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# Wetzel County School District

BILLED ENTITY 126734 · WEST VIRGINIA · FUNDING REPORT FY1998–2025

333 Foundry St, New Martinsville, WV 26155 · 2,313 students · 2,313 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 | $69K | $206K | $170K | $145K | $277K | $259K | $225K | $233K | $237K | $373K | $236K | $227K | $225K | $182K | $125K | $825K |
| Average Discount Rate | 88% | 87% | 88% | 90% | 86% | 86% | 90% | 37% | 59% | 57% | 67% | 76% | 76% | 76% | 75% | 76% |
| Schools & Libraries (in this area) | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Service Providers | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 7 | 7 | 10 |
| Avg Download Speed (Mbps) | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Avg Upload Speed (Mbps) | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 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 | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | $8K | $12K | $21K | $44K | – | – | – | – | – |
| Telecomm Services | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | $192K | $219K | $217K | $173K | $117K | $133K |
| Internal Connections | $69K | $61K | $25K | – | $132K | $117K | – | – | – | $152K | – | – | – | – | – | $685K |
| Data Transmission and/or Internet Access | – | $145K | $145K | $145K | $145K | $143K | $225K | $225K | $225K | $200K | – | $8K | $8K | $8K | $8K | $6K |
| Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Managed Internal Broadband Services | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| **Broadband Category 1** | – | $145K | $145K | $145K | $145K | $143K | $225K | $233K | $237K | $221K | $236K | $227K | $225K | $182K | $125K | $140K |
| **Equipment Category 2** | $69K | $61K | $25K | – | $132K | $117K | – | – | – | $152K | – | – | – | – | – | $685K |
| **Total** | $69K | $206K | $170K | $145K | $277K | $259K | $225K | $233K | $237K | $373K | $236K | $227K | $225K | $182K | $125K | $825K |

*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 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Frontier West Virginia Inc. | – | $145K | $145K | $145K | $145K | $143K | $225K | $231K | $233K | $211K | $223K | $201K | $200K | $109K | $36K | $21K |
| Advantage Technology | $69K | $61K | $25K | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Pomeroy It Solutions, Inc | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | $685K |
| Alpha Technologies Inc | – | – | – | – | $132K | $117K | – | – | – | $152K | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Gateway Telecom Llc, Dba Stratus Wave Communications | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | $46K | $64K | $72K |
| Citizens Mountain State Telephone Company | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | $22K |
| Verizon Wireless | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | $2K | $4K | $8K | $10K | $14K | $13K | $15K | $12K | $16K |

*Recipient Demographics (latest profile)*

| Recipient | Address | City | Discount Rate | Students | NSLP | NSLP % | Urban/Rural |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Central Office | 333 Foundry Street 26155 | New Martinsville | 90% | – | – | – | — |
| Hundred Heritage School | 3490 Hornet Highway 26575 | Hundred | 90% | 140 | 140 | 100% | Rural |
| Long Drain Elementary School | 3538 Long Drain Road 26585 | Metz | 85% | 189 | 189 | 100% | 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.

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*Recipient Demographics (latest profile) (continued)*

| Recipient | Address | City | Discount Rate | Students | NSLP | NSLP % | Urban/Rural |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Long Drain Elementary School-27580 | 3490 Hornet Highway 26575 | Hundred | 90% | – | – | – | — |
| Magnolia High School | 601 Maple Ave 26155 | New Martinsville | 90% | 336 | 336 | 100% | Rural |
| New Martinsville Middle School | 20 E Benjamin Dr 26155 | New Martinsville | 90% | 842 | 842 | 100% | Rural |
| Paden City Elementary School | 510 N 2nd Ave 26159 | Paden City | 90% | 131 | 131 | 100% | Rural |
| Paden City High School | 201 N 4th Ave 26159 | Paden City | 85% | 145 | 145 | 100% | Rural |
| Short Line Elementary School | 9817 Short Line Hwy 26167 | Reader | 90% | 358 | 358 | 100% | Rural |
| Valley High School | 44 Lumberjack Lane 26419 | Pine Grove | 90% | 172 | 172 | 100% | Rural |
| Wctec | 2213 Mountaineer Highway 26155 | New Martinsville | 90% | 0 | 0 | – | Rural |
| Wetzel County Bus Garage | Rr2 Box 54a 26155 | New Martinsville | 90% | – | – | – | — |

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*Overview (FY1998–2009)*

| | 2009 | 2008 | 2007 | 2006 | 2005 | 2004 | 2003 | 2002 | 2001 | 2000 | 1999 | 1998 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Total E-Rate Subsidies | $228K | $87K | $84K | $93K | $77K | $86K | $73K | $75K | $62K | $71K | $37K | $23K |
| Average Discount Rate | 77% | 74% | 74% | 78% | 72% | 76% | 78% | 71% | 71% | 75% | 72% | 78% |
| Schools & Libraries (in this area) | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Service Providers | 9 | 8 | 7 | 8 | 6 | 7 | 6 | 6 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 |
| 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 | $222K | $83K | $80K | $89K | $74K | $81K | $73K | $75K | $62K | $71K | $15K | $14K |
| Internal Connections | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | $7K |
| Data Transmission and/or Internet Access | $6K | $4K | $4K | $4K | $3K | $5K | – | – | – | – | $22K | $2K |
| Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Managed Internal Broadband Services | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| **Broadband Category 1** | $228K | $87K | $84K | $93K | $77K | $86K | $73K | $75K | $62K | $71K | $37K | $16K |
| **Equipment Category 2** | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | $7K |
| **Total** | $228K | $87K | $84K | $93K | $77K | $86K | $73K | $75K | $62K | $71K | $37K | $23K |

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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 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Frontier West Virginia Inc. | $56K | $53K | $53K | $61K | $47K | $40K | $35K | $33K | $23K | $30K | $15K | $8K |
| Advantage Technology | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Pomeroy It Solutions, Inc | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | $5K |
| Alpha Technologies Inc | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Gateway Telecom Llc, Dba Stratus Wave Communications | $127K | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Citizens Mountain State Telephone Company | $21K | $20K | $18K | $20K | $18K | $31K | $31K | $32K | $33K | $34K | $18K | $8K |
| Verizon Wireless | $14K | $6K | $5K | $4K | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |

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