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Salem School District

BILLED ENTITY 120458 · MASSACHUSETTS · FUNDING REPORT FY1998–2025

29 Highland Avenue, Salem, MA 01970 · 3,686 students · 3,686 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	$14K	$375K	–	–	–	–	–	$43K	$63K	$312K	$644K	$289K	$290K	$300K	$248K	$172K
Average Discount Rate	90%	88%	90%	90%	90%	90%	90%	30%	50%	60%	68%	78%	77%	76%	77%	71%
Schools & Libraries (in this area)	10	10	–	10	10	10	11	11	11	11	–	–	–	–	–	–
Service Providers	1	2	1	1	1	1	2	4	4	4	5	5	5	6	5	6
Avg Download Speed (Mbps)	3,000	3,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	1,000	500	500	500	–	–	–	–	–	–
Avg Upload Speed (Mbps)	3,000	3,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	1,000	500	500	500	–	–	–	–	–	–

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	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$1K	$19K	$33K	$51K	–	–	–	–	–
Telecomm Services	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$73K	$276K	$252K	$210K	$74K
Internal Connections	–	$356K	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$350K	–	–	–	–	–
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	$14K	$19K	–	–	–	–	–	$42K	$44K	$279K	$244K	$216K	$14K	$47K	$38K	$99K
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Managed Internal Broadband Services	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broadband Category 1	$14K	$19K	–	–	–	–	–	$43K	$63K	$312K	$294K	$289K	$290K	$300K	$248K	$172K
Equipment Category 2	–	$356K	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$350K	–	–	–	–	–
Total	$14K	$375K	–	–	–	–	–	$43K	$63K	$312K	$644K	$289K	$290K	$300K	$248K	$172K

Category one services include telecommunications, telecommunications services and Internet access. Category two services include internal connections, basic maintenance of internal connections and managed internal broadband services.

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
Eplus Technology, Inc.	–	$356K	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$350K	–	–	–	–	–
Merrimack Education Center	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$42K	$44K	$279K	$244K	$203K	$203K	$191K	$142K	$89K
Verizon Massachusetts	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$1K	$19K	$28K	$28K	$46K	$52K	$66K	$73K	$61K
Sprint Spectrum, L.P.	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$21K	$11K
Verizon Wireless (Cellco Partnership)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$5K	$22K	$25K	$21K	$29K	–	–
Olympus Solutions, Inc. Dba Vision Atlantic	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Recipient Demographics (latest profile)

Recipient	Address	City	Discount Rate	Students	NSLP	NSLP %	Urban/Rural
Bates Elementary School	Liberty Hill Ave 01970	Salem	90%	376	376	100%	Urban
Bentley Academy Charter School	23 Memorial Dr 01970	Salem	90%	261	261	100%	Urban
Carlton Innovation School	10 Skerry St 01970	Salem	90%	249	249	100%	Urban
Collins Middle School	29 Highland Ave 01970	Salem	90%	753	753	100%	Urban

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Recipient Demographics (latest profile) (continued)

Recipient	Address	City	Discount Rate	Students	NSLP	NSLP %	Urban/Rural
Horace Mann Laboratory School	79 Willson St 01970	Salem	90%	279	279	100%	Urban
Nathaniel Bowditch School	79 Willson St 01970	Salem	90%	0	0	—	Urban
New Liberty Innovation School	Museum Place Mall, 2nd Floor 01970	Salem	90%	54	54	100%	Urban
Salem High School	77 Willson St 01970	Salem	90%	960	960	100%	Urban
Salem Prep High School	Museum Place Mall 01970	Salem	90%	22	22	100%	Urban
Saltonstall Elementary School	160 Federal St 01970	Salem	90%	267	267	100%	Urban
Witchcraft Heights Elem School	1 Frederick St 01970	Salem	90%	465	465	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	$171K	$132K	$131K	$107K	$93K	$90K	$95K	$106K	$37K	$8K	$142K	$81K
Average Discount Rate	71%	66%	62%	67%	58%	58%	60%	59%	55%	58%	61%	60%
Schools & Libraries (in this area)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Service Providers	6	8	5	6	5	3	4	4	3	3	4	1
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	$73K	$71K	$89K	$73K	$62K	$58K	$65K	$66K	$4K	—	$58K	$81K
Internal Connections	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	$52K	—
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	$97K	$62K	$42K	$34K	$31K	$32K	$31K	$40K	$33K	$8K	$32K	—
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Managed Internal Broadband Services	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broadband Category 1	$171K	$132K	$131K	$107K	$93K	$90K	$95K	$106K	$37K	$8K	$90K	$81K
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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
Eplus Technology, Inc.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Merrimack Education Center	$92K	$62K	$42K	$34K	$31K	$32K	$31K	$40K	$33K	$8K	$32K	—
Verizon Massachusetts	$61K	$59K	$54K	$58K	$51K	$48K	$49K	$51K	—	—	$54K	$81K
Sprint Spectrum, L.P.	$10K	$10K	$35K	$15K	$9K	$10K	$13K	$12K	—	—	—	—
Verizon Wireless (Cellco Partnership)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Olympus Solutions, Inc. Dba Vision Atlantic	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	$52K	—

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