

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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Table 1. E-Rate Funding Overview

Indicator	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
Total E-Rate Subsidies	\$2,650,620	\$1,590,974	\$2,128,691	\$2,480,120	\$2,321,781	\$2,829,558	\$3,960,647	\$2,703,832
Average Discount Rate	55%	55%	57%	55%	59%	58%	72%	56%
Number of Service Providers	18	12	19	19	22	29	27	35
Number of Billed Entities	45	44	46	47	46	46	41	41
– School District BENs	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13
– School BENs	32	31	33	33	33	32	27	27
– Library BENs	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–
– Consortium BENs	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	1

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

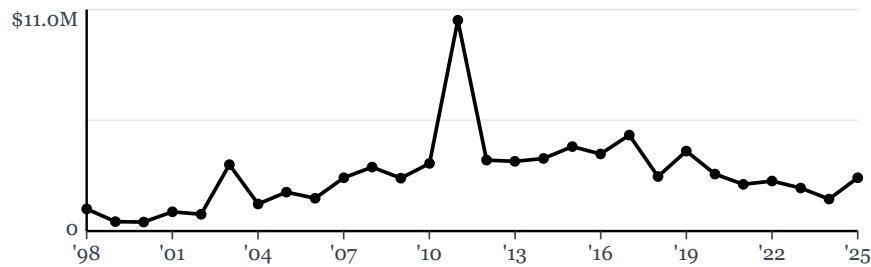


Table 2. E-Rate Subsidies by Service Type

Service Type	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
Voice	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	\$13,212
Telecomm Services	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Internal Connections	\$1,758,622	\$156,726	\$556,184	\$835,636	\$550,450	\$947,635	\$1,987,759	\$430,439
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	\$891,997	\$1,415,936	\$1,521,243	\$1,615,089	\$1,743,239	\$1,858,111	\$1,964,824	\$2,243,655
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	–	–	–	–	–	\$7,500	\$0	\$11,126
Managed Internal Broadband Services	–	\$18,312	\$51,264	\$29,395	\$28,092	\$16,312	\$8,064	\$5,400
Wi-Fi Hotspots 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
Alhambra Unified School District	\$884K	\$248K	\$264K	\$292K	\$351K	\$730K	\$1.4M	\$356K	\$2.0M	\$408K
Pasadena Unified School District	\$129K	\$414K	\$417K	\$478K	\$482K	\$349K	\$869K	\$497K	\$1.9M	\$384K
Garvey Elem School District	\$108K	\$134K	\$645K	\$132K	\$225K	\$195K	\$204K	\$177K	\$1.2M	\$249K
Alta Loma School District	\$638K	\$82K	\$81K	\$85K	\$87K	\$89K	\$124K	\$124K	\$972K	\$194K
San Gabriel Unif School Dist	\$129K	\$240K	\$116K	\$214K	\$209K	\$181K	\$131K	\$276K	\$908K	\$182K
Temple City Unif School Dist	\$32K	\$40K	\$40K	\$594K	\$87K	\$82K	\$131K	\$161K	\$793K	\$159K
Rosemead Elem School District	\$328K	\$69K	\$68K	\$75K	\$48K	\$106K	\$261K	\$221K	\$588K	\$118K
Arcadia Unified School Dist	\$134K	\$48K	\$79K	\$138K	\$111K	\$270K	\$137K	\$121K	\$510K	\$102K
Claremont Unified School District	\$77K	\$61K	\$74K	\$74K	\$78K	\$78K	\$57K	\$105K	\$365K	\$73K
San Marino Unif School Dist	\$38K	\$37K	\$30K	\$30K	\$229K	\$50K	\$70K	\$93K	\$364K	\$73K

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
Charter Communications Operating, Llc	\$522K	\$642K	\$699K	\$747K	\$791K	\$1.0M	\$936K	\$865K	\$3.4M	\$680K
Crown Castle Fiber Llc	\$220K	\$506K	\$519K	\$555K	\$590K	\$444K	\$501K	\$466K	\$2.4M	\$478K
Network Integration Company Partners Inc	\$577K	\$157K	–	–	\$272K	\$363K	\$1.7M	\$184K	\$1.0M	\$201K
Ams.Net, Inc.	–	–	\$533K	\$170K	\$108K	–	–	–	\$811K	\$162K
Vector Resources, Inc.	\$707K	–	–	–	–	\$166K	\$200K	\$231K	\$707K	\$141K
Cdw Government Llc	\$63K	–	–	\$638K	–	\$169K	\$1K	\$5K	\$701K	\$140K
La County Office Of Education (Lacoe)	\$93K	\$150K	\$126K	\$148K	\$108K	\$97K	\$89K	\$90K	\$625K	\$125K
Pacific Bell Telephone Company	\$36K	\$82K	\$78K	\$64K	\$41K	\$52K	\$59K	\$314K	\$302K	\$60K
J. Sweigart Inc	\$267K	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	\$267K	\$53K
U.S. Telepacific Corp	\$4K	\$6K	\$69K	\$57K	\$74K	\$101K	\$84K	\$51K	\$211K	\$42K

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	12,663	7,358	7,303	6,357	6,106	12,658	7,345	7,297	6,346	6,095

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