individual performance.
- To improve student achievement, teachers created student portfolios to chart their progress throughout the year.
- The student attendance rate was 90 percent.
- 12 to 14 students were tutored by teachers.
- Parent nights provided parents with strategies to help their children with homework and increased communication between home and school.

Menu

- Teachers participated in professional development activities.
- Teachers were also compensated for completing graduate-level courses.