

Classroom Dollars and Proposition 301 Results

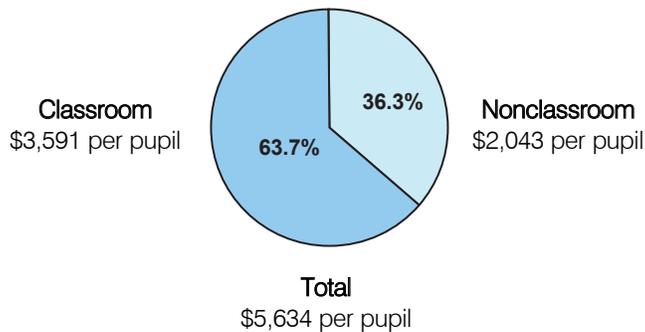
Chandler Unified School District

Maricopa County

District size: Very Large
 Students attending: 29,015
 Number of schools: 29
 Number of certified teachers: 1,455

Classroom Dollars

Fiscal year 2005

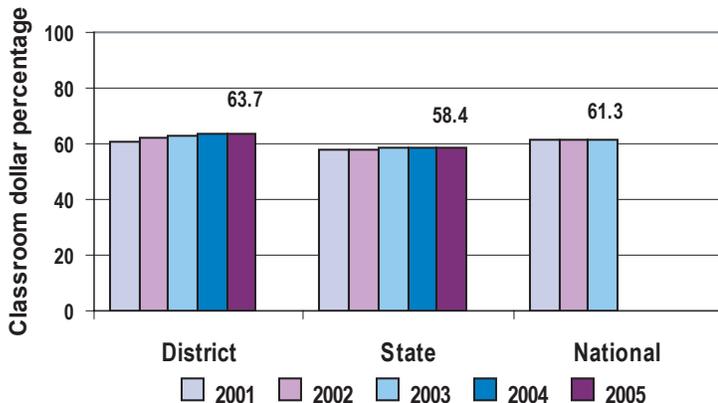


Comparative Information

	District			State
	2003	2004	2005	2005
Student/teacher ratio	19.7	20.9	19.9	18.3
Average teacher salary	\$43,963	\$43,126	\$43,391	\$39,095
Average years' experience	7.4	7.8	7.4	8.5

Classroom dollar ranking: 14 of 228 districts.

5-year comparison



Expenditures by function

	District					State	National
	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2005	2002
Classroom dollars	60.7	62.1	63.2	63.6	63.7	58.4	61.5
Nonclassroom dollars:							
Administration	9.3	8.9	8.5	8.2	8.1	9.5	11.1
Plant operations	11.3	10.6	10.2	10.2	9.9	11.4	9.5
Food service	5.1	5.0	4.9	5.2	5.2	4.8	4.0
Transportation	3.9	3.8	4.0	3.9	4.0	4.1	4.0
Student support	4.5	4.8	4.4	4.6	4.4	7.0	5.0
Instruction support	4.9	4.6	4.7	4.2	4.5	4.6	4.7
Other	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2

Proposition 301

District-reported 2005 results

Teacher pay

- On average, each teacher, librarian, speech pathologist, audiologist, and counselor earned between \$3,676 and \$4,009 in additional salary.

Performance

- The District accomplished its goals, which were similar to the prior fiscal year's goals and were based on school and individual performance.
- Schools were evaluated using student achievement on standardized tests and ADE ratings for AZ LEARNS.
- Most teachers completed required professional development courses and activities.

Menu

- About 38 percent of monies were used to increase eligible employee compensation.
- To reduce class sizes, the District employed 20.5 teachers and 47.5 instructional aides.
- Approximately 10,200 students and 355 teachers participated in AIMS intervention activities.
- Approximately 168 teachers participated in professional development activities.
- Approximately 9,300 students participated in dropout prevention activities, which resulted in students maintaining passing grades and earning credits toward graduation.