

Step Up Suncoast

BILLED ENTITY 187473 • FLORIDA • FUNDING REPORT FY1998–2025

6428 Parkland Drive, Sarasota, FL 34243 • 653 students • 644 NSLP students

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Overview																
	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010
Total E-Rate Subsidies	\$30K	—	\$43K	\$21K	\$9K	\$36K	\$22K	\$31K	\$48K	\$71K	\$70K	\$89K	\$77K	\$84K	\$34K	\$29K
Average Discount Rate	88%	90%	90%	90%	90%	90%	90%	42%	45%	65%	79%	90%	90%	90%	90%	90%
Schools & Libraries (in this area)	4	—	7	7	8	8	8	8	8	8	—	—	—	—	—	—
Service Providers	2	1	1	2	1	2	2	4	4	4	4	3	3	4	5	6
Avg Download Speed (Mbps)	875	—	571	571	200	300	300	300	10	10	—	—	—	—	—	—
Avg Upload Speed (Mbps)	875	—	571	571	200	200	200	200	10	10	—	—	—	—	—	—
Subsidies by E-Rate Service Type																
Service Type	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010
Voice	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$2K	\$6K	\$9K	\$16K	—	—	—	—	—
Telecomm Services	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$24K	\$19K	\$17K	\$20K	\$23K
Internal Connections	\$15K	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$10K	—	—	—	\$16K	\$7K	—
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	\$16K	—	\$43K	\$21K	\$9K	\$36K	\$22K	\$29K	\$42K	\$51K	\$54K	\$65K	\$59K	\$51K	\$7K	\$7K
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$203	—	—
Managed Internal Broadband Services	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broadband Category 1	\$16K	—	\$43K	\$21K	\$9K	\$36K	\$22K	\$31K	\$48K	\$60K	\$70K	\$89K	\$77K	\$68K	\$27K	\$29K
Equipment Category 2	\$15K	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$10K	—	—	—	\$16K	\$7K	—
Total	\$30K	—	\$43K	\$21K	\$9K	\$36K	\$22K	\$31K	\$48K	\$71K	\$70K	\$89K	\$77K	\$84K	\$34K	\$29K
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Subsidies by E-Rate Service Provider (top 10, FY2024)																
Service Provider	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010
Bright House Networks, Llc	—	—	—	—	—	\$29K	\$12K	\$22K	\$45K	\$54K	\$61K	\$65K	\$56K	\$51K	\$2K	\$1K
Charter Communications Operating, Llc	—	—	\$43K	\$21K	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
North American Telecommunications Corp.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$4K	\$7K	\$20K	\$11K	\$10K	—	—
Tw Telecom Holdings, Inc.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$14K	\$14K
Frontier Communications Of The South, Llc	—	—	—	—	\$9K	\$8K	\$9K	\$8K	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sprint Spectrum, L.P.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$4K	\$10K	\$7K	—	—
B2b Computer Products	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$16K	—	—
Frontier Florida Llc	\$16K	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$4K	\$7K
Data Center Warehouse	\$15K	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Recipient Demographics (latest profile)																
Recipient	Address			City			Discount Rate			Students	NSLP	NSLP %	Urban/Rural			
Blackburn Elementary School Head Start	302 Manatee Ave East, Ste 210, 3904 17th St, E 34208			Bradenton			90%			54	45	83%	Urban			
G.D. Rogers Elementary School Head Start	302 Manatee Ave East, Ste 210, 515 13th Ave E 34208			Bradenton			90%			76	76	100%	Urban			

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Recipient Demographics (latest profile) (continued)

Recipient	Address	City	Discount Rate	Students	NSLP	NSLP %	Urban/Rural
Morton Clark Head Start Center	1707 15th St E 34208	Bradenton	90%	53	53	100%	Urban
Pal Head Start Center	302 Manatee Ave E Ste 202 34208	Bradenton	90%	102	102	100%	Urban
Palmetto Head Start Center	1315 2nd Ave W 34221	Palmetto	90%	58	58	100%	Urban
Parkland Head Start	6428 Parkland Dr 34243	Sarasota	90%	80	80	100%	Urban
Pine Village Heard Start Center	1103 56th Avenue Dr E 34203	Bradenton	90%	34	34	100%	Urban
West Bradenton Head Start Center	2531 9th Ave W 34205	Bradenton	90%	196	196	100%	Urban

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Overview (FY1998–2009)

	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998
Total E-Rate Subsidies	\$32K	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Average Discount Rate	98%	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Schools & Libraries (in this area)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Service Providers	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Avg Download Speed (Mbps)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Avg Upload Speed (Mbps)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Subsidies by E-Rate Service Type (FY1998–2009)

Service Type	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998
Voice	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Telecomm Services	\$22K	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Internal Connections	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	\$9K	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Managed Internal Broadband Services	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broadband Category 1	\$32K	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Equipment Category 2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	\$32K	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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Subsidies by E-Rate Service Provider (FY1998–2009)

Service Provider	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998
Bright House Networks, LLC	\$872	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Charter Communications Operating, LLC	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
North American Telecommunications Corp.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tw Telecom Holdings, Inc.	\$23K	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Frontier Communications Of The South, LLC	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sprint Spectrum, L.P.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
B2b Computer Products	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Frontier Florida LLC	\$3K	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Data Center Warehouse	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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