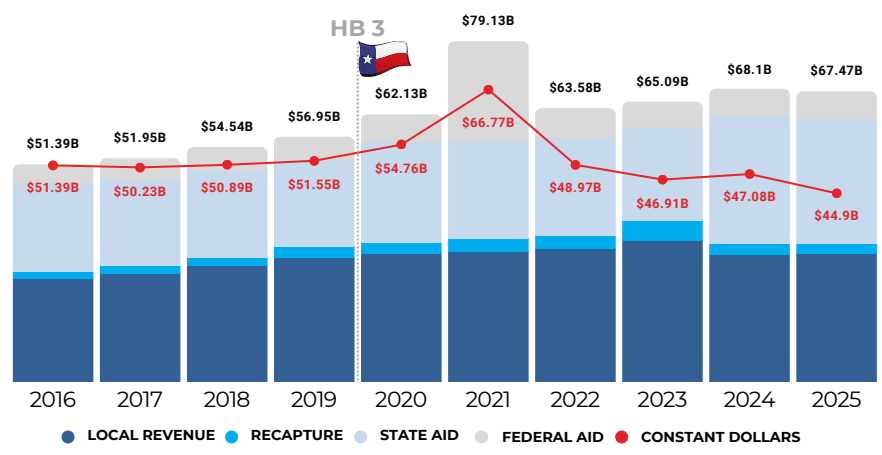


# FUND SCHOOLS FIRST

Urge lawmakers to increase public school funding

## TEXAS PUBLIC SCHOOLS NEED A \$1,340 INCREASE IN THE BASIC ALLOTMENT

TO MAKE UP FOR INFLATION SINCE 2020



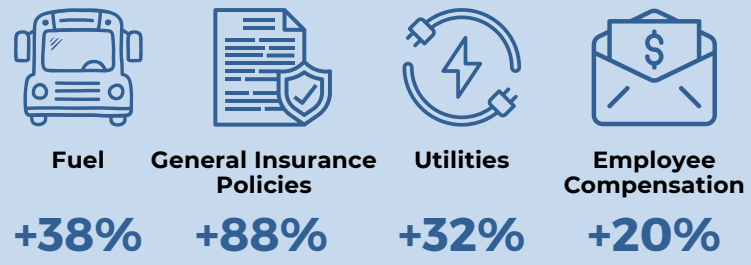
The **basic allotment** is the primary mechanism used to fund Texas public schools. Every increase in the basic allotment, triggers additional funding for **key programs** and **state priorities**.

A \$1,340 INCREASE WOULD PROVIDE EANES ISD WITH:

- \$4,800** AVERAGE TEACHER PAY RAISE
- \$1.5M** FOR SPECIAL EDUCATION
- \$150K** FOR SCHOOL SAFETY

Texas school districts, like businesses and families, are struggling with the impact of **HISTORIC INFLATION** and pressure to keep salaries competitive.

### INFLATIONARY INCREASES IN EANES ISD SINCE 2019:



IN 2024, EANES ISD COSTS EXCEEDED STATE FUNDING IN SEVERAL IMPORTANT AREAS:

- \$9.7M** Special Education
- \$2.2M** Transportation
- \$800K** Safety & Security

