

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	\$2,979,837	\$5,212,529	\$4,012,889	\$5,094,702	\$4,299,361	\$3,803,140	\$2,654,361	\$2,673,994
Average Discount Rate	66%	64%	63%	62%	62%	60%	62%	58%
Number of Service Providers	35	35	41	43	41	42	43	61
Number of Billed Entities	55	54	60	58	58	58	55	75
— School District BENs	42	42	41	41	40	41	41	43
— School BENs	9	9	12	13	14	13	12	30
— Library BENs	3	2	6	3	3	3	1	2
— Consortium BENs	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

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

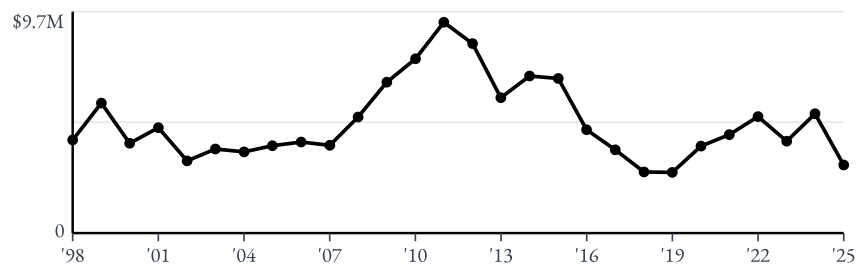


Table 2. E-Rate Subsidies by Service Type

Service Type	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
Voice	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$21,860
Telecomm Services	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Internal Connections	\$2,835,123	\$2,539,420	\$1,508,664	\$2,545,105	\$1,976,131	\$1,522,346	\$835,735	\$448,154
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	\$140,165	\$2,643,088	\$2,452,094	\$2,538,142	\$2,321,485	\$2,274,175	\$1,818,294	\$2,158,094
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	\$0	\$12,384	\$50,851	\$10,175	\$1,744	\$6,619	\$332	\$20,679
Managed Internal Broadband Services	\$4,549	\$17,637	\$1,281	\$1,281	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$25,206
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
Southern Westchester Boces	\$1.4M	\$2.4M	\$1.8M	\$1.8M	\$1.2M	\$1.3M	\$990K	\$932K	\$8.6M	\$1.7M
East Ramapo Ctrl School Dist	\$864K	\$148K	\$118K	\$147K	\$129K	\$545K	\$176K	\$47K	\$1.4M	\$281K
Haverstraw Stony Pt Cent Dist	—	\$63K	\$63K	\$61K	\$1.1M	\$218K	\$37K	\$35K	\$1.3M	\$255K
Bedford Central School Dist	\$174K	\$255K	\$124K	\$74K	\$93K	\$87K	\$79K	\$66K	\$720K	\$144K
Peekskill City School District	—	\$42K	\$42K	\$529K	\$41K	\$32K	\$31K	\$27K	\$653K	\$131K
Hendrick Hudson School District	—	—	\$109K	\$101K	\$298K	\$95K	\$91K	\$67K	\$508K	\$102K
Talmud Torah Dchasidei Bobov Of Monsey	—	\$129K	\$145K	\$99K	\$120K	\$33K	—	\$91K	\$492K	\$98K
Tarrytown Union Free School District	—	\$37K	\$27K	\$355K	\$48K	\$42K	\$42K	\$40K	\$468K	\$94K
Nyack Union Free Sch District	—	\$194K	\$122K	\$38K	\$65K	\$109K	\$43K	\$61K	\$419K	\$84K
Clarkstown Central School Dist	—	\$85K	\$90K	\$153K	\$67K	\$54K	\$62K	\$62K	\$394K	\$79K

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
Comsource, Inc.	\$1.6M	\$174K	\$338K	\$848K	—	—	—	—	\$3.0M	\$594K
Lower Hudson Regional Information Center	—	\$848K	\$703K	\$686K	\$594K	\$521K	\$420K	\$350K	\$2.8M	\$566K
Tvc Albany, Inc	\$4K	\$563K	\$543K	\$652K	\$69K	\$5K	—	—	\$1.8M	\$366K
Cablevision Lightpath Llc	\$96K	\$424K	\$423K	\$381K	\$295K	\$413K	\$378K	\$499K	\$1.6M	\$324K
Lighttower Fiber Networks Ii, Llc	\$13K	\$396K	\$368K	\$410K	\$360K	\$319K	\$286K	\$150K	\$1.5M	\$309K
Edu Tek Limited	\$212K	\$290K	\$77K	\$659K	\$252K	\$219K	\$24K	—	\$1.5M	\$298K
Core Bts, Inc.	\$206K	\$215K	\$275K	\$430K	\$47K	\$39K	\$188K	—	\$1.2M	\$235K
Aspire Technology Partners, Llc	—	—	—	\$86K	\$1.0M	\$183K	\$36K	\$224K	\$1.1M	\$227K
Red River Technology Llc	—	\$95K	\$691K	\$92K	\$170K	—	—	—	\$1.0M	\$210K
Howard Technology Solutions	—	\$808K	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$808K	\$162K

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	5,978	6,114	5,107	5,434	5,241	5,957	6,106	5,102	5,430	5,218

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