

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	\$2,793,546	\$4,529,302	\$5,128,040	\$6,389,477	\$8,684,549	\$10,448,909	\$9,102,217	\$54,255,489
Average Discount Rate	80%	80%	80%	80%	80%	77%	78%	73%
Number of Service Providers	47	50	43	46	52	53	58	53
Number of Billed Entities	52	48	49	50	51	56	61	55
— School District BENs	36	32	35	34	35	42	44	41
— School BENs	4	3	2	3	4	3	5	4
— Library BENs	11	11	10	11	10	9	10	9
— Consortium BENs	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	1

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

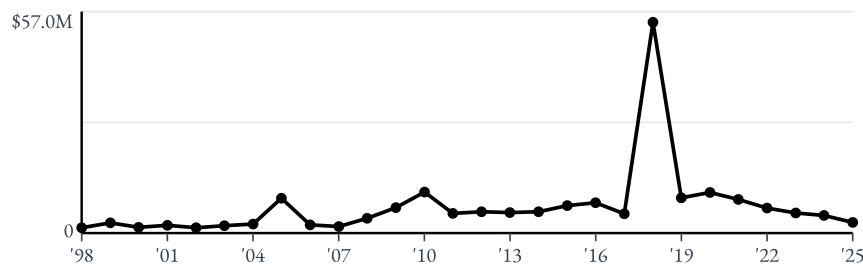


Table 2. E-Rate Subsidies by Service Type

Service Type	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
Voice	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$1,272
Telecomm Services	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Internal Connections	\$1,135,291	\$706,407	\$1,252,496	\$2,647,428	\$4,856,274	\$3,688,948	\$1,370,885	\$7,381,149
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	\$1,649,183	\$3,822,894	\$3,874,424	\$3,726,732	\$3,821,730	\$6,655,736	\$7,717,240	\$46,869,796
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	—	—	\$1,120	\$15,317	\$6,545	\$104,225	\$12,296	\$1,475
Managed Internal Broadband Services	\$9,072	—	—	—	—	—	\$1,796	\$1,796
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
Netxv	\$931K	\$1.3M	\$1.3M	\$1.3M	\$1.3M	\$1.3M	\$1.5M	\$36.4M	\$6.1M	\$1.2M
Killeen Indep School District	–	\$833K	\$1.2M	\$1.4M	\$869K	\$2.4M	\$714K	\$3.9M	\$4.3M	\$858K
Midland Indep School District	\$225K	\$135K	\$361K	\$353K	\$2.7M	\$362K	\$251K	\$398K	\$3.7M	\$745K
San Angelo Indep School Dist	\$228K	\$279K	\$647K	\$967K	\$729K	\$578K	\$926K	\$1.6M	\$2.9M	\$570K
Ector County Independent School District	\$40K	\$495K	\$421K	\$303K	\$508K	\$3.1M	\$951K	\$9.5M	\$1.8M	\$354K
Granbury Indep School District	\$208K	\$66K	\$66K	\$591K	\$49K	\$1.1M	\$103K	\$121K	\$980K	\$196K
Lampasas Indep School District	–	\$108K	\$96K	\$130K	\$578K	\$204K	\$71K	\$80K	\$912K	\$182K
Midland Fiber Consortium	–	\$211K	\$210K	\$211K	\$211K	\$156K	\$3.5M	–	\$842K	\$168K
Richard Milburn Alter High School (Killeen)	–	\$58K	\$58K	\$77K	\$337K	\$256K	\$145K	\$40K	\$530K	\$106K
Llano Independent School District	–	\$43K	\$48K	\$48K	\$303K	\$110K	\$56K	\$796K	\$442K	\$88K

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
Conterra Ultra Broadband, Llc	\$874K	\$1.3M	\$1.2M	\$1.2M	\$1.2M	\$1.3M	\$1.5M	\$36.4M	\$5.9M	\$1.2M
Unite Private Networks, Llc	\$201K	\$1.0M	\$1.1M	\$1.0M	\$1.1M	\$1.1M	\$3.7M	\$616K	\$4.5M	\$898K
Cdw Government Llc	\$151K	\$133K	\$526K	\$1.3M	\$2.2M	\$1.6M	\$7K	\$3.2M	\$4.3M	\$865K
Insight Public Sector Inc	\$228K	\$61K	\$433K	\$774K	\$411K	\$264K	\$573K	\$1.3M	\$1.9M	\$381K
Netsync Network Solutions	–	\$325K	\$359K	\$264K	\$264K	\$2.3M	\$744K	\$9.4M	\$1.2M	\$243K
Cebridge Telecom Nc, Llc	–	\$205K	\$176K	\$158K	–	–	–	–	\$539K	\$108K
Grande Communications Networks, Llc	\$126K	\$133K	\$125K	\$78K	\$74K	\$87K	\$72K	\$184K	\$536K	\$107K
Em3 Networks Llc	\$61K	\$147K	\$116K	\$106K	\$101K	\$87K	\$60K	\$19K	\$532K	\$106K
Cebridge Telecom Tx, Lp	\$63K	\$70K	\$11K	\$11K	\$329K	\$330K	\$382K	\$362K	\$484K	\$97K
It Network Professionals	–	–	–	–	\$455K	\$109K	–	–	\$455K	\$91K

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	13,124	12,815	17,792	10,478	8,400	13,124	10,099	17,754	10,440	7,715

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