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Sparta Area Schools

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465 S. Union St, Sparta, MI 49345 · 2,379 students · 1,481 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	$260K	$11K	$11K	$13K	$13K	$39K	$18K	$24K	$289K	$56K	$58K	–	$57K	$64K	$41K	$45K
Average Discount Rate	80%	70%	75%	70%	70%	70%	70%	70%	66%	50%	74%	–	61%	54%	62%	65%
Schools & Libraries (in this area)	5	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	–	–	–	–	–	–
Service Providers	3	1	1	1	1	4	3	3	4	3	3	–	5	4	4	3
Avg Download Speed (Mbps)	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	500	2,400	500	575	–	–	–	–	–	–
Avg Upload Speed (Mbps)	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	500	2,400	500	575	–	–	–	–	–	–

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	$22K	$30K	–	–	–	–	–
Telecomm Services	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$37K	$46K	$20K	$22K
Internal Connections	$235K	–	–	–	–	$26K	–	–	$256K	$16K	–	–	–	–	–	–
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	$25K	$11K	$11K	$13K	$13K	$13K	$18K	$24K	$21K	$18K	$28K	–	$20K	$19K	$21K	$23K
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$11K	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Managed Internal Broadband Services	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broadband Category 1	$25K	$11K	$11K	$13K	$13K	$13K	$18K	$24K	$23K	$40K	$58K	–	$57K	$64K	$41K	$45K
Equipment Category 2	$235K	–	–	–	–	$26K	–	–	$267K	$16K	–	–	–	–	–	–
Total	$260K	$11K	$11K	$13K	$13K	$39K	$18K	$24K	$289K	$56K	$58K	–	$57K	$64K	$41K	$45K

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
Managedway Company	–	$11K	$11K	$13K	$13K	$13K	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sentinel Technologies, Inc.	$252K	–	–	–	–	$9K	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Michigan Bell Telephone Company	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$6K	–	–	$30K	–	$54K	$60K	$36K	$20K
Presidio Infrastructure Solutions Llc	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$167K	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
At&T Corp.	–	–	–	–	–	–	$17K	$17K	$21K	$38K	$26K	–	–	–	–	–
Vector Tech Group	–	–	–	–	–	$11K	–	–	$99K	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Trivalent Group	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$23K

Recipient Demographics (latest profile)

Recipient	Address	City	Discount Rate	Students	NSLP	NSLP %	Urban/Rural
Appleview Elementary School	240 E Spartan Dr 49345	Sparta	80%	516	339	66%	Rural
Ridgeview Elementary School	560 W Spartan Dr 49345	Sparta	80%	558	366	66%	Rural
Sparta Early Childhood Center	480 S State St 49345	Sparta	80%	25	17	68%	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.

Recipient Demographics (latest profile) (continued)

Recipient	Address	City	Discount Rate	Students	NSLP	NSLP %	Urban/Rural
Sparta Middle School	235 E Spartan Dr 49345	Sparta	80%	500	328	66%	Rural
Sparta Senior High School	475 W Spartan Dr 49345	Sparta	80%	780	431	55%	Rural

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Sparta Area Schools (continued)

Overview (FY1998–2009)

	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998
Total E-Rate Subsidies	$30K	$25K	$31K	$32K	$10K	$24K	$22K	$25K	$23K	$23K	$14K	$25K
Average Discount Rate	57%	52%	49%	52%	49%	46%	44%	46%	43%	43%	42%	48%
Schools & Libraries (in this area)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Service Providers	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	4	4	2
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	$16K	$11K	$19K	$22K	—	$19K	$18K	$20K	$19K	$18K	$14K	$25K
Internal Connections	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	$14K	$14K	$13K	$11K	$10K	$5K	$5K	$5K	$5K	$5K	—	—
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Managed Internal Broadband Services	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broadband Category 1	$30K	$25K	$31K	$32K	$10K	$24K	$22K	$25K	$23K	$23K	$14K	$25K
Equipment Category 2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	$30K	$25K	$31K	$32K	$10K	$24K	$22K	$25K	$23K	$23K	$14K	$25K

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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
Managedway Company	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sentinel Technologies, Inc.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Michigan Bell Telephone Company	$16K	$11K	$19K	$22K	—	$19K	$18K	$20K	$19K	$18K	$14K	$22K
Presidio Infrastructure Solutions Llc	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
At&T Corp.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Vector Tech Group	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Trivalent Group	$14K	$14K	$13K	$11K	$10K	$5K	$5K	$5K	$5K	$5K	—	—

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