

E-RATE FUNDING IN U.S. CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS

District-by-District Scorecards, 1998–2025

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About This Report

The federal E-Rate program, administered by the Universal Service Administrative Company (USAC) under the Federal Communications Commission, provides discounts of up to 90 percent on telecommunications, internet access, and internal connections for eligible schools and libraries. This report presents an E-Rate funding scorecard for every United States congressional district.

Each billed entity is assigned to the congressional district (119th Congress boundaries, U.S. Census TIGER/Line 2024) containing the largest number of its recipient sites, located by their USAC-reported coordinates; entities without usable coordinates use the district in their USAC profile. Funding totals are total authorized disbursements (FCC Form 471 FRN Status, USAC dataset qdmp-ygft); speeds are from Recipient Details and Commitments (avi8-svp9); pre-2016 history is from USAC legacy data (1998-2015). Note: the last year or two in any disbursement series always looks artificially low (FY2025 invoices are still being paid) — that's the real state of USAC's data, not an error.

Each district receives two pages: a funding overview with total disbursements, average discount rates, participating entities and service providers, and a disbursement history covering 1998–2025; followed by rankings of the district's largest E-Rate recipients and service providers and average contracted connection speeds.

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Data: USAC Open Data (opendata.usac.org), retrieved 2026-06-10.

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Indicator	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
Total E-Rate Subsidies	\$4,018,108	\$1,723,457	\$2,938,087	\$2,147,250	\$1,990,169	\$2,954,101	\$2,224,142	\$4,321,542
Average Discount Rate	56%	56%	60%	62%	64%	63%	70%	47%
Number of Service Providers	27	26	28	24	40	40	38	54
Number of Billed Entities	39	38	39	35	44	52	47	58
– School District BENs	12	12	14	13	16	18	17	18
– School BENs	25	24	22	20	24	30	26	34
– Library BENs	2	2	3	2	3	3	3	5
– Consortium BENs	–	–	–	–	1	1	1	1

Figure 1. Total E-Rate Disbursements, 1998–2025

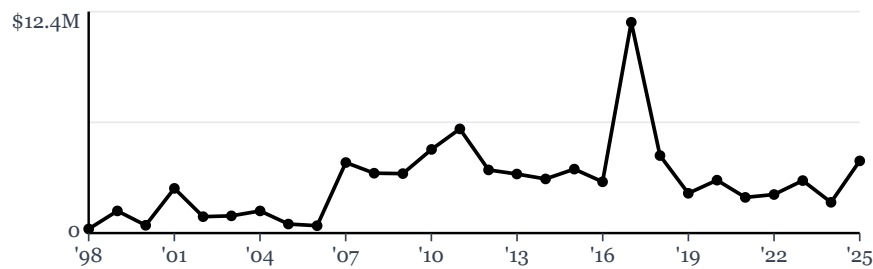


Table 2. E-Rate Subsidies by Service Type

Service Type	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
Voice	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	\$25,383
Telecomm Services	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Internal Connections	\$3,567,830	\$783,439	\$2,048,561	\$1,150,720	\$401,394	\$652,398	\$471,200	\$1,383,729
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	\$392,102	\$796,569	\$753,813	\$870,850	\$1,487,990	\$2,223,193	\$1,673,812	\$2,835,934
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	\$1,953	\$28,690	\$2,727	\$0	\$8,657	\$0	\$88	\$5,195
Managed Internal Broadband Services	\$56,223	\$114,760	\$132,986	\$125,679	\$92,128	\$78,510	\$79,042	\$71,301
Wi-Fi Hotspots Services and Equipment	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wireless School Bus Services and Equipment	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Sources: USAC Open Data — E-Rate Recipient Details and Commitments (avi8-svp9); FCC Form 471 FRN Status (qdm-p-ygft); USAC legacy commitments 1998–2015. Funding figures are total authorized disbursements; each billed entity is assigned to the 119th-Congress district containing the most of its recipient sites (Census TIGER/Line 2024). 5-yr Total and Average cover FY2021–2025; 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 charts dip at the end — that’s the real state of USAC’s data, not an error. Technology Policy Institute, 2026-06-10.

Table 3. Top 10 Billed Entities by E-Rate Disbursements (ranked by 5-yr total)

Billed Entity	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	5-yr Total	Average
Paradise Valley Unif Dist 69	\$2.7M	\$80K	\$60K	\$59K	\$187K	\$256K	\$311K	\$274K	\$3.1M	\$612K
Scottsdale Unified Sch Dist 48	\$110K	\$129K	\$1.9M	\$337K	\$157K	\$994K	\$319K	\$1.3M	\$2.6M	\$521K
City Of Phoenix - Public Library	\$795K	\$426K	\$92K	\$90K	\$89K	\$137K	\$238K	\$140K	\$1.5M	\$298K
Great Hearts Academies	\$113K	\$257K	\$198K	\$276K	\$220K	\$161K	\$128K	\$139K	\$1.1M	\$213K
Madison School District # 38	–	\$34K	\$32K	\$688K	\$39K	\$100K	\$89K	\$80K	\$793K	\$159K
Apache Co School Consortium	–	–	–	–	\$454K	\$475K	\$267K	\$1.3M	\$454K	\$91K
Basis Schools, Inc.	\$60K	\$111K	\$107K	\$65K	\$59K	\$50K	\$5K	–	\$402K	\$80K
Toltec School District #22	–	\$15K	\$73K	\$112K	\$27K	\$27K	\$58K	\$28K	\$228K	\$46K
Empower College Prep	\$31K	\$145K	\$17K	\$17K	\$16K	\$15K	\$54K	\$18K	\$226K	\$45K
Noah Webster School - Mesa	–	\$27K	\$48K	\$48K	\$80K	\$46K	\$28K	\$29K	\$202K	\$40K

Table 4. Top 10 Service Providers by E-Rate Disbursements (ranked by 5-yr total)

Service Provider	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	5-yr Total	Average
Hye Tech Network & Security Solutions Llc	\$2.7M	–	\$59K	\$85K	–	–	–	–	\$2.8M	\$564K
Cox Arizona Telcom, Llc	\$324K	\$490K	\$455K	\$498K	\$432K	\$1.0M	\$733K	\$871K	\$2.2M	\$440K
Cdw Government Llc	–	–	\$1.7M	\$182K	\$24K	\$378K	\$11K	\$1.0M	\$2.0M	\$390K
Veeya, Llc	\$56K	\$194K	\$130K	\$213K	\$220K	\$161K	\$128K	\$139K	\$814K	\$163K
Advanced Network Management, Inc.	\$795K	\$6K	–	–	–	–	–	–	\$801K	\$160K
Logicalis Inc	\$0	–	\$48K	\$650K	–	\$61K	\$38K	\$17K	\$697K	\$139K
Centurylink Qwest Corporation	–	\$113K	\$106K	\$136K	\$135K	\$202K	\$199K	\$252K	\$490K	\$98K
Ntua Wireless, Llc	–	–	–	–	\$454K	\$475K	\$267K	–	\$454K	\$91K
Insight Public Sector Inc	–	\$328K	–	–	–	–	–	–	\$328K	\$66K
Netdiverse Llc	–	\$188K	–	\$90K	\$17K	–	–	–	\$294K	\$59K

Table 5. Average Contracted Speeds by Service Type (Mbps)

Service Type	Download					Upload				
	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	8,482	6,784	5,820	3,042	3,076	8,595	6,759	5,815	3,019	3,060

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