DUNKIRK CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING
620 MARAUDER DRIVE
DUNKIRK, NEW YORK 14048

$58,770,000 PROPOSED 2024-2025 DISTRICT BUDGET PLAN

PUBLIC BUDGET HEARING DATE
TUESDAY, MAY 8, 2024 AT 6:00 PM
ANNUAL BUDGET VOTE AND SCHOOL BOARD ELECTION
TUESDAY, MAY 21, 2024 FROM 12:00 PM - 9:00 PM

Proposition 1:
- ☐ Approval of the Annual Budget

Proposition 2:
- ☐ Capital Project Facilities Renovations and Upgrades Project - $53,545,000

Proposition 3: (Requires approval of Proposition 2)
- ☐ Capital Project Athletic Facilities Upgrades Project - $5,285,000

Proposition 4: (Requires approval of Proposition 2 and Proposition 3)
- ☐ Capital Project District-Wide Cooling - All Buildings Project - $24,895,000

Proposition 5:
- ☐ Sale of 88-92 East 4th Street A/K/A Boorady Education Center for $160,000

Election of Board of Education Members

BOARD OF EDUCATION MEMBERS

Mr. Kenneth Kozlowski, President

Mrs. Claudia Szczerbacki, Vice President

Mrs. Betsy Ramos - Clerk

Mr. Lucas Catalano – Assistant Clerk

Mr. Marcus Buchanan

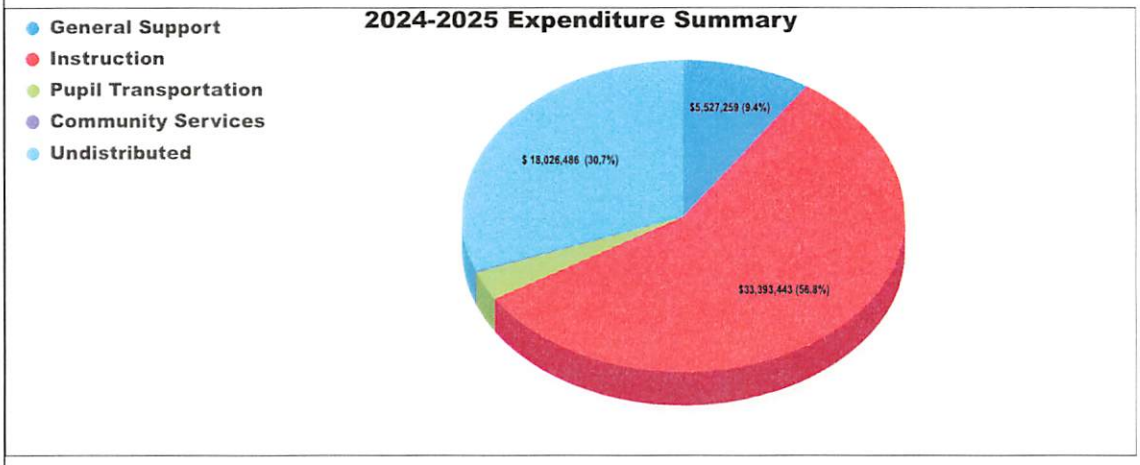
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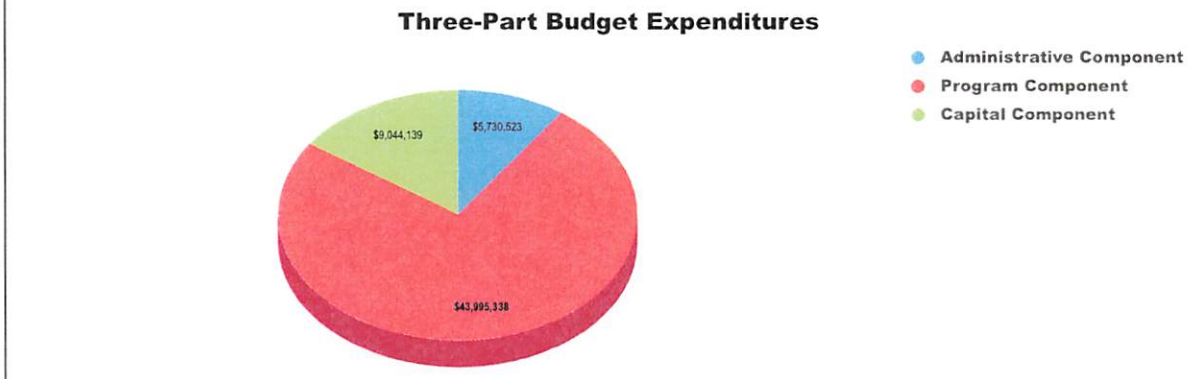
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DUNKIRK CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT PROPOSED BUDGET 2024-2025

