

# **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	\$2,074,879	\$1,812,096	\$1,723,018	\$2,053,415	\$1,308,064	\$1,549,750	\$1,160,996	\$1,684,002
Average Discount Rate	77%	73%	73%	70%	69%	70%	71%	61%
Number of Service Providers	45	35	35	41	42	42	44	77
Number of Billed Entities	45	42	47	46	44	45	50	73
— School District BENs	8	7	7	7	7	6	8	9
— School BENs	35	33	38	37	35	37	40	62
— Library BENs	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2

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

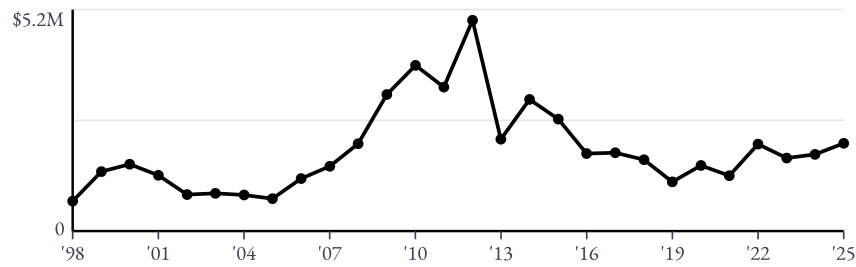


Table 2. E-Rate Subsidies by Service Type

Service Type	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
Voice	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	\$19,779
Telecomm Services	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Internal Connections	\$895,889	\$208,120	\$237,252	\$752,146	\$196,136	\$460,575	\$196,020	\$291,327
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	\$1,168,280	\$1,489,582	\$1,383,214	\$1,219,563	\$1,012,625	\$1,032,316	\$935,640	\$1,312,219
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	–	\$3,098	\$7,839	\$14,348	\$11,219	\$12,750	\$2,400	\$29,466
Managed Internal Broadband Services	\$10,709	\$111,295	\$94,713	\$67,358	\$88,084	\$44,109	\$26,935	\$31,212
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
United Talmudical Academy Of Borough Park	\$905K	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$97K	<b>\$905K</b>	\$181K
Public Preparatory Network Inc	\$83K	\$160K	\$302K	\$197K	\$128K	\$237K	\$107K	\$206K	<b>\$870K</b>	\$174K
Mosdos Satmar	\$309K	\$178K	\$167K	\$166K	—	—	—	—	<b>\$821K</b>	\$164K
John V. Lindsay Wildcat Charter School	\$113K	\$108K	\$108K	\$181K	\$90K	\$113K	\$92K	\$129K	<b>\$599K</b>	\$120K
Al-Noor School	\$77K	\$103K	\$103K	\$82K	\$82K	\$82K	\$80K	\$80K	<b>\$448K</b>	\$90K
Tomer Dvora School	—	\$222K	\$215K	—	—	—	—	—	<b>\$437K</b>	\$87K
Center For Jewish History	\$76K	\$102K	\$32K	\$165K	\$36K	\$66K	\$33K	\$41K	<b>\$411K</b>	\$82K
Brooklyn Prospect Charter School District Office	\$36K	\$33K	\$106K	\$147K	\$71K	\$116K	\$15K	\$36K	<b>\$393K</b>	\$79K
Beth Jacob Of Boro Park	\$32K	\$32K	—	\$190K	\$108K	—	—	—	<b>\$362K</b>	\$72K
Puerto Rican Family Institute Inc. Brooklyn Head Start Program	—	\$73K	\$73K	\$82K	\$78K	\$112K	\$68K	\$71K	<b>\$306K</b>	\$61K

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
Internal Power Inc.	\$1.2M	\$178K	\$167K	\$166K	—	—	—	—	<b>\$1.7M</b>	\$345K
Charter Technology Solutions	\$117K	\$302K	\$434K	\$325K	\$177K	\$225K	\$214K	\$161K	<b>\$1.4M</b>	\$271K
Lighttower Fiber Networks Ii, Llc	\$81K	\$109K	\$154K	\$240K	\$104K	\$55K	—	\$32K	<b>\$687K</b>	\$137K
Iwise Consulting, Inc	\$77K	\$103K	\$106K	\$133K	\$101K	\$97K	\$81K	\$93K	<b>\$521K</b>	\$104K
Top Quality Communication Inc	\$24K	\$319K	—	—	\$108K	—	—	—	<b>\$450K</b>	\$90K
Ccg Solution	\$108K	\$108K	\$108K	\$124K	—	—	—	—	<b>\$447K</b>	\$89K
Charter Communications Operating, Llc	\$58K	\$80K	\$96K	\$73K	\$80K	\$75K	\$73K	\$57K	<b>\$388K</b>	\$78K
Verizon Business Global Llc	\$25K	\$47K	\$61K	\$87K	\$109K	\$105K	\$88K	\$118K	<b>\$329K</b>	\$66K
Cablevision Lightpath Llc	\$47K	\$81K	\$81K	\$54K	\$15K	\$15K	\$38K	\$24K	<b>\$277K</b>	\$55K
Quarterhorse Technology Inc	\$40K	\$60K	—	\$142K	—	\$36K	—	—	<b>\$242K</b>	\$48K

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	1,590	1,481	1,530	974	719	1,482	1,392	1,395	920	597

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