

Sumter School District

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1345 Wilson Hall Road, Sumter, SC 29151 • 788 students • 788 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	\$31K	\$996K	\$152K	\$894K	\$25K	\$865K	\$495K	\$263K	\$225K	\$373K	\$410K	\$303K	\$346K	\$727K	—	—
Average Discount Rate	88%	85%	85%	85%	85%	85%	85%	78%	81%	83%	84%	87%	85%	86%	—	—
Schools & Libraries (in this area)	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—
Service Providers	3	2	2	2	3	2	3	5	7	7	6	9	8	10	—	—
Avg Download Speed (Mbps)	—	—	—	—	—	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	—	—	—	—	—	—
Avg Upload Speed (Mbps)	—	—	—	—	—	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	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$20K	\$65K	\$112K	—	—	—	—	—	—
Telecomm Services	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$202K	\$247K	\$275K	—	—
Internal Connections	\$31K	\$996K	\$152K	\$894K	—	\$865K	\$495K	\$181K	\$160K	\$223K	\$380K	—	—	\$351K	—	—
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$101K	\$98K	\$101K	—	—
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	—	—	—	—	\$25K	—	—	\$62K	—	\$38K	\$30K	—	—	—	—	—
Managed Internal Broadband Services	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wireless School Bus Services and Equipment	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broadband Category 1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$20K	\$65K	\$112K	—	\$303K	\$346K	\$376K	—	—
Equipment Category 2	\$31K	\$996K	\$152K	\$894K	\$25K	\$865K	\$495K	\$244K	\$160K	\$261K	\$410K	—	—	\$351K	—	—
Total	\$31K	\$996K	\$152K	\$894K	\$25K	\$865K	\$495K	\$263K	\$225K	\$373K	\$410K	\$303K	\$346K	\$727K	—	—

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
Netsource Et, Llc	—	\$950K	—	\$894K	—	\$865K	\$495K	—	—	\$223K	\$323K	—	—	—	—	—
Internetwork Services, Inc.	\$31K	\$47K	\$152K	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Farmers Telephone Cooperative, Inc.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$17K	\$56K	\$93K	—	\$151K	\$177K	\$195K	—	—
A3 Communications, Inc.	—	—	—	—	\$24K	—	—	\$244K	\$160K	\$38K	—	—	—	—	—	—
Diversified Computer Solutions, Inc.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$342K	—	—
Echalk Inc.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$101K	\$98K	\$101K	—	—
Verizon Wireless (Cellco Partnership)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$2K	\$7K	\$13K	—	\$36K	\$37K	\$42K	—	—
Telcom, Inc.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$87K	—	—	—	—	—
Frontier Communications Of The Carolinas, Inc.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$6K	\$22K	\$22K	—	—

Recipient Demographics (latest profile)															
Recipient	Address			City			Discount Rate			Students		NSLP		NSLP % Urban/Rural	
Alice Drive Middle School	40 Miller Rd 29150			Sumter			85%			788		788		100% Urban	

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 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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Recipient	Address	City	Discount Rate	Students	NSLP	NSLP % Urban/Rural
Sumter Academy For Support And Intervention	470 Crosswell Dr 29150	Sumter	85%	0	0	— Urban
Sumter Career Technology Center	2612 Mccrays Mill Rd 29154	Sumter	85%	0	0	— Urban

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