

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	\$2,929,549	\$4,733,591	\$4,760,234	\$5,661,086	\$5,359,029	\$4,889,983	\$5,158,872	\$4,487,034
Average Discount Rate	77%	75%	74%	70%	68%	70%	68%	66%
Number of Service Providers	30	28	25	28	30	29	27	36
Number of Billed Entities	41	41	41	41	42	43	44	44
— School District BENs	22	22	22	22	22	22	22	22
— School BENs	8	8	8	9	9	10	9	10
— Library BENs	11	11	11	10	11	11	13	12

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

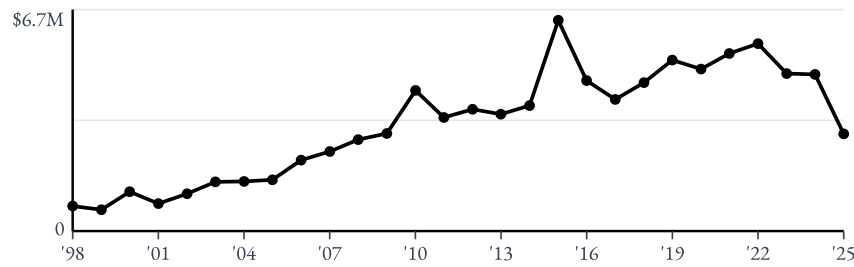


Table 2. E-Rate Subsidies by Service Type

Service Type	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
Voice	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	\$18,138
Telecomm Services	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Internal Connections	\$1,564,376	\$1,397,736	\$1,771,296	\$2,616,425	\$2,317,090	\$1,761,150	\$2,120,730	\$1,179,068
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	\$1,237,159	\$3,158,255	\$2,777,600	\$2,831,230	\$2,867,701	\$2,958,245	\$2,868,543	\$3,132,510
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	\$1,331	\$0	\$1,675	\$10,389	\$2,237	\$12,871	\$27,748	\$8,374
Managed Internal Broadband Services	\$126,684	\$177,600	\$209,664	\$203,042	\$172,002	\$157,717	\$141,851	\$148,943
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
Roanoke City Public Schools	\$355K	\$341K	\$337K	\$2.0M	\$675K	\$1.1M	\$457K	\$468K	\$3.7M	\$737K
Roanoke County School District	\$158K	\$537K	\$551K	\$584K	\$721K	\$611K	\$560K	\$618K	\$2.6M	\$510K
Rockingham County Public Schools	\$407K	\$658K	\$417K	\$417K	\$523K	\$435K	\$494K	\$546K	\$2.4M	\$484K
Augusta County School District	–	\$433K	\$133K	\$379K	\$703K	\$334K	\$1.3M	\$429K	\$1.6M	\$329K
Shenandoah County School Dist	\$248K	\$396K	\$303K	\$303K	\$285K	\$271K	\$267K	\$244K	\$1.5M	\$307K
Frederick County School Dist	\$268K	\$446K	\$390K	\$204K	\$151K	\$327K	\$439K	\$117K	\$1.5M	\$292K
Harrisonburg City Sch District	\$282K	\$281K	\$262K	\$324K	\$230K	\$198K	\$194K	\$252K	\$1.4M	\$276K
Page County School District	\$293K	\$164K	\$187K	\$202K	\$281K	\$255K	\$157K	\$270K	\$1.1M	\$225K
Winchester Public Schools	\$101K	\$118K	\$364K	\$240K	\$168K	\$187K	\$89K	\$119K	\$990K	\$198K
Alleghany Highlands Public Schools	\$279K	\$304K	\$87K	\$83K	\$67K	\$80K	\$67K	\$65K	\$819K	\$164K

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
Shenandoah Cable Television, Llc	–	\$1.6M	\$1.6M	\$1.6M	\$1.6M	\$1.6M	\$1.5M	\$1.5M	\$6.4M	\$1.3M
Eplus Technology, Inc.	\$714K	\$664K	\$518K	\$371K	\$895K	\$319K	–	–	\$3.2M	\$632K
Disys Solutions, Inc	\$99K	–	–	\$1.6M	\$220K	\$664K	–	–	\$1.9M	\$386K
Cdw Government Llc	\$143K	\$43K	\$907K	\$192K	\$302K	\$258K	\$268K	\$207K	\$1.6M	\$318K
Cox Virginia Telcom, Llc	\$5K	\$374K	\$372K	\$303K	\$315K	\$394K	\$397K	\$431K	\$1.4M	\$274K
Lumos Networks, Inc.	\$0	\$538K	\$264K	\$279K	\$285K	\$117K	\$118K	\$187K	\$1.4M	\$273K
Sycom Technologies, L.L. C.	\$218K	\$239K	\$193K	\$286K	\$423K	\$241K	\$190K	\$248K	\$1.4M	\$272K
Shentel Asset Entity I Llc	\$1.1M	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	\$1.1M	\$214K
Comcast Business Communications	\$108K	\$218K	\$217K	\$204K	\$222K	\$184K	\$106K	\$175K	\$969K	\$194K
Barconnects	\$51K	\$169K	\$152K	\$141K	\$140K	\$102K	\$95K	\$52K	\$653K	\$131K

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	7,380	7,050	6,728	5,910	5,811	7,372	7,042	6,721	5,901	5,802

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