

Classroom Dollars and Proposition 301 Results

Palo Verde Elementary School District

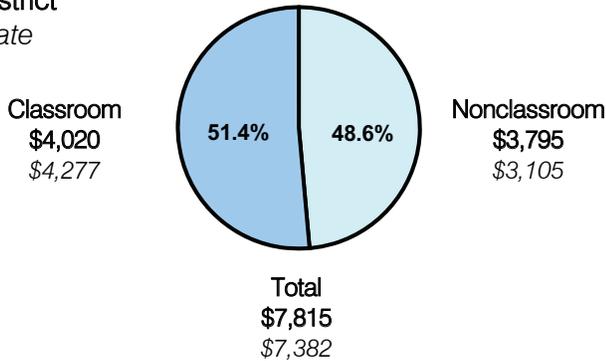
Maricopa County

District size: Small
 Students attending: 390
 Number of schools: 1
 Number of certified teachers: 21

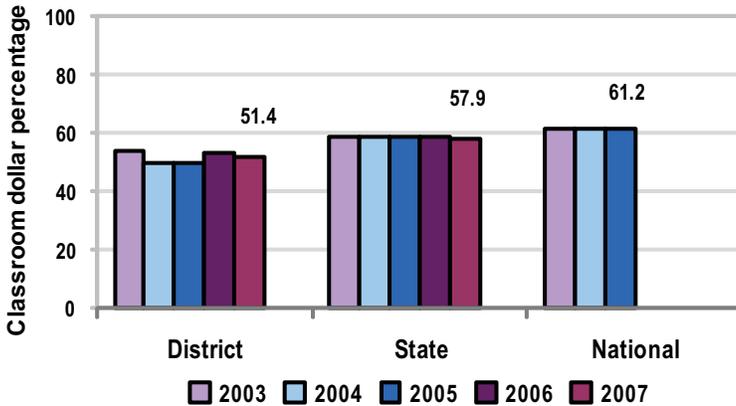
Classroom Dollars

Fiscal year 2007 averages per pupil

District
 State



5-year comparison



Expenditures by function

	District					State 2007	National 2005
	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007		
Classroom dollars	53.7	49.9	49.6	53.4	51.4	57.9	61.2
Nonclassroom dollars:							
Administration	15.8	15.8	15.7	15.0	17.8	9.5	11.0
Plant operations	11.8	12.1	12.5	11.2	10.9	11.3	9.6
Food service	6.1	6.6	6.5	6.2	6.4	4.7	3.9
Transportation	6.0	6.8	6.8	6.5	7.6	4.3	4.1
Student support	3.2	6.7	6.5	6.2	4.4	7.3	5.2
Instruction support	3.4	2.1	2.4	1.5	1.5	4.8	4.8
Other						0.2	0.2

Comparative Information

	District			State 2007
	2005	2006	2007	
Student/teacher ratio	17.6	19.0	18.6	17.4
Average teacher salary	\$33,855	\$42,878	\$42,364	\$43,833
Average years' experience	5.5	6.6	6.6	8.1

Classroom dollar ranking: 165 of 229 districts.

Proposition 301

District-reported 2007 results

Teacher pay

- On average, each teacher earned an additional \$4,155 in salary.

Performance

- The District accomplished its goals, which were the same as the prior fiscal year's goals and were based on school and individual performance.
- 70 percent of students had to improve their performance in language, math, and reading standardized test scores.
- Teachers received acceptable performance evaluations.
- Other goals were linked to student attendance and parent-student satisfaction.

Menu

- Monies continued to be used to employ 1 junior high school teacher to reduce class sizes.