

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	\$2,162,905	\$8,433,088	\$7,075,498	\$6,173,161	\$5,545,922	\$4,860,053	\$7,210,157	\$2,933,829
Average Discount Rate	77%	79%	77%	76%	76%	78%	68%	68%
Number of Service Providers	37	36	32	31	33	40	38	38
Number of Billed Entities	39	37	38	39	42	41	37	37
— School District BENs	25	25	25	25	25	24	25	25
— School BENs	6	4	5	6	9	10	7	7
— Library BENs	8	8	8	8	8	7	5	5

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

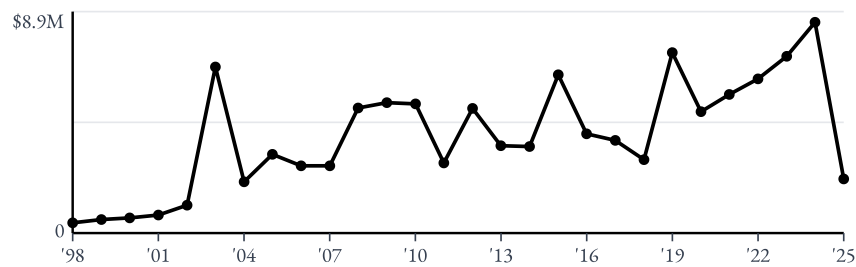


Table 2. E-Rate Subsidies by Service Type

Service Type	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
Voice	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	\$37,807
Telecomm Services	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Internal Connections	\$1,052,681	\$3,921,921	\$935,255	\$3,843,386	\$3,420,697	\$2,866,912	\$4,217,310	\$642,859
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	\$1,061,293	\$4,510,738	\$6,074,996	\$2,259,465	\$2,113,967	\$1,940,871	\$2,823,749	\$2,231,708
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	\$47,202	\$430	\$7,582	\$10,810	\$11,258	\$52,270	\$169,097	\$21,456
Managed Internal Broadband Services	\$1,729	–	\$57,666	\$59,499	–	–	–	–
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
Brazosport Indep School Dist	\$416K	\$148K	\$4.1M	\$280K	\$953K	\$989K	\$158K	\$232K	\$5.9M	\$1.2M
Texas City Indep School Dist	—	\$2.8M	\$277K	\$1.5M	\$183K	\$485K	\$311K	\$172K	\$4.8M	\$953K
Clear Creek Indep School Dist	\$70K	\$3.0M	\$90K	\$104K	\$91K	\$544K	\$2.5M	\$307K	\$3.4M	\$670K
Dickinson Indep School Dist	\$149K	\$324K	\$122K	\$700K	\$932K	\$329K	\$580K	\$114K	\$2.2M	\$445K
Galveston Indep School Dist	\$341K	\$149K	\$164K	\$952K	\$275K	\$337K	\$479K	\$253K	\$1.9M	\$376K
Angleton Indep School District	\$45K	\$636K	\$111K	\$99K	\$387K	\$315K	\$745K	\$54K	\$1.3M	\$256K
Bob Hope Charter School 1	\$133K	\$159K	\$302K	\$165K	\$220K	\$183K	\$128K	\$79K	\$980K	\$196K
Nederland Isd	\$119K	\$96K	\$93K	\$549K	\$56K	\$45K	\$282K	\$56K	\$913K	\$183K
Brazoria County Library System	\$131K	\$172K	\$166K	\$165K	\$255K	\$244K	\$249K	\$275K	\$888K	\$178K
Port Arthur Indep School Dist	\$13K	\$112K	\$123K	\$418K	\$211K	\$184K	\$182K	\$318K	\$877K	\$175K

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
Mgt Impact Solutions, Llc	—	\$2.9M	\$372K	\$1.4M	\$303K	\$1.4M	\$485K	\$175K	\$5.0M	\$1.0M
Lightstream Networks, Llc	\$79K	\$79K	\$3.9M	—	—	—	—	—	\$4.0M	\$808K
Triumph Cabling Systems, Llc	—	\$2.4M	—	—	—	\$28K	—	—	\$2.4M	\$487K
Netsync Network Solutions	\$73K	\$209K	\$297K	\$501K	\$1.0M	\$15K	\$611K	\$16K	\$2.1M	\$422K
Comcast Business Communications	\$160K	\$547K	\$494K	\$463K	\$388K	\$372K	\$415K	\$400K	\$2.1M	\$410K
Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, Llc	\$38K	\$171K	\$343K	\$500K	\$481K	\$465K	\$492K	\$815K	\$1.5M	\$307K
Micro Integration & Programming Solutions, Inc.	\$335K	\$38K	—	\$935K	\$115K	\$76K	\$235K	—	\$1.4M	\$284K
Advanced Networks Of Texas	\$258K	\$111K	\$158K	\$532K	\$323K	\$246K	\$498K	\$164K	\$1.4M	\$276K
Ps Lightwave, Llc	\$253K	\$269K	\$261K	\$356K	\$227K	\$227K	\$596K	\$143K	\$1.4M	\$273K
Region 5 Education Service Center	\$113K	\$259K	\$268K	\$275K	\$181K	\$142K	\$135K	\$194K	\$1.1M	\$219K

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	7,000	6,219	6,518	4,129	4,220	6,993	6,209	6,508	4,121	4,124

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