

# **E-RATE FUNDING IN U.S. CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS**

*District-by-District Scorecards, 1998–2025*

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# About This Report

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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](https://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	\$130,880	\$443,089	\$411,261	\$389,208	\$313,498	\$302,268	\$273,967	\$205,330
Average Discount Rate	65%	65%	65%	67%	64%	60%	58%	53%
Number of Service Providers	19	22	24	22	27	19	23	19
Number of Billed Entities	26	26	27	26	27	23	21	17
– School District BENs	5	5	5	5	5	4	4	4
– School BENs	21	21	22	21	22	19	17	13

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

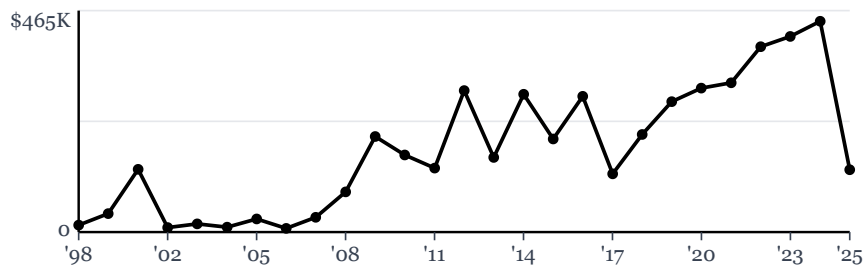


Table 2. E-Rate Subsidies by Service Type

Service Type	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
Voice	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	\$1,061
Telecomm Services	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Internal Connections	\$14,855	\$90,260	\$113,111	\$104,130	\$73,156	\$52,654	\$77,823	\$61,559
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	\$85,129	\$316,434	\$265,292	\$246,147	\$209,515	\$239,100	\$190,335	\$135,478
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	–	–	\$4,988	\$998	\$1,692	\$2,513	\$307	\$747
Managed Internal Broadband Services	\$30,897	\$36,395	\$27,870	\$37,933	\$29,135	\$8,000	\$5,501	\$6,484

Sources: USAC Open Data — E-Rate Recipient Details and Commitments (avi8-svp9); FCC Form 471 FRN Status (qdmf-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
South Florida Jewish Academy	–	\$97K	\$49K	\$46K	–	–	–	–	\$193K	\$39K
The Charter Schools Of Excellence	–	\$42K	\$41K	\$39K	\$35K	\$34K	\$52K	\$43K	\$157K	\$31K
Pope John Paul Ll High School	\$21K	\$14K	\$20K	\$25K	\$29K	\$18K	\$13K	\$10K	\$109K	\$22K
Cardinal Gibbons High School	\$8K	\$52K	\$14K	\$15K	\$14K	\$20K	\$19K	–	\$103K	\$21K
St Andrew School	–	\$12K	\$12K	\$53K	\$8K	\$5K	\$5K	–	\$84K	\$17K
Somerset Pompano	–	\$23K	\$20K	\$23K	\$13K	\$24K	\$3K	\$4K	\$80K	\$16K
Sunshine Charter Academy Of Broward, Inc. Db Suned High School	–	\$19K	\$20K	\$20K	\$20K	–	–	–	\$79K	\$16K
St Ambrose Elementary School	\$13K	\$9K	\$14K	\$28K	\$9K	\$7K	\$17K	–	\$74K	\$15K
St Coleman School	\$5K	\$14K	\$33K	\$10K	\$10K	\$13K	\$18K	–	\$72K	\$14K
Katz Hillel Day School	\$4K	\$32K	\$8K	\$4K	\$23K	\$14K	\$6K	\$11K	\$71K	\$14K

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
Comcast Business Communications	\$34K	\$127K	\$131K	\$128K	\$112K	\$118K	\$85K	\$53K	\$532K	\$106K
Crown Castle Fiber Llc	\$4K	\$30K	\$30K	\$30K	\$36K	\$69K	\$57K	\$42K	\$131K	\$26K
N & J Technologies, Inc.	\$5K	\$8K	\$28K	\$61K	–	–	–	–	\$102K	\$20K
Top Quality Communication Inc	–	\$97K	–	–	–	–	–	–	\$97K	\$19K
71 Communications Inc	–	–	\$49K	\$46K	–	–	–	–	\$95K	\$19K
Em3 Networks Llc	\$12K	\$12K	\$18K	\$18K	\$18K	\$12K	\$9K	\$9K	\$77K	\$15K
Electronaca Inc	–	–	\$2K	\$12K	\$48K	\$8K	\$15K	–	\$63K	\$13K
Indian River Networks, Llc	–	\$15K	\$15K	\$15K	\$15K	–	–	–	\$61K	\$12K
M.I.S. Support, Inc.	\$19K	\$26K	–	–	\$14K	\$8K	\$2K	\$6K	\$59K	\$12K
Dynamic Network Solutions, Inc.	–	\$17K	\$16K	\$13K	\$4K	\$3K	\$9K	–	\$51K	\$10K

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	1,458	1,310	1,082	958	715	1,445	1,228	1,042	764	504

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