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Carter County School District

BILLED ENTITY 128324 · TENNESSEE · FUNDING REPORT FY1998–2025

305 Academy St, Elizabethton, TN 37643 · 4,209 students · 4,010 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	$451K	$608K	$610K	$429K	$383K	$460K	$599K	$568K	$583K	$297K	$482K	$536K	$545K	$530K	$496K	$451K
Average Discount Rate	88%	88%	88%	90%	90%	87%	85%	52%	61%	60%	70%	82%	84%	82%	82%	83%
Schools & Libraries (in this area)	16	16	18	18	19	19	19	19	19	19	–	–	–	–	–	–
Service Providers	3	1	1	1	1	2	2	5	5	3	3	4	4	7	3	3
Avg Download Speed (Mbps)	7,500	7,064	6,726	6,726	6,373	8,426	1,324	1,272	1,268	2,000	–	–	–	–	–	–
Avg Upload Speed (Mbps)	7,500	7,064	6,726	6,726	6,373	8,426	1,324	1,272	1,268	2,000	–	–	–	–	–	–

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	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$4K	$12K	$19K	$36K	–	–	–	–	–
Telecomm Services	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$69K	$84K	$93K	$64K	$69K
Internal Connections	$95K	$174K	$166K	–	–	$58K	$197K	$155K	$162K	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	$356K	$434K	$443K	$429K	$383K	$402K	$402K	$402K	$409K	$278K	$445K	$467K	$462K	$437K	$432K	$382K
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$7K	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Managed Internal Broadband Services	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broadband Category 1	$356K	$434K	$443K	$429K	$383K	$402K	$402K	$406K	$421K	$297K	$482K	$536K	$545K	$530K	$496K	$451K
Equipment Category 2	$95K	$174K	$166K	–	–	$58K	$197K	$162K	$162K	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Total	$451K	$608K	$610K	$429K	$383K	$460K	$599K	$568K	$583K	$297K	$482K	$536K	$545K	$530K	$496K	$451K

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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
Ena Services, Llc	$356K	$608K	$610K	$429K	$383K	$402K	$402K	$404K	$416K	$290K	$445K	$458K	$453K	$447K	$440K	$382K
Encore Technology Group. Llc	–	–	–	–	–	–	$197K	$162K	$162K	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Centurylink Centurytel Long Distance, Inc.	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$34K	–	$74K	$74K	–	–
Sprint (Local Telephone Division)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$2K	$4K	$6K	–	$60K	–	–	–	–
Education Networks Of America, Inc.	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Central Knox Inc	$95K	–	–	–	–	$58K	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Centurylink United Telephone-Southeast, Inc. (Fka Embarq)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	$50K	$62K

Recipient Demographics (latest profile)

Recipient	Address	City	Discount Rate	Students	NSLP	NSLP %	Urban/Rural
Carter County Finance Department	Suite 203 801 East Elk Ave 37643	Elizabethton	90%	–	–	–	—
Keenburg Elementary School	139 Keenburg Rd 37643	Elizabethton	85%	237	197	83%	Urban

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Recipient Demographics (latest profile) (continued)

Recipient	Address	City	Discount Rate	Students	NSLP	NSLP %	Urban/Rural
Little Milligan Elem School	4226 Highway 321 37640	Butler	90%	77	64	83%	Rural
Carter County Maintenance	508 E. D. Street 37643	Elizabethton	90%	–	–	–	—
Carter County School District Office Building	139 Keenburg Road 37643	Elizabethton	90%	–	–	–	—
Carter County Tech Building	1339 State Line Rd 37643	Elizabethton	90%	–	–	–	—
Central Elementary School	252 Taylor Town Rd 37601	Johnson City	90%	150	146	97%	Urban
Cloudland Elementary School	8540 Highway 19 E 37687	Roan Mountain	90%	248	240	97%	Rural
Cloudland High School	476 Cloudland Dr 37687	Roan Mountain	90%	242	235	97%	Rural
Hampton Elem & Middle Sch	408 Highway 321 37658	Hampton	90%	568	550	97%	Urban
Hampton High School	766 1st Ave 37658	Hampton	90%	307	298	97%	Urban
Happy Valley Elementary School	1840 Milligan Hwy 37601	Johnson City	90%	394	382	97%	Urban
Happy Valley High School	121 Warpath Ln 37643	Elizabethton	90%	425	412	97%	Urban
Happy Valley Middle School	163 Warpath Ln 37643	Elizabethton	90%	410	397	97%	Urban
Hunter Elementary School	145 Hope St 37643	Elizabethton	90%	571	553	97%	Urban
Siam Learning Center	Rr 1 Box 2965 37643	Elizabethton	90%	82	53	65%	Urban
Unaka Elementary School	1635 Highway 91 37643	Elizabethton	90%	89	87	98%	Urban
Unaka High School	919 Highway 91 37643	Elizabethton	90%	255	247	97%	Rural
Valley Forge Elementary School	1485 Riverview Dr 37643	Elizabethton	90%	154	149	97%	Urban

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Overview (FY1998–2009)

	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998
Total E-Rate Subsidies	$315K	$258K	$269K	$83K	$78K	$100K	$99K	$58K	$64K	$43K	$44K	$59K
Average Discount Rate	81%	81%	79%	79%	80%	79%	79%	78%	81%	75%	82%	75%
Schools & Libraries (in this area)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Service Providers	4	4	4	4	4	3	3	2	2	4	2	1
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	$64K	$64K	$57K	$48K	$56K	$47K	$47K	$47K	$47K	$43K	$44K	$59K
Internal Connections	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	$252K	$194K	$212K	$35K	$22K	$52K	$52K	$10K	$17K	—	—	—
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Managed Internal Broadband Services	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broadband Category 1	$315K	$258K	$269K	$83K	$78K	$100K	$99K	$58K	$64K	$43K	$44K	$59K
Equipment Category 2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
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Encore Technology Group. Llc	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Centurylink Centurytel Long Distance, Inc.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sprint (Local Telephone Division)	$60K	$60K	$55K	$46K	$51K	$45K	$44K	$47K	$47K	$43K	—	—
Education Networks Of America, Inc.	—	—	—	$35K	$22K	$52K	$52K	$10K	$17K	—	—	—
Central Knox Inc	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Centurylink United Telephone-Southeast, Inc. (Fka Embarq)	$749	$661	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	$44K	$59K

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