

# **E-RATE FUNDING IN U.S. CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS**

*District-by-District Scorecards, 1998–2025*

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## About This Report

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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](https://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	\$1,904,150	\$1,973,684	\$3,791,849	\$2,598,795	\$2,422,631	\$2,370,724	\$1,342,853	\$1,452,617
Average Discount Rate	61%	61%	62%	62%	61%	60%	57%	59%
Number of Service Providers	35	31	38	39	39	37	35	51
Number of Billed Entities	77	77	76	76	72	70	69	65
— School District BENs	56	55	54	54	54	55	56	54
— School BENs	21	22	21	21	17	14	12	10
— Library BENs	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
— Consortium BENs	—	—	1	1	1	1	1	1

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

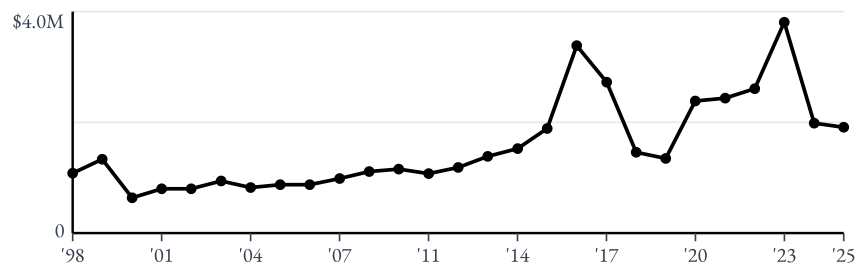


Table 2. E-Rate Subsidies by Service Type

Service Type	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
Voice	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Telecomm Services	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Internal Connections	\$1,337,480	\$1,044,188	\$2,837,496	\$1,803,543	\$1,608,156	\$1,630,314	\$667,358	\$752,714
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	\$485,347	\$884,916	\$873,600	\$724,487	\$747,687	\$717,597	\$662,234	\$682,703
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	\$15,921	\$25,193	\$24,269	\$19,004	\$18,337	\$7,569	\$9,986	\$17,200
Managed Internal Broadband Services	\$65,402	\$19,387	\$56,484	\$51,761	\$48,451	\$15,244	\$3,275	—
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
Oshkosh Area School District	\$14K	\$101K	\$751K	\$118K	\$39K	\$58K	\$13K	\$24K	<b>\$1.0M</b>	\$204K
Manitowoc Public School Dist	\$13K	\$96K	\$649K	\$151K	\$75K	\$12K	\$0	\$12K	<b>\$984K</b>	\$197K
Fond Du Lac School District	\$14K	\$19K	\$19K	\$81K	\$644K	\$363K	\$13K	\$50K	<b>\$777K</b>	\$155K
Neenah Joint School District	\$9K	\$24K	\$24K	\$541K	\$23K	\$140K	\$157K	\$166K	<b>\$619K</b>	\$124K
Sheboygan Area School District	\$215K	\$75K	\$142K	\$59K	\$17K	\$16K	\$180K	–	<b>\$509K</b>	\$102K
Menasha School District	\$243K	\$14K	\$86K	\$54K	\$23K	\$288K	\$23K	\$12K	<b>\$419K</b>	\$84K
Beaver Dam Unif School Dist	\$286K	\$27K	\$13K	\$5K	\$79K	\$236K	\$31K	\$22K	<b>\$411K</b>	\$82K
Waupun Area School District	\$33K	\$36K	\$244K	\$49K	\$43K	\$72K	\$39K	\$38K	<b>\$405K</b>	\$81K
Wautoma Area School District	\$32K	\$44K	\$47K	\$47K	\$213K	\$56K	\$46K	\$38K	<b>\$384K</b>	\$77K
Portage Comm School District	\$35K	\$110K	\$55K	\$85K	\$20K	\$44K	\$60K	\$59K	<b>\$305K</b>	\$61K

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
Amco Hbs Holdings Lp	\$926K	\$356K	\$1.2M	\$549K	\$458K	\$501K	\$307K	\$207K	<b>\$3.5M</b>	\$699K
Charter Communications Operating, Llc	\$220K	\$325K	\$343K	\$284K	\$316K	\$296K	\$257K	\$281K	<b>\$1.5M</b>	\$297K
Arlington Computer Products, Inc.	–	\$159K	\$408K	\$591K	\$193K	\$204K	\$232K	\$181K	<b>\$1.4M</b>	\$270K
Wisenet	\$234K	\$361K	\$358K	\$170K	\$174K	\$178K	\$162K	\$152K	<b>\$1.3M</b>	\$259K
Capital Data, Incorporated	\$103K	\$91K	\$810K	\$7K	\$14K	\$94K	\$39K	\$15K	<b>\$1.0M</b>	\$205K
Rmm Solutions Inc	–	–	–	\$50K	\$675K	\$355K	\$3K	\$35K	<b>\$725K</b>	\$145K
Insight Public Sector Inc	–	–	\$21K	\$240K	\$79K	\$231K	\$1K	\$74K	<b>\$340K</b>	\$68K
At&T Enterprises, Llc	\$7K	\$12K	\$21K	\$143K	\$148K	\$182K	\$162K	\$135K	<b>\$331K</b>	\$66K
Manitowoc Public Utilities	–	\$79K	\$96K	\$70K	\$64K	–	–	–	<b>\$308K</b>	\$62K
Cdw Government Llc	–	\$19K	\$89K	\$114K	\$28K	\$113K	\$16K	\$93K	<b>\$249K</b>	\$50K

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	3,419	2,728	3,464	3,429	3,165	3,401	2,714	3,453	3,412	3,161

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