		2023-2024		2024-2025		INCREASE/DECREASE	
Board of Education	$	15,710	$	15,710	$	-	0.00%
Central Administration	$	288,198	$	294,915	$	6,717	2.33%
Finance	$	410,146	$	436,841	$	26,695	6.51%
Staff	$	460,827	$	365,984	$	(94,843)	-20.58%
Central Services	$	3,714,884	$	3,720,505	$	5,621	0.15%
Special Items	$	655,848	$	693,305	$	37,457	5.71%
TOTAL GENERAL SUPPORT	**$**	**5,545,613**	**$**	**5,527,259**	**$**	**(18,354)**	**-0.33%**
Administration	$	2,028,221	$	1,869,226	$	(158,995)	-7.84%
Teaching	$	14,643,712	$	15,075,491	$	431,779	2.95%
Students w/Disabilites & ELL	$	8,762,679	$	10,191,714	$	1,429,035	16.31%
Special Schools	$	459,509	$	504,790	$	45,281	9.85%
Instructional Media	$	1,629,312	$	1,421,629	$	(207,683)	-12.75%
Pupil Services	$	4,039,178	$	4,330,593	$	291,415	7.21%
Transportation	$	1,514,444	$	1,734,178	$	219,734	14.51%
Community Service	$	85,838	$	88,634	$	2,796	3.26%
TOTAL INSTRUCTION	**$**	**31,562,611**	**$**	**33,393,443**	**$**	**1,830,832**	**5.80%**
TOTAL TRANSPORTATION	**$**	**1,514,446**	**$**	**1,734,179**	**$**	**219,733**	**14.51%**
TOTAL RECREATION	**$**	**85,837**	**$**	**88,634**	**$**	**2,797**	**3.26%**
TOTAL BENEFITS	**$**	**12,056,162**	**$**	**12,538,279**	**$**	**482,117**	**4.00%**
TOTAL DEBT SERVICE & INTERFUND TRANSFERS	**$**	**5,686,017**	**$**	**5,488,207**	**$**	**(197,810)**	**-3.48%**
TOTAL BUDGET	**$**	**56,450,685**	**$**	**58,770,000**	**$**	**2,319,315**	**4.11%**

					Change $	***% Total***
General Support		*$5,545,613*		*$5,527,259*	*$ (18,354)*	*9.4%*
Instruction		*$31,562,611*		*$33,393,443*	*$ 1,830,832*	*56.8%*
Pupil Transportation	*$*	*1,514,446*	*$*	*1,734,179*	*$ 219,733*	*3.0%*
Community Services	*$*	*85,837*	*$*	*88,634*	*$ 2,797*	*0.2%*
Undistributed	*$*	*17,742,179*	*$*	*18,026,486*	*$ 284,307*	*30.7%*
Total General Fund Budget	*$*	*56,450,685*	*$*	*58,770,000*	*$ 2,319,314*	*100.0%*





Dunkirk City School District Proposed School Budget 2024-2025					
	2023-2024 Budget	2024-2025 Proposed Budget	2024-2025 Administrative Portion	2024-2025 Program Portion	2024-2025 Capital Portion
Board of Education Members of the Board of Education are the elected representatives of the public who serve without pay as trustees of the school district. Included in this account are expenses incurred by the Board in the performance of their duties, for example, office supplies, necessary travel, and publications.	$4,560	$4,560	$4,560	$0	$0
District Meeting This portion of the budget provides the funds for the District/ Deputy Clerk, the annual school budget and district election of members of the Board of Education, including legal advertising and other printing expenses for School District election/votes.	$11,150	$11,150	$11,150	$0	$0
Central Administration The Board of Education employs the Superintendent of Schools to serve as the chief executive officer of the school district, responsible to the Board for the overall operation. Compensation for the Superintendent and clerical staff and office supplies, necessary travel, and publications are included.	$288,198	$294,915	$294,915	$0	$0
Business Administration The business administration office to coordinates the financial matters of the school district such as accounting, budgeting, purchasing, and payroll. Charged to this unit are expenses of the Business Office and staff including supplies, printing, publications, and equipment repairs.	$233,676	$264,501	$264,501	$0	$0
Audit and Treasurer Auditing services for the District include the annual independent audit as required by the State and Federal agencies. Included in this code are the expenses and fees of the independent auditor. The District Treasurer is annually appointed by the Board of Education and has the legal responsibility for the disbursement and receipt of all funds. Treasurer compensation is included herein.	$139,524	$133,030	$133,030	$0	$0
Tax Collector and Purchasing The tax collector works contractuallyfor the district and is responsible for the collection and auditing of school taxes. This account also includes funds for the printing and mailing of tax bills as well as supplies. Expenses for purchasing include BOCES cooperative bidding services.	$36,945	$39,310	$39,310	$0	$0
Legal and Personnel Legal counsel services provided to the District include negotiation and arbitration and BOCES Labor Relations Services. Personnel expenses are payroll preparation including BOCES services and Employee Assistance Program.	$361,186	$348,384	$348,384	$0	$0
Public Information Services This code covers the district's total expenses for all costs associated with the printing and mailing of the district's newsletter and a Public Relations and Grants coordinator (new position)	$99,641	$17,600	$17,600	$0	$0
Operations This section provides for the operation of the school buildings. Included are the costs for cleaning, heat, light and power, telephone, equipment and supplies. This area covers day-to-day operations.	$1,899,120	$1,966,461	$0	$0	$1,966,461
Maintenance This area provides for maintenance efforts to keep the buildings and grounds in good repair. Included are the costs of maintenance personnel, supplies and contracts for necessary repairs.	$1,104,389	$1,001,981	$89,415	$0	$912,566
Central Printing/Postage and Data Processing This code covers the district's expenses for printing and copying, all costs associated with mailings, and data processing fees for online computer services with BOCES.	$711,376	$752,062	$752,062	$0	$0

