

Hempstead County Library

BILLED ENTITY 82188 • ARKANSAS • FUNDING REPORT FY1998–2025

500 S Elm, Hope, AR 71801

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Overview																
	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010
Total E-Rate Subsidies	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	\$2K	\$2K	\$2K	\$2K	\$1K
Average Discount Rate	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	90%	77%	90%	90%	90%	90%	80%
Schools & Libraries (in this area)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
Service Providers	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	3	1	1	1	1	1
Avg Download Speed (Mbps)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	50	–	–	–	–	–	–
Avg Upload Speed (Mbps)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	3	–	–	–	–	–	–

Subsidies by E-Rate Service Type																
Service Type	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010
Voice	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Telecomm Services	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	\$2K	\$2K	\$2K	\$2K	\$1K
Internal Connections	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Managed Internal Broadband Services	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broadband Category 1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	\$2K	\$2K	\$2K	\$2K	\$1K
Equipment Category 2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Total	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	\$2K	\$2K	\$2K	\$2K	\$1K

Category one services include telecommunications, telecommunications services and Internet access. Category two services include internal connections, basic maintenance of internal connections and managed internal broadband services.

Subsidies by E-Rate Service Provider (top 10, FY2024)																
Service Provider	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010
At&T Corp.	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	\$2K	\$2K	\$2K	\$2K	\$1K
Southwestern Bell Telephone Company	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Southwest Arkansas Tel. Coop. Inc.	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Hope Community T.V. Inc	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sbc Long Distance, LLC.	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Recipient Demographics (latest profile)																
Recipient	Address			City			Discount Rate			Students		NSLP		NSLP % Urban/Rural		
Hempstead County Library	500 S Elm 71801			Hope			90%			–		–		– Rural		

Sources: USAC Open Data — E-Rate Recipient Details and Commitments (avi8-svp9), funded FRNs only; FCC Form 471 FRN Status (qdm-p-ygft); USAC legacy commitments for FY1998–2015 (BEN level). Billed-entity figures are total authorized disbursements (entity-wide, exact). Service-provider top 10 ranked by lifetime disbursements, sorted by FY2024. Student counts sum USAC recipient-site profiles (entity-wide). FY2026 omitted (funding year in progress). Note: the last year or two in any disbursement series always looks artificially low (FY2025 invoices are still being paid), which is why the history dips at the end — that’s the real state of USAC’s data, not an error. Technology Policy Institute, 2026-06-10.

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Overview (FY1998–2009)

	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998
Total E-Rate Subsidies	—	—	—	\$816	\$432	\$456	\$636	\$1K	—	\$1K	\$894	—
Average Discount Rate	80%	—	—	80%	80%	80%	80%	80%	—	77%	70%	—
Schools & Libraries (in this area)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Service Providers	1	—	—	1	2	2	2	3	—	3	2	—
Avg Download Speed (Mbps)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Avg Upload Speed (Mbps)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Subsidies by E-Rate Service Type (FY1998–2009)

Service Type	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998
Voice	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Telecomm Services	—	—	—	\$816	\$432	\$456	\$636	\$1K	—	\$1K	\$894	—
Internal Connections	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$96	—	\$133	—	—
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Managed Internal Broadband Services	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broadband Category 1	—	—	—	\$816	\$432	\$456	\$636	\$1K	—	\$1K	\$894	—
Equipment Category 2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	—	—	—	\$816	\$432	\$456	\$636	\$1K	—	\$1K	\$894	—

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Subsidies by E-Rate Service Provider (FY1998–2009)

Service Provider	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998
At&T Corp.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$138	—
Southwestern Bell Telephone Company	—	—	—	\$816	\$432	\$456	\$636	\$866	—	\$856	\$756	—
Southwest Arkansas Tel. Coop. Inc.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$312	—	\$549	—	—
Hope Community T.V. Inc	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sbc Long Distance, Llc.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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