

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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Table 1. E-Rate Funding Overview

Indicator	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
Total E-Rate Subsidies	\$6,416,859	\$8,898,353	\$6,515,387	\$10,818,262	\$6,297,319	\$6,660,078	\$8,261,344	\$6,731,854
Average Discount Rate	78%	77%	74%	74%	76%	77%	79%	69%
Number of Service Providers	41	41	36	39	31	31	33	41
Number of Billed Entities	65	65	67	68	67	66	64	66
— School District BENs	55	55	56	55	53	53	53	52
— School BENs	4	4	5	6	7	6	4	5
— Library BENs	5	5	5	5	6	6	6	8
— Consortium BENs	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1

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

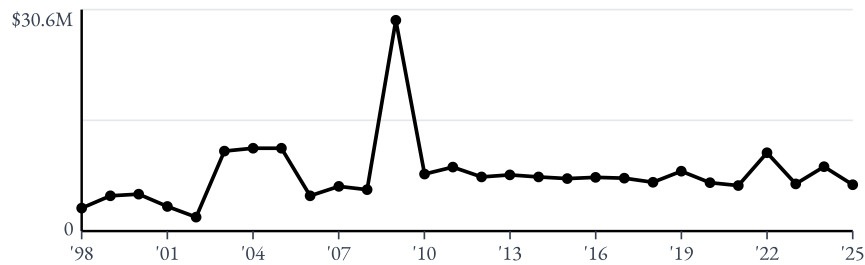


Table 2. E-Rate Subsidies by Service Type

Service Type	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
Voice	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$66,592
Telecomm Services	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Internal Connections	\$3,345,053	\$4,274,104	\$2,007,611	\$5,460,390	\$1,340,183	\$2,156,304	\$4,118,734	\$2,431,832
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	\$2,972,961	\$4,539,236	\$4,406,433	\$5,243,771	\$4,856,416	\$4,481,935	\$4,108,619	\$4,212,560
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	\$39,490	\$35,453	\$32,392	\$43,916	\$65,416	\$11,154	\$24,110	\$20,871
Managed Internal Broadband Services	\$59,355	\$49,560	\$68,952	\$70,185	\$35,303	\$10,685	\$9,881	—
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
Oklahoma City School Dist I-89	\$981K	\$2.3M	\$780K	\$3.4M	\$1.3M	\$2.1M	\$2.9M	\$2.1M	\$8.8M	\$1.8M
Putnam City Independent School District 1	\$1.8M	\$1.5M	\$427K	\$471K	\$462K	\$813K	\$1.9M	\$1.2M	\$4.6M	\$919K
Edmond Indep School Dist 12	\$395K	\$506K	\$912K	\$945K	\$252K	\$229K	\$210K	\$183K	\$3.0M	\$602K
Yukon Indep School District 27	\$179K	\$339K	\$154K	\$1.1M	\$157K	\$153K	\$133K	\$128K	\$1.9M	\$389K
Oklahoma City-Metropolitan Library System	\$257K	\$416K	\$320K	\$335K	\$356K	\$333K	\$509K	\$361K	\$1.7M	\$337K
Epic Charter Schools	\$180K	\$750K	\$720K	—	—	—	—	—	\$1.6M	\$330K
Deer Creek Independent School Dist	\$309K	\$147K	\$485K	\$168K	\$180K	\$163K	\$202K	\$69K	\$1.3M	\$258K
Shawnee Indep School Dist I-93	\$107K	\$157K	\$285K	\$356K	\$323K	\$203K	\$194K	\$275K	\$1.2M	\$246K
Guthrie Indep School Dist 1	\$97K	\$118K	\$106K	\$645K	\$188K	\$302K	\$139K	\$139K	\$1.2M	\$231K
Dove Science Academy District	\$321K	\$146K	\$141K	\$145K	\$147K	\$144K	\$91K	\$128K	\$900K	\$180K

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
Cox Oklahoma Telcom, Llc	\$1.6M	\$2.3M	\$2.0M	\$2.8M	\$2.5M	\$1.9M	\$1.9M	\$1.8M	\$11.2M	\$2.2M
Onenet (Oklahoma State Regents)	\$859K	\$1.1M	\$1.2M	\$1.3M	\$1.3M	\$1.3M	\$1.2M	\$1.2M	\$5.6M	\$1.1M
United Data Technologies, Inc.	\$514K	\$1.6M	\$20K	\$2.2M	\$8K	\$1.6M	\$3.6M	\$111K	\$4.3M	\$869K
United Systems, Llc	\$134K	\$233K	\$383K	\$2.0M	\$912K	\$208K	\$202K	\$136K	\$3.7M	\$734K
Aero It Solutions	\$1.5M	\$1.1M	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$2.6M	\$528K
Next Step Group, Inc	\$396K	\$319K	\$667K	\$471K	\$70K	—	—	—	\$1.9M	\$385K
Unite Private Networks, Llc	\$104K	\$235K	\$344K	\$363K	\$364K	\$374K	\$367K	\$376K	\$1.4M	\$282K
Telecomp Computer Services, Inc	\$117K	\$399K	\$476K	\$226K	\$29K	—	—	—	\$1.2M	\$249K
At&T Enterprises, Llc	\$109K	\$392K	\$307K	\$162K	\$161K	\$108K	\$51K	\$35K	\$1.1M	\$226K
Skyrider Communications, Inc.	\$277K	\$77K	\$64K	\$107K	\$235K	\$134K	\$73K	\$82K	\$760K	\$152K

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	11,167	7,628	5,605	4,961	5,055	11,090	7,601	5,604	4,970	5,054

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