

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	\$1,316,823	\$4,898,928	\$5,375,873	\$4,467,310	\$7,344,208	\$4,453,071	\$4,638,947	\$5,466,556
Average Discount Rate	83%	83%	81%	80%	80%	81%	81%	66%
Number of Service Providers	42	42	35	34	37	42	36	51
Number of Billed Entities	40	43	45	44	52	48	52	69
— School District BENs	27	30	32	31	40	36	39	50
— School BENs	2	2	2	2	1	—	1	7
— Library BENs	10	10	10	10	10	11	11	12
— Consortium BENs	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	—

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

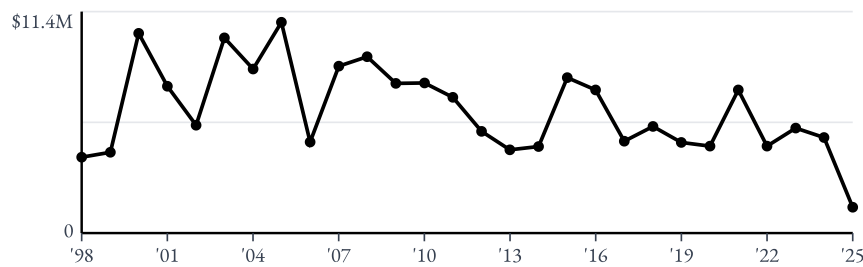


Table 2. E-Rate Subsidies by Service Type

Service Type	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
Voice	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$74,259
Telecomm Services	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Internal Connections	\$638,951	\$1,609,456	\$2,269,514	\$2,470,549	\$5,599,706	\$2,482,128	\$1,738,810	\$636,677
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	\$677,872	\$3,282,734	\$3,056,092	\$1,959,372	\$1,708,542	\$1,970,597	\$2,898,676	\$4,742,029
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	\$0	\$321	\$13,968	\$25,021	\$35,960	\$347	\$1,462	\$13,590
Managed Internal Broadband Services	—	\$6,418	\$36,299	\$12,368	—	—	—	—
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
Edlink 18 Telecommunications Consortium	\$58K	\$635K	\$868K	\$877K	\$831K	\$815K	\$997K	—	\$3.3M	\$654K
Clint Independent School District	\$244K	\$306K	\$205K	\$259K	\$1.7M	\$543K	\$372K	\$582K	\$2.7M	\$545K
Southwest Indep School Dist	\$292K	\$278K	\$692K	\$593K	\$481K	\$422K	\$303K	\$466K	\$2.3M	\$467K
Eagle Pass Independent School District	—	\$94K	\$94K	\$1.2M	\$953K	\$434K	\$368K	\$875K	\$2.3M	\$461K
Medina Valley Indep Sch Dist	\$26K	\$2.0M	\$41K	\$30K	\$25K	\$62K	\$48K	—	\$2.1M	\$424K
San Elizario Indep School Dist	\$6K	\$69K	\$1.5M	\$111K	\$111K	\$429K	\$21K	\$103K	\$1.8M	\$369K
San Felipe-Del Rio Cisd	—	\$147K	\$42K	\$40K	\$1.4M	\$401K	\$73K	\$75K	\$1.6M	\$316K
Pecos-Barstow-Toyah I S D	\$151K	\$139K	\$325K	\$365K	—	\$98K	\$96K	\$73K	\$980K	\$196K
Fabens Indep School District	\$20K	\$38K	\$74K	\$236K	\$150K	\$127K	\$19K	\$50K	\$519K	\$104K
Somerset Indep School District	—	—	—	—	\$480K	—	—	\$89K	\$480K	\$96K

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	\$17K	—	—	\$1.1M	\$860K	\$344K	\$276K	\$11K	\$2.0M	\$391K
Delcom, Inc.	\$199K	\$261K	\$585K	\$313K	\$314K	\$313K	\$384K	\$312K	\$1.7M	\$334K
Zayo Group, Llc	\$26K	\$1.6M	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$1.6M	\$325K
Advanced Network Management, Inc.	—	\$55K	—	—	\$1.5M	\$626K	—	—	\$1.6M	\$319K
Intech Southwest Service Llc	\$304K	\$277K	\$328K	\$79K	\$549K	\$494K	\$280K	—	\$1.5M	\$307K
Great South Texas Corporation	—	—	\$541K	\$315K	\$552K	\$52K	\$139K	\$215K	\$1.4M	\$282K
Computex Technology Solutions	\$53K	\$63K	\$430K	\$571K	\$260K	\$103K	—	—	\$1.4M	\$275K
Weaver Technologies, Llc	\$24K	\$8K	\$24K	\$20K	\$1.2M	\$17K	\$18K	\$11K	\$1.3M	\$256K
Flexile Multimedia Systems Inc.	—	—	\$784K	\$84K	\$283K	\$228K	\$450K	\$276K	\$1.2M	\$230K
Wanrack Llc	—	\$36K	\$1.1M	—	—	—	—	—	\$1.1M	\$222K

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	8,895	8,365	26,888	50,385	26,770	8,892	8,349	13,454	13,672	12,962

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