

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	\$573,599	\$4,685,092	\$2,519,064	\$1,667,936	\$1,758,444	\$1,941,476	\$1,471,793	\$2,909,307
Average Discount Rate	60%	58%	58%	60%	57%	54%	57%	53%
Number of Service Providers	28	29	23	25	25	31	35	41
Number of Billed Entities	41	41	40	37	39	42	42	39
— School District BENs	20	21	21	21	21	20	21	19
— School BENs	21	20	19	16	18	22	21	20

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

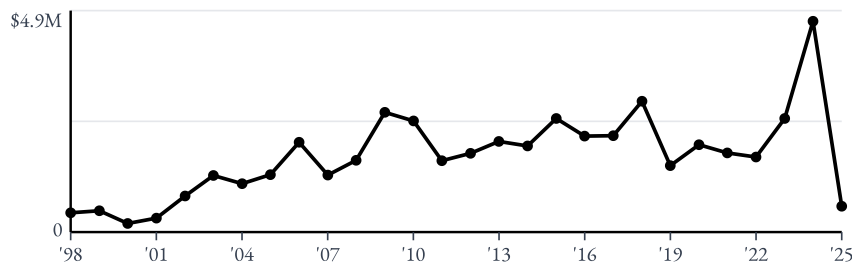


Table 2. E-Rate Subsidies by Service Type

Service Type	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
Voice	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	\$24,913
Telecomm Services	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Internal Connections	\$108,856	\$3,113,083	\$1,144,289	\$385,754	\$452,397	\$899,216	\$493,057	\$1,468,437
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	\$431,891	\$1,031,411	\$986,855	\$992,479	\$1,042,756	\$878,471	\$874,570	\$1,269,100
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	\$11,141	\$46,042	\$47,488	\$3,622	–	\$33,785	\$2,061	\$16,841
Managed Internal Broadband Services	\$21,711	\$494,556	\$340,433	\$286,082	\$263,291	\$130,005	\$102,106	\$130,016
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
Brockton Public School Dist	\$51K	\$2.2M	\$104K	\$104K	\$106K	\$613K	\$120K	\$1.1M	\$2.6M	\$518K
Quincy Public School District	—	\$694K	\$443K	\$443K	\$477K	\$376K	\$412K	\$362K	\$2.1M	\$411K
Braintree Public Schools	—	\$67K	\$369K	\$124K	\$13K	\$25K	\$17K	\$19K	\$573K	\$115K
Weymouth School District	\$29K	\$110K	\$121K	\$65K	\$114K	\$51K	\$38K	\$236K	\$439K	\$88K
Dedham School District	\$17K	\$86K	\$201K	\$56K	\$45K	\$35K	\$33K	\$216K	\$405K	\$81K
New Heights Charter School District	\$28K	\$37K	\$113K	\$113K	\$102K	\$117K	\$95K	—	\$392K	\$78K
Milton Public School District	\$19K	\$269K	\$24K	\$20K	\$20K	\$31K	\$18K	\$36K	\$352K	\$70K
Saint John Paul II Catholic Academy	\$37K	\$70K	\$53K	\$53K	\$131K	\$61K	\$24K	\$36K	\$344K	\$69K
Norwood Public School District	—	\$56K	\$100K	\$75K	\$87K	\$48K	\$58K	—	\$318K	\$64K
Canton School District	\$43K	\$145K	\$44K	\$25K	\$31K	\$22K	\$72K	\$54K	\$289K	\$58K

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
Eplus Technology, Inc.	—	\$2.1M	—	—	\$33K	\$477K	\$29K	—	\$2.2M	\$431K
Blue Mantis, Inc.	—	\$670K	\$422K	\$422K	\$422K	\$249K	\$261K	\$289K	\$1.9M	\$387K
Wholly Computer Associates, Inc.	\$165K	\$572K	\$251K	\$183K	\$173K	\$54K	\$40K	\$228K	\$1.3M	\$269K
Comcast Business Communications	\$111K	\$323K	\$249K	\$280K	\$242K	\$370K	\$312K	\$112K	\$1.2M	\$241K
Celt- Center For Educational Leadership & Technology	\$76K	\$206K	\$287K	\$301K	\$289K	\$130K	\$129K	\$115K	\$1.2M	\$232K
Hub Technical Services Llc	\$1K	\$80K	\$566K	\$189K	\$79K	\$92K	\$84K	\$15K	\$915K	\$183K
Cherryroad Technologies Inc.	\$101K	\$67K	\$79K	\$79K	\$120K	\$120K	\$126K	—	\$446K	\$89K
Custom Computer Specialist, Inc.	—	\$210K	\$82K	\$19K	\$13K	—	\$21K	—	\$323K	\$65K
Integrated Computer Solutions Of Vestal, Llc	\$492	\$119K	\$98K	—	—	—	—	—	\$218K	\$44K
The Ockers Company	\$31K	\$28K	—	\$72K	\$82K	\$35K	\$17K	\$206K	\$212K	\$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	3,323	2,951	2,881	3,121	2,537	3,315	2,944	2,873	3,112	2,499

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