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Dowagiac School District

BILLED ENTITY 131333 · MICHIGAN · FUNDING REPORT FY1998–2025

243 S. Front St., Dowagiac, MI 49047 · 1,889 students · 1,889 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	$92K	$35K	$29K	$49K	$84K	$121K	$71K	$27K	$204K	$111K	$128K	–	$19K	$18K	$19K	$34K
Average Discount Rate	88%	93%	90%	86%	87%	87%	87%	80%	43%	68%	75%	–	83%	84%	83%	84%
Schools & Libraries (in this area)	11	10	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	–	–	–	–	–	–
Service Providers	2	1	1	2	2	2	2	1	6	7	6	–	7	7	4	4
Avg Download Speed (Mbps)	1,000	4,273	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	–	–	–	–	–	–
Avg Upload Speed (Mbps)	1,000	4,273	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	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	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$3K	$4K	$8K	–	–	–	–	–
Telecomm Services	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$14K	$12K	$15K	$32K
Internal Connections	$83K	–	–	$20K	$36K	$90K	$37K	–	–	$104K	$117K	–	–	–	–	–
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	$8K	$35K	$29K	$29K	$48K	$31K	$31K	$27K	$202K	$4K	$4K	–	$5K	$5K	$3K	$2K
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	–	–	–	–	–	–	$3K	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Managed Internal Broadband Services	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broadband Category 1	$8K	$35K	$29K	$29K	$48K	$31K	$31K	$27K	$204K	$8K	$12K	–	$19K	$18K	$19K	$34K
Equipment Category 2	$83K	–	–	$20K	$36K	$90K	$40K	–	–	$104K	$117K	–	–	–	–	–
Total	$92K	$35K	$29K	$49K	$84K	$121K	$71K	$27K	$204K	$111K	$128K	–	$19K	$18K	$19K	$34K

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
Keps Technologies Inc	$8K	$35K	$29K	$29K	$29K	$31K	$31K	$27K	$201K	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Vector Tech Group	$83K	–	–	$20K	$55K	$90K	$40K	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Verizon North Inc.	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$1K	$2K	$3K	–	$6K	$6K	$15K	$31K
Cbc, Inc.	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$104K	$117K	–	–	–	–	–
Software Services Group, Inc.Dba Secant Technologies	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Comcast Business Communications	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$2K	$4K	$6K	–	$8K	$8K	$2K	$1K

Recipient Demographics (latest profile)

Recipient	Address	City	Discount Rate	Students	NSLP	NSLP %	Urban/Rural
Chris Taylor Alumni Field	614 Spruce St 49047	Dowagiac	90%	–	–	–	—
Dowagiac Middle School	57072 Riverside Drive 49047	Dowagiac	90%	399	399	100%	Rural
Dowagiac Union Schools Administration	243 S Front St 49047	Dowagiac	90%	–	–	–	—
Dowagiac Union Schools Transportation	29105 Pokagon St 49047	Dowagiac	90%	–	–	–	—

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Dowagiac School District (continued)

Recipient Demographics (latest profile) (continued)

Recipient	Address	City	Discount Rate	Students	NSLP	NSLP %	Urban/Rural
High School Classroom Building	701 W. Prairie Ronde 49047	Dowagiac	90%	–	–	–	—
Justus Gage Elementary School	301 Oak St 49047	Dowagiac	90%	294	294	100%	Rural
Kincheloe Elementary School	25121 Gage St 49047	Dowagiac	90%	220	220	100%	Rural
Pathfinders Alternative Ed	501 N Paul St 49047	Dowagiac	90%	64	64	100%	Rural
Patrick Hamilton Elementary	614 Spruce St 49047	Dowagiac	90%	223	223	100%	Rural
Sister Lakes Elementary School	68079 M 152 49022	Benton Harbor	90%	182	182	100%	Rural
Union High School	701 W Prairie Ronde St 49047	Dowagiac	85%	507	507	100%	Rural

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Overview (FY1998–2009)

	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998
Total E-Rate Subsidies	$42K	$40K	$37K	$35K	$49K	$33K	$19K	$39K	$22K	$40K	$141K	$79K
Average Discount Rate	79%	77%	71%	70%	72%	72%	70%	70%	70%	72%	75%	68%
Schools & Libraries (in this area)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Service Providers	3	3	2	2	2	3	3	2	2	4	3	4
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	$41K	$39K	$37K	$35K	$49K	$33K	$19K	$39K	$22K	$40K	$36K	$57K
Internal Connections	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$105K	$23K
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	$1K	$1K	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Managed Internal Broadband Services	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broadband Category 1	$42K	$40K	$37K	$35K	$49K	$33K	$19K	$39K	$22K	$40K	$36K	$57K
Equipment Category 2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$105K	$23K
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Subsidies by E-Rate Service Provider (FY1998–2009)

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Keps Technologies Inc	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Vector Tech Group	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Verizon North Inc.	$40K	$39K	$37K	$34K	$41K	$33K	$19K	$33K	$22K	$35K	$33K	$51K
Cbc, Inc.	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Software Services Group, Inc.Dba Secant Technologies	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$105K	$23K
Comcast Business Communications	$1K	$1K	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

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