

# **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	\$1,762,843	\$3,075,550	\$2,241,433	\$4,298,792	\$2,613,164	\$2,907,630	\$3,639,503	\$3,209,260
Average Discount Rate	70%	67%	66%	64%	63%	67%	65%	65%
Number of Service Providers	32	32	33	28	32	28	29	31
Number of Billed Entities	32	32	33	33	34	35	34	34
— School District BENs	17	17	17	17	18	19	17	18
— School BENs	3	3	4	4	5	4	5	4
— Library BENs	12	12	12	12	11	12	12	12

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

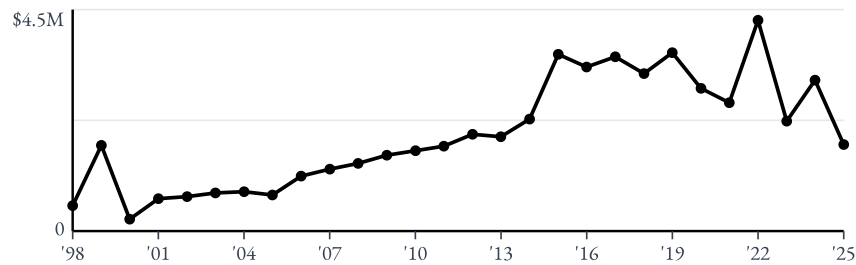


Table 2. E-Rate Subsidies by Service Type

Service Type	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
Voice	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Telecomm Services	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Internal Connections	\$1,211,658	\$1,137,872	\$791,057	\$3,310,996	\$1,037,826	\$610,497	\$1,255,996	\$746,518
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	\$550,707	\$1,768,507	\$1,162,508	\$987,795	\$1,428,960	\$2,201,811	\$2,283,419	\$2,366,311
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	\$479	–	\$23,179	\$0	\$52,436	\$1,381	\$6,146	\$0
Managed Internal Broadband Services	–	\$169,171	\$264,689	–	\$93,942	\$93,942	\$93,942	\$96,430
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
Shawnee Mission Sch Dist 512	–	\$445K	\$436K	\$2.1M	\$699K	\$746K	\$424K	\$883K	<b>\$3.7M</b>	\$741K
Olathe Unif School Dist 233	\$632K	\$768K	\$438K	\$1.1M	\$746K	\$1.2M	\$2.1M	\$1.1M	<b>\$3.7M</b>	\$740K
Turner Unified School Dist 202	\$245K	\$130K	\$218K	\$242K	\$125K	\$160K	\$281K	\$77K	<b>\$960K</b>	\$192K
Ottawa Unified School Dist 290	\$60K	\$299K	\$29K	\$174K	\$105K	\$23K	\$23K	\$23K	<b>\$668K</b>	\$134K
Bonner Spgs Unif Sch Dist 204	\$48K	\$146K	\$203K	\$48K	\$209K	\$58K	\$59K	\$57K	<b>\$654K</b>	\$131K
De Soto Unified Sch Dist 232	\$5K	\$191K	\$230K	\$22K	\$141K	\$141K	\$141K	\$144K	<b>\$589K</b>	\$118K
Gardner/Edgerton Usd 231	\$451K	\$67K	\$30K	\$12K	\$12K	\$4K	\$11K	\$11K	<b>\$572K</b>	\$114K
Garnett Unif Sch District 365	\$24K	\$206K	\$66K	\$163K	\$35K	\$59K	\$85K	\$290K	<b>\$493K</b>	\$99K
Spring Hill Unif Sch Dist 230	–	\$373K	\$32K	\$20K	\$22K	\$9K	\$22K	\$196K	<b>\$448K</b>	\$90K
Blue Valley Unif Sch Dist 229	–	\$152K	\$72K	\$20K	\$88K	\$171K	\$141K	\$139K	<b>\$332K</b>	\$66K

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
Sirius Computer Solutions, Inc.	–	–	–	\$1.8M	\$329K	\$313K	–	\$436K	<b>\$2.1M</b>	\$417K
Unite Private Networks, Llc	–	\$460K	\$453K	\$382K	\$381K	\$445K	\$440K	\$447K	<b>\$1.7M</b>	\$335K
Wanrack Llc	\$221K	\$610K	\$192K	\$91K	\$500K	–	–	–	<b>\$1.6M</b>	\$323K
Convergeone, Inc.	–	–	\$23K	\$1.1M	\$254K	\$9K	\$975K	\$174K	<b>\$1.3M</b>	\$267K
Cdw Government Llc	\$485K	\$136K	\$151K	\$258K	\$137K	\$220K	\$232K	\$82K	<b>\$1.2M</b>	\$234K
Logicalis Inc	\$471K	\$378K	\$104K	–	–	–	–	–	<b>\$952K</b>	\$190K
Charter Communications Operating, Llc	\$133K	\$194K	\$211K	\$172K	\$178K	\$160K	\$175K	\$160K	<b>\$888K</b>	\$178K
Core Communications Llc	–	\$512K	\$139K	–	\$15K	–	–	–	<b>\$667K</b>	\$133K
K12 Itc Inc	\$5K	\$191K	\$230K	\$22K	\$141K	\$141K	\$141K	\$144K	<b>\$589K</b>	\$118K
Kansas Fiber Network,Llc	\$68K	\$251K	\$83K	\$53K	\$36K	\$6K	\$44K	\$204K	<b>\$492K</b>	\$98K

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	10,015	8,191	9,909	9,635	8,623	10,015	8,191	9,910	9,634	8,622

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