

Pennfield Schools

BILLED ENTITY 131297 • MICHIGAN • FUNDING REPORT FY1998–2025

8587 Pennfield Rd, Battle Creek, MI 49017 • 2,118 students • 1,670 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	\$159K	\$65K	\$16K	\$41K	\$70K	\$37K	\$48K	–	\$2K	\$31K	\$168K	–	\$28K	\$29K	\$30K	\$30K
Average Discount Rate	88%	80%	80%	80%	80%	80%	80%	–	10%	40%	55%	–	69%	72%	62%	62%
Schools & Libraries (in this area)	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	–	–	–	–	–	–
Service Providers	2	3	3	1	1	1	1	–	3	4	4	–	4	4	4	5
Avg Download Speed (Mbps)	–	–	10,000	–	–	–	2,000	2,000	2,000	1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–
Avg Upload Speed (Mbps)	–	–	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	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	\$2K	\$8K	\$13K	–	–	–	–	–
Telecomm Services	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	\$21K	\$22K	\$20K	\$20K
Internal Connections	\$140K	\$48K	–	\$41K	\$50K	\$37K	\$48K	–	–	\$23K	\$156K	–	–	–	–	–
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	\$19K	\$17K	\$16K	–	\$20K	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	\$7K	\$7K	\$10K	\$10K
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Managed Internal Broadband Services	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broadband Category 1	\$19K	\$17K	\$16K	–	\$20K	–	–	–	\$2K	\$8K	\$13K	–	\$28K	\$29K	\$30K	\$30K
Equipment Category 2	\$140K	\$48K	–	\$41K	\$50K	\$37K	\$48K	–	–	\$23K	\$156K	–	–	–	–	–
Total	\$159K	\$65K	\$16K	\$41K	\$70K	\$37K	\$48K	–	\$2K	\$31K	\$168K	–	\$28K	\$29K	\$30K	\$30K

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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
Kendra It Consulting	–	\$29K	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Inacomptechnical Services Group, Llc	–	\$19K	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Amcomm Telecommunications Inc.	\$19K	\$17K	\$4K	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sentinel Technologies, Inc.	\$140K	–	–	\$41K	\$70K	\$37K	\$48K	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Software Services Group	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	\$23K	\$156K	–	–	–	–	–
Climax Telephone Company	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	\$2K	\$6K	\$10K	–	\$14K	\$14K	\$15K	\$15K
Calhoun Intermediate School District	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	\$7K	\$7K	\$10K	\$10K
Sprint Spectrum, L.P.	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	\$3K
Verizon Wireless	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	\$357	\$1K	\$3K	–	\$6K	\$7K	\$4K	\$1K

Recipient Demographics (latest profile)																
Recipient	Address			City			Discount Rate			Students		NSLP	NSLP %	Urban/Rural		
North Pennfield Elementary School	8587 Pennfield Rd 49017			Battle Creek			85%			311		245	79%	Rural		
Pennfield Dunlap Elementary	8465 Pennfield Road 49017			Battle Creek			85%			506		399	79%	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.

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<i>Recipient Demographics (latest profile) (continued)</i>							
Recipient	Address	City	Discount Rate	Students	NSLP	NSLP %	Urban/Rural
Pennfield Middle School	8587 Pennfield Road 49017	Battle Creek	85%	327	258	79%	Rural
Pennfield Purdy School	6510 Purdy Dr 49017	Battle Creek	90%	214	169	79%	Rural
Pennfield Senior High School	8299 Pennfield Rd 49017	Battle Creek	85%	760	599	79%	Rural

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Overview (FY1998–2009)

	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998
Total E-Rate Subsidies	\$28K	—	\$25K	\$27K	\$26K	\$23K	\$23K	\$20K	\$13K	\$13K	\$717	\$11K
Average Discount Rate	57%	—	53%	52%	50%	48%	48%	47%	46%	47%	45%	43%
Schools & Libraries (in this area)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Service Providers	4	—	4	4	4	3	3	3	5	7	4	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	\$18K	—	\$17K	\$17K	\$17K	\$14K	\$14K	\$12K	\$11K	\$11K	\$717	\$11K
Internal Connections	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	\$9K	—	\$8K	\$9K	\$9K	\$10K	\$10K	\$8K	\$2K	\$2K	—	—
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Managed Internal Broadband Services	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
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Inacomptechanical Services Group, LLC	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Amcomm Telecommunications Inc.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sentinel Technologies, Inc.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Software Services Group	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
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Calhoun Intermediate School District	\$9K	—	\$8K	\$8K	\$8K	\$8K	\$8K	\$8K	—	—	—	—
Sprint Spectrum, L.P.	\$4K	—	\$4K	\$4K	\$4K	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Verizon Wireless	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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