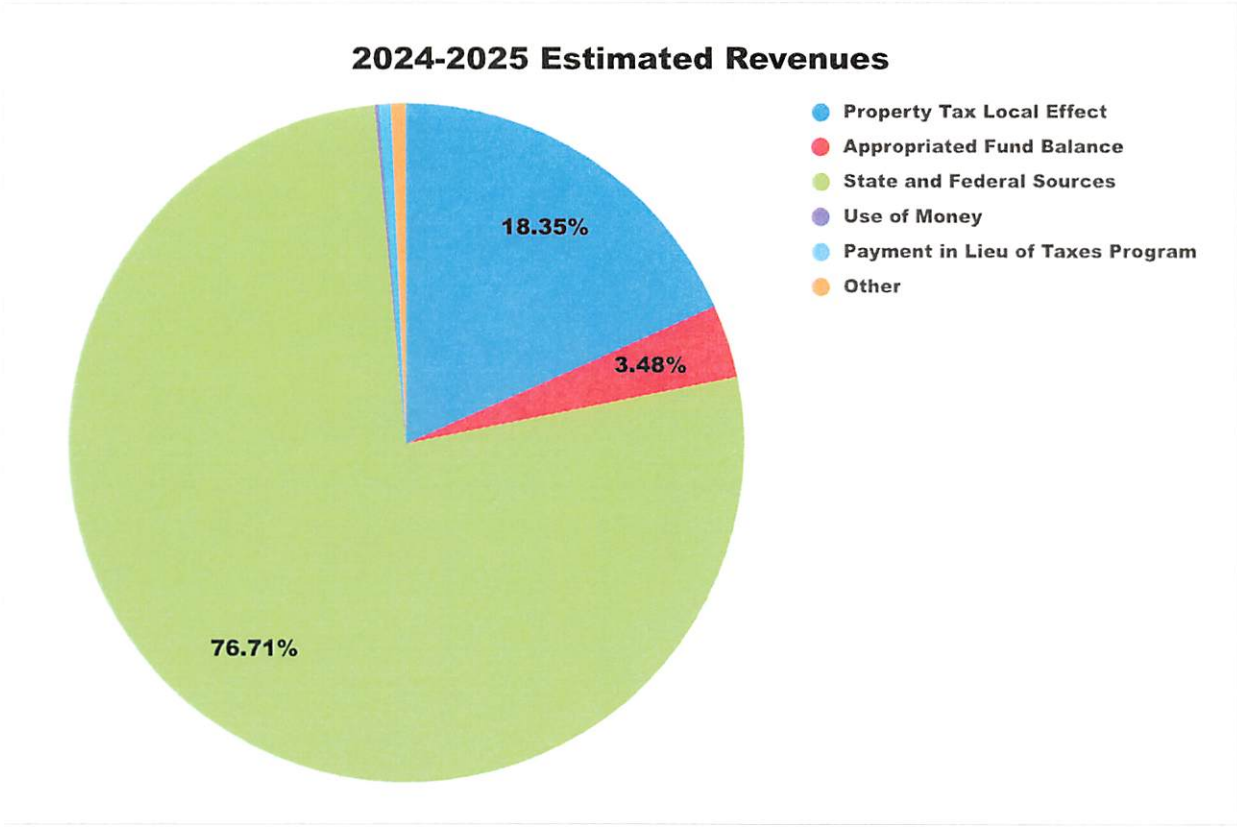
Dunkirk City School District Proposed School Budget 2024-2025					
	2023-2024 Budget	2024-2025 Proposed Budget	2024-2025 Administrative Portion	2024-2025 Program Portion	2024-2025 Capital Portion
Special Account Items This section provides expenses such as insurance for liability, student accidents, boiler and machinery and miscellaneous coverage. Includes BOCES Capital and administration, prorated among the school districts in the county as well as memberships in school associations.	$655,848	$693,305	$692,305	$0	$1,000
Instructional Administration The expenses of the building administrators and their clerical staff are charged to this account. Also included are necessary administrative equipment, supplies, equipment repairs, publications and conferences related to their offices.	$1,871,691	$1,723,309	$1,723,309	$0	$0
Staff Development This account is for the continued professional growth of the instructional and non-teaching personnel with workshops and curriculum development opportunities. Many changes and mandated necessitate increased growth opportunities. Included here are services through BOCES Staff Development.	$156,531	$145,916	$82,333	$63,583	$0
Teaching Teaching comprises the major portion of the budget. This includes salaries for teachers, department chairpersons, substitutes, equipment, supplies and textbooks. The account also includes expenses related to BOCES programs such as Occupational and Alternative Education.	$17,031,794	$17,690,299	$0	$17,690,299	$0
Special Education This function provides the staff, materials and equipment in the Special Education Program serving handicapped children both in Dunkirk and at BOCES.	$7,587,257	$8,883,911	$0	$8,883,911	$0
Special Schools This represents the district's summer school enrichment programs. Expenses include stipends for personnel, supplies, and instructional materials.	$459,509	$504,790	$0	$504,790	$0
Library and Audio Visual This code provides funds for the operation of the libraries. Expenditures consist of salaries of the librarians and staff, and library books, films, and library and audio visual supplies.	$278,346	$277,401	$0	$277,401	$0
Computer Instruction This function provides for computer assisted instruction and includes expenditures for computer software programs and services through BOCES.	$1,350,965	$1,144,228	$0	$1,144,228	$0
Attendance This code provides funds to promote and improve students' attendance. Expenditures include salaries of the attendance teacher, clerical staff, supplies and materials.	$62,189	$62,924	$0	$62,924	$0
Guidance The function of this unit is to help students select educational programs that best fit their needs and abilities, and to assist students and their parents in the selection of post-high school educational or occupational opportunities. The guidance program works with students and parents in overcoming any problems they may incur academically, socially, or emotionally. Expenditures include guidance counselor salaries, clerical staff, supplies, district testing, and conferences.	$615,784	$512,219	$0	$512,219	$0
Health This code includes the salaries of the school nurses, school doctor, and related staff, supplies, equipment and conferences.	$529,440	$594,774	$0	$594,774	$0
Psychological Services Psychological Services are rendered at all the schools of the district. Shown in this account are the expenditures incurred for psychologists in addition to professional books, subscription, testing and related office expenses.	$281,445	$287,125	$0	$287,125	$0
Social Work Services Shown in this account are the expenditures incurred for district social workers in addition to related materials and supplies.	$641,560	$792,591	$0	$792,591	$0

