

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	\$4,877,996	\$3,530,407	\$4,585,772	\$3,587,220	\$3,495,151	\$3,722,733	\$4,643,746	\$4,014,987
Average Discount Rate	73%	72%	73%	69%	73%	76%	74%	71%
Number of Service Providers	13	8	13	8	14	17	21	31
Number of Billed Entities	29	27	26	27	29	29	30	29
– School District BENs	13	13	12	12	12	12	14	14
– School BENs	14	14	14	15	15	15	14	13
– Library BENs	2	–	–	–	2	2	2	2

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

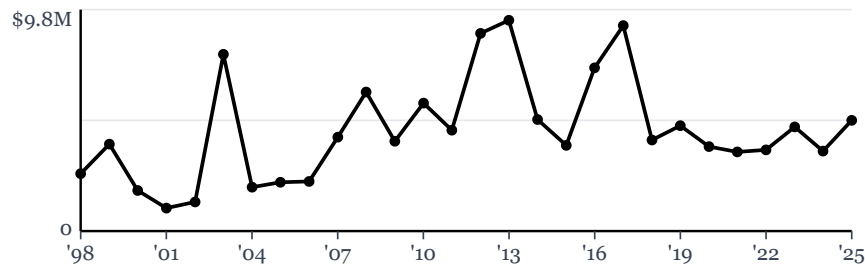


Table 2. E-Rate Subsidies by Service Type

Service Type	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
Voice	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	\$96,546
Telecomm Services	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Internal Connections	\$2,754,160	\$592,034	\$2,441,679	\$1,253,381	\$932,904	\$1,213,841	\$1,491,238	\$447,956
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	\$2,123,836	\$2,933,174	\$2,124,064	\$2,332,036	\$2,492,536	\$2,461,044	\$3,116,221	\$3,412,377
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	\$0	\$1,676	\$16,506	\$956	\$0	\$43,797	\$36,287	\$58,108
Managed Internal Broadband Services	–	\$3,523	\$3,523	\$846	\$69,711	\$4,051	–	–
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
Montebello Unified School District	\$799K	\$1.0M	\$1.0M	\$383K	\$468K	\$466K	\$459K	\$559K	\$3.7M	\$744K
Norwalk-La Mirada Un Sch Dist	\$347K	\$419K	\$938K	\$463K	\$500K	\$1.2M	\$670K	\$425K	\$2.7M	\$534K
East Whittier City Elem S D	\$625K	\$196K	\$692K	\$204K	\$202K	\$199K	\$190K	\$213K	\$1.9M	\$384K
Whittier City School District	\$590K	\$167K	\$384K	\$254K	\$440K	\$439K	\$293K	\$361K	\$1.8M	\$367K
Whittier Union High Sch Dist	\$51K	\$79K	\$54K	\$1.0M	\$465K	\$194K	\$77K	\$72K	\$1.7M	\$337K
County Of Los Angeles Isd Telecom Management Division	\$1.6M	-	-	-	-	\$18K	\$272K	\$545K	\$1.6M	\$320K
La Habra City Elem School Dist	\$350K	\$652K	\$165K	\$167K	\$169K	\$168K	\$155K	\$160K	\$1.5M	\$301K
El Rancho Usd	-	\$286K	\$402K	\$267K	\$267K	\$466K	\$986K	\$847K	\$1.2M	\$244K
Walnut Valley Unif School Dist	\$61K	\$82K	\$362K	\$86K	\$307K	\$85K	\$697K	\$221K	\$899K	\$180K
Little Lake City Elem Sch Dist	\$153K	\$246K	\$124K	\$127K	\$129K	\$167K	\$300K	\$135K	\$779K	\$156K

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
Crown Castle Fiber Llc	\$1.4M	\$2.0M	\$1.4M	\$1.6M	\$1.7M	\$1.7M	\$1.5M	\$1.4M	\$8.2M	\$1.6M
Ams.Net, Inc.	\$1.7M	-	\$537K	\$1.2M	\$292K	\$72K	\$312K	\$26K	\$3.7M	\$740K
Charter Communications Operating, Llc	\$542K	\$554K	\$456K	\$450K	\$407K	\$337K	\$152K	\$61K	\$2.4M	\$482K
Cdw Government Llc	-	\$85K	\$971K	-	-	-	-	-	\$1.1M	\$211K
La County Office Of Education (Lacoe)	\$178K	\$204K	\$200K	\$164K	\$218K	\$213K	\$211K	\$231K	\$964K	\$193K
Resilient Communications Inc	\$133K	\$496K	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$629K	\$126K
Sehi Computer Products, Inc.	\$424K	-	\$97K	-	\$93K	\$272K	\$458K	\$360K	\$613K	\$123K
Valcom Salt Lake City, Lc	-	-	\$495K	-	-	-	-	-	\$495K	\$99K
X-Act Technology Solutions, Inc	\$479K	-	-	-	-	\$13K	\$124K	-	\$479K	\$96K
Technet Partners, Inc.	-	-	-	-	\$387K	-	-	-	\$387K	\$77K

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	10,088	9,933	9,972	7,750	7,950	10,088	9,933	9,972	7,747	7,938

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