

Marion County School District

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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	—	\$316K	\$40K	\$36K	\$36K	\$105K	\$96K	\$121K	\$185K	\$76K	\$295K	\$86K	\$91K	\$92K	\$104K	\$94K
Average Discount Rate	90%	87%	90%	90%	90%	87%	90%	63%	74%	77%	84%	90%	90%	90%	90%	90%
Schools & Libraries (in this area)	9	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	4	4	—	—	—	—	—	—
Service Providers	1	4	1	1	1	3	2	3	4	3	3	4	6	4	4	4
Avg Download Speed (Mbps)	18,824	7,000	7,000	7,000	7,000	7,667	5,500	5,500	5,500	5,500	—	—	—	—	—	—
Avg Upload Speed (Mbps)	18,824	7,000	7,000	7,000	7,000	7,667	5,500	5,500	5,500	5,500	—	—	—	—	—	—

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	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$2K	\$5K	\$8K	\$10K	—	—	—	—	—
Telecomm Services	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$58K	\$77K	\$83K	\$87K	\$95K	\$81K
Internal Connections	—	\$261K	—	—	—	\$73K	—	—	\$86K	—	\$221K	—	—	—	—	\$13K
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	—	\$55K	\$40K	\$36K	\$36K	\$31K	\$96K	\$120K	\$95K	\$68K	\$6K	\$9K	\$7K	\$5K	\$9K	—
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
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
Business Communications, Inc.	—	\$142K	—	—	—	\$48K	—	—	—	—	\$221K	—	—	—	—	—
Network Cabling Solutions, Inc.	—	\$80K	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$13K
Southern Light, Llc	—	\$55K	\$40K	\$36K	\$36K	\$31K	\$85K	\$85K	\$85K	\$57K	—	—	—	—	—	—

Recipient Demographics (latest profile)																
Recipient	Address				City			Discount Rate		Students	NSLP	NSLP % Urban/Rural				
East Marion Elementary School	527 E Marion School Rd 39429				Columbia			90%		291	289	99% Rural				
East Marion High School	527 E Marion School Rd 39429				Columbia			90%		210	210	100% Rural				
East Marion Middle School	527 E Marion School Rd 39429				Columbia			90%		141	140	99% Rural				
Marion Co Voc Complex	1140 Highway 13 S 39429				Columbia			90%		0	0	— Rural				
Marion County Alternative School	2 W Marion St Bldg T 39483				Foxworth			90%		0	0	— Rural				
Marion County School District Central Office	1010 Hwy 13 North 39429				Columbia			90%		—	—	— —				
West Marion Elementary School	2 W Marion St Bldg F 39483				Foxworth			90%		0	0	— Rural				

Sources: USAC Open Data — E-Rate Recipient Details and Commitments (avi8-svp9), funded FRNs only; FCC Form 471 FRN Status (qdm-p-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 FY2024 disbursements. 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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Recipient Demographics (latest profile) (continued)

Recipient	Address	City	Discount Rate	Students	NSLP	NSLP %	Urban/Rural
West Marion High School	2 W Marion St 39483	Foxworth	90%	364	360	99%	Rural
West Marion Middle School	2 W Marion St 39483	Foxworth	90%	310	310	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	\$192K	\$219K	\$65K	\$101K	\$52K	–	\$159K	\$165K	\$11K	\$58K	\$109K	\$62K
Average Discount Rate	90%	90%	90%	89%	90%	89%	89%	90%	87%	86%	86%	86%
Schools & Libraries (in this area)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Service Providers	6	5	3	2	2	5	6	7	4	8	9	9
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	\$88K	\$73K	\$65K	\$101K	\$52K	–	\$49K	\$39K	\$11K	\$58K	\$50K	\$41K
Internal Connections	\$104K	\$146K	–	–	–	–	\$110K	\$126K	–	–	\$60K	\$20K
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Managed Internal Broadband Services	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Subsidies by E-Rate Service Provider (FY1998–2009)

Service Provider	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998
Business Communications, Inc.	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	\$1K
Network Cabling Solutions, Inc.	\$30K	\$6K	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Southern Light, Llc	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

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