

Education Serv Ctr-Region 7

BILLED ENTITY 140696 • TEXAS – CENTRAL • FUNDING REPORT FY1998–2025

1909 North Longview St., Kilgore, TX 75662 • 170,177 students • 105,095 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	\$31K	\$31K	\$37K	\$37K	\$37K	\$47K	\$50K	\$59K	\$291K	\$368K	\$327K	\$521K	\$490K	\$508K
Average Discount Rate	–	80%	80%	80%	80%	80%	80%	80%	29%	52%	72%	78%	75%	76%	78%	74%
Schools & Libraries	–	5	5	5	5	5	5	–	5	5	–	–	–	–	–	–
Service Providers	–	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	12	14	12	12	12	11	11	11
Avg Download Speed (Mbps)	–	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	–	10,000	10,000	–	–	–	–	–	–
Avg Upload Speed (Mbps)	–	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	–	10,000	10,000	–	–	–	–	–	–

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	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	\$11K	\$22K	\$37K	–	–	–	–	–
Telecomm Services	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	\$253K	\$368K	\$327K	\$521K	\$490K	\$508K
Internal Connections	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	–	\$31K	\$31K	\$31K	\$37K	\$37K	\$37K	\$47K	\$39K	\$37K	–	–	–	–	–	–
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Managed Internal Broadband Services	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Broadband Category 1	–	\$31K	\$31K	\$31K	\$37K	\$37K	\$37K	\$47K	\$50K	\$59K	\$291K	\$368K	\$327K	\$521K	\$490K	\$508K
Equipment Category 2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Total	–	\$31K	\$31K	\$31K	\$37K	\$37K	\$37K	\$47K	\$50K	\$59K	\$291K	\$368K	\$327K	\$521K	\$490K	\$508K

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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
Windstream Communications, Llc	–	\$14K	\$14K	\$14K	\$29K	\$29K	\$29K	\$38K	\$39K	\$7K	\$781	\$1K	\$965	\$965	\$1K	\$1K
Southwestern Bell Telephone Company	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	\$1K	\$2K	\$3K	\$24K	\$27K	\$198K	\$207K	\$249K
Centurylink Central Telephone Co. Of Texas Fka Embarq	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	\$1K	\$2K	\$97K	\$160K	\$151K	\$119K	\$84K	\$72K
Verizon Southwest Inc.	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	\$4K	\$7K	\$11K	\$13K	\$14K	\$44K	\$45K	\$42K
Consolidated Communications Enterprise Services, Inc.	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	\$110	\$250	\$855	\$1K	\$1K	\$12K	\$14K	\$53K
Consolidated Communications Of Texas Company	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	\$58K	\$62K	\$38K	\$38K	\$38K	–
Tim Ron Enterprises, Llc	–	–	–	–	\$9K	\$9K	\$9K	\$8K	\$2K	\$35K	\$51K	\$54K	\$51K	–	–	–
At&T Corp.	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	\$70K	\$63K	\$59K
Sbc Long Distance, Llc	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Recipient Demographics (latest profile)																
Recipient	Address			City			Discount Rate			Students		NSLP		NSLP % Urban/Rural		
Elkhart Admin Office	301 E Parker St 75839			Elkhart			80%			–		–		– —		

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.

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Recipient Demographics (latest profile) (continued)

Recipient	Address	City	Discount Rate	Students	NSLP	NSLP %	Urban/Rural
Palestine Admin Office	1020 W Hamlett St 75803	Palestine	80%	—	—	—	—
Rusk Admin Office	440 Collins St 75785	Rusk	80%	—	—	—	—
Wells Admin Office	175 Bonita Street 75976	Wells	80%	—	—	—	—
Westwood Isd Admin Office	1701 W Point Tap Rd 75803	Palestine	80%	—	—	—	—

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Overview (FY1998–2009)

	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998
Total E-Rate Subsidies	\$310K	\$371K	\$344K	\$41K	\$58K	\$85K	\$86K	\$75K	\$82K	\$44K	\$158K	—
Average Discount Rate	74%	74%	72%	68%	68%	68%	68%	68%	67%	66%	69%	—
Schools & Libraries	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Service Providers	9	11	10	5	3	4	4	4	4	12	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	\$310K	\$371K	\$344K	\$41K	\$32K	\$60K	\$72K	\$59K	\$71K	\$38K	\$14K	—
Internal Connections	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$144K	—
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	—	—	—	—	\$26K	\$25K	\$15K	\$17K	\$11K	\$6K	—	—
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Managed Internal Broadband Services	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broadband Category 1	\$310K	\$371K	\$344K	\$41K	\$58K	\$85K	\$86K	\$75K	\$82K	\$44K	\$14K	—
Equipment Category 2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$144K	—
Total	\$310K	\$371K	\$344K	\$41K	\$58K	\$85K	\$86K	\$75K	\$82K	\$44K	\$158K	—

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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
Windstream Communications, LLC	\$1K	\$2K	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Southwestern Bell Telephone Company	\$229K	\$180K	\$132K	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$2K	—	—
Centurylink Central Telephone Co. Of Texas Fka Embarq	\$5K	\$5K	\$5K	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Verizon Southwest Inc.	\$40K	\$23K	\$31K	\$20K	\$19K	\$36K	\$40K	\$22K	\$29K	\$36K	\$14K	—
Consolidated Communications Enterprise Services, Inc.	\$15K	\$15K	\$19K	\$12K	\$12K	\$17K	\$18K	\$21K	\$28K	—	—	—
Consolidated Communications Of Texas Company	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tim Ron Enterprises, LLC	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
At&T Corp.	—	\$1K	\$1K	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sbc Long Distance, LLC	—	\$128K	\$139K	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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