

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	\$2,476,453	\$2,640,403	\$2,164,824	\$4,468,362	\$3,581,362	\$2,420,124	\$3,145,952	\$2,739,278
Average Discount Rate	78%	71%	75%	78%	74%	75%	77%	70%
Number of Service Providers	45	41	39	37	41	40	40	48
Number of Billed Entities	49	49	50	48	49	49	48	47
— School District BENs	35	35	35	35	35	35	35	35
— School BENs	6	6	6	6	6	6	5	5
— Library BENs	8	8	9	7	8	8	8	7

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

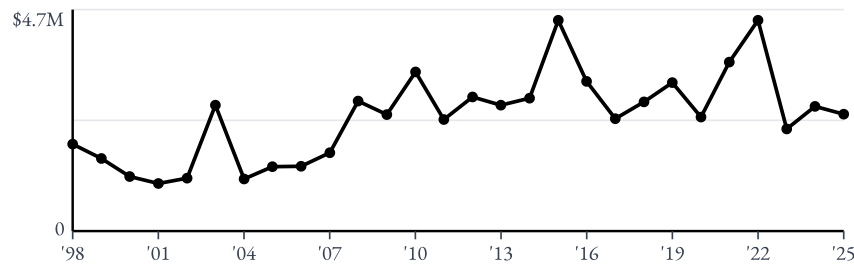


Table 2. E-Rate Subsidies by Service Type

Service Type	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
Voice	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	\$26,132
Telecomm Services	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Internal Connections	\$1,443,472	\$1,198,109	\$760,846	\$2,991,369	\$2,144,390	\$892,199	\$1,393,545	\$1,029,199
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	\$1,028,164	\$1,440,535	\$1,402,793	\$1,469,641	\$1,399,923	\$1,415,471	\$1,747,853	\$1,682,719
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	–	\$1,044	–	\$6,850	\$16,060	\$110,134	\$4,553	\$1,227
Managed Internal Broadband Services	\$4,816	\$714	\$1,185	\$501	\$20,989	\$2,320	–	–
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
Bryan Indep School District	\$107K	\$88K	\$67K	\$1.5M	\$954K	\$201K	\$434K	\$143K	\$2.7M	\$548K
Navasota Indep School District	\$568K	\$147K	\$147K	\$186K	\$217K	\$217K	\$256K	\$605K	\$1.3M	\$253K
Lake Travis Indep Sch District	\$34K	\$787K	\$43K	\$43K	\$50K	\$329K	\$50K	\$55K	\$956K	\$191K
Brenham Indep School District	\$190K	\$47K	\$162K	\$483K	\$61K	\$19K	\$51K	\$168K	\$943K	\$189K
Elgin Indep School District	\$108K	\$51K	\$251K	\$307K	\$192K	—	\$114K	\$223K	\$910K	\$182K
College Station Indep Sch Dist	\$225K	\$39K	\$35K	\$397K	\$29K	\$63K	\$694K	—	\$725K	\$145K
Columbus Indep School District	\$83K	\$68K	\$112K	\$164K	\$199K	\$179K	\$92K	\$90K	\$625K	\$125K
Smithville Indep School Dist	\$196K	\$53K	\$53K	\$54K	\$110K	\$65K	\$65K	\$72K	\$465K	\$93K
La Grange Independent School District	\$105K	\$86K	\$72K	\$85K	\$108K	\$76K	\$118K	\$74K	\$456K	\$91K
Rice Cons Indep School Dist	—	\$185K	\$66K	\$101K	\$94K	\$112K	\$199K	\$92K	\$446K	\$89K

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
Cdw Government Llc	\$291K	\$64K	\$165K	\$2.0M	\$871K	\$256K	\$309K	\$110K	\$3.3M	\$669K
Education Service Center, Region 13	\$215K	\$289K	\$322K	\$263K	\$297K	\$325K	\$326K	\$375K	\$1.4M	\$277K
Education Service Center, Region Vi	\$81K	\$211K	\$219K	\$213K	\$164K	\$144K	\$269K	\$282K	\$888K	\$178K
Netsync Network Solutions	—	\$761K	\$81K	—	—	\$279K	—	\$101K	\$842K	\$168K
Cebridge Telecom Tx, Lp	\$87K	\$146K	\$134K	\$262K	\$210K	\$221K	\$300K	\$229K	\$838K	\$168K
Intech Southwest Service Llc	\$105K	\$40K	\$250K	\$291K	\$69K	\$51K	\$79K	—	\$755K	\$151K
Mgt Impact Solutions, Llc	\$215K	—	\$101K	\$397K	\$29K	\$71K	\$707K	—	\$742K	\$148K
The Personal Computer Store, Inc.	\$466K	—	—	—	\$37K	\$43K	—	\$525K	\$503K	\$101K
Weaver Technologies, Llc	\$35K	\$8K	\$7K	\$13K	\$423K	\$110K	\$36K	—	\$487K	\$97K
Media Link Telecom, Llc	\$78K	\$68K	\$85K	\$85K	\$85K	\$85K	\$85K	\$85K	\$401K	\$80K

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	5,681	5,516	5,213	4,473	3,272	5,672	5,506	5,199	4,471	3,266

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