Dunkirk City School District Proposed School Budget 2024-2025					
	2023-2024 Budget	2024-2025 Proposed Budget	2024-2025 Administrative Portion	2024-2025 Program Portion	2024-2025 Capital Portion
Co-Curricular The function of this code is for all expenditures for approved non-athletic activities, such as class and student council advisors, senior play advisor, yearbook, and student newspaper.	$115,970	$88,705	$0	$88,705	$0
Athletics The function of this code is for all expenditures for athletics. Included are expenditures for athletic director and coaches salaries, equipment, fees for officials and game supervisors and athletic association dues.	$580,125	$685,250	$0	$685,250	$0
Transportation This category provides for transportation for all students. Expenditures include payments to the public carrier furnishing transportation pursuant to a written contract and transportation monitors, and diesel fuel.	$1,514,445	$1,734,178	$0	$1,734,178	$0
Recreation The function of this code is for expenditures for the district's swimming pool program which includes salaries for pool personnel and pool supplies and fitness center.	$85,837	$88,634	$0	$88,634	$0
Employee Benefits This code contains expenditures for New York Teachers Retirement System, NYS Employees Retirement System, Social Security, Worker's Compensation, and the district's share for health insurance.	$12,056,169	$12,538,280	$1,277,650	$10,484,725	$775,905
Debt Service Debt service includes the debts that the district maintains. Principal and interest payments are made on renovations of the High School, Middle School, and Elementary School buildings and energy performance contracts.	$5,336,017	$5,288,207	$0	$0	$5,288,207
Interfund Transfer Transfer to Special Aid - for Summer Handicapped Program.	$100,000	$100,000	$0	$100,000	$0
Transfer to Capital - the District proposes this transfer to complete a Capital Outlay