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Athens Area Schools

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300 E Holcomb St, Athens, MI 49011 · 437 students · 318 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	$41K	–	$759K	$16K	$6K	–	$3K	–	$20K	$6K	$28K	–	$9K	$11K	$8K	$11K
Average Discount Rate	80%	–	90%	80%	80%	–	80%	–	23%	53%	60%	–	69%	70%	60%	66%
Schools & Libraries (in this area)	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	–	–	–	–	–	–
Service Providers	3	–	1	1	2	–	1	–	4	4	4	–	5	4	4	4
Avg Download Speed (Mbps)	10,000	–	10,000	–	–	–	2,000	2,000	2,000	1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–
Avg Upload Speed (Mbps)	10,000	–	10,000	–	–	–	2,000	2,000	2,000	1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–

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	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$4K	$5K	–	–	–	–	–
Telecomm Services	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$7K	$9K	$3K	$7K
Internal Connections	$41K	–	–	$16K	$6K	–	$3K	–	$20K	$2K	$23K	–	–	–	–	–
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	–	–	$759K	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$2K	$2K	$5K	$3K
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Managed Internal Broadband Services	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broadband Category 1	–	–	$759K	–	–	–	–	–	–	$4K	$5K	–	$9K	$11K	$8K	$11K
Equipment Category 2	$41K	–	–	$16K	$6K	–	$3K	–	$20K	$2K	$23K	–	–	–	–	–
Total	$41K	–	$759K	$16K	$6K	–	$3K	–	$20K	$6K	$28K	–	$9K	$11K	$8K	$11K

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
Fiber Link Inc	–	–	$759K	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Michigan Bell Telephone Company	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$4K	$4K	–	$5K	$6K	$3K	$5K
Inacomptechnical Services Group, Llc	$19K	–	–	–	–	–	$3K	–	–	–	$23K	–	–	–	–	–
Calhoun Intermediate School District	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$2K	$2K	$3K	$3K
Vector Tech Group	$22K	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Avalon Technologies Inc	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$20K	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sehi Computer Products, Inc.	–	–	–	$16K	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Voice Data Systems	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sprint Spectrum, L.P.	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$2K	$1K	$3K

Recipient Demographics (latest profile)

Recipient	Address	City	Discount Rate	Students	NSLP	NSLP %	Urban/Rural
Athens Junior Senior High School	300 E Holcomb St 49011	Athens	80%	242	176	73%	Rural
East Leroy Elementary School	4320 K Dr S 49051	East Leroy	80%	195	142	73%	Rural

Sources: USAC Open Data — E-Rate Recipient Details and Commitments (avi8-svp9), funded FRNs only; FCC Form 471 FRN Status (qdmp-ygft); USAC legacy commitments for FY1998–2015 (BEN level). Billed-entity figures are total authorized disbursements (entity-wide, exact). Service-provider top 10 ranked by lifetime disbursements, sorted by FY2024. Student counts sum USAC recipient-site profiles (entity-wide). 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 dips at the end — that's the real state of USAC's data, not an error. Technology Policy Institute, 2026-06-10.

Athens Area Schools (continued)

Overview (FY1998–2009)

	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998
Total E-Rate Subsidies	$22K	$21K	$15K	$5K	$4K	–	–	$11K	$6K	–	$22K	$10K
Average Discount Rate	57%	57%	56%	50%	56%	–	57%	60%	59%	–	47%	57%
Schools & Libraries (in this area)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Service Providers	3	4	4	3	3	–	2	2	4	–	3	3
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	$17K	$16K	$11K	$2K	–	–	–	$11K	$6K	–	$7K	$10K
Internal Connections	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$16K	–
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	$5K	$5K	$3K	$3K	$4K	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Managed Internal Broadband Services	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broadband Category 1	$22K	$21K	$15K	$5K	$4K	–	–	$11K	$6K	–	$7K	$10K
Equipment Category 2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$16K	–
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Fiber Link Inc	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Michigan Bell Telephone Company	$17K	$16K	$8K	–	–	–	–	$10K	$5K	–	$6K	$9K
Inacomptechnical Services Group, Llc	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Calhoun Intermediate School District	$3K	$3K	$3K	$3K	$4K	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Vector Tech Group	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Avalon Technologies Inc	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sehi Computer Products, Inc.	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Voice Data Systems	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$16K	–
Sprint Spectrum, L.P.	$2K	$2K	$3K	$2K	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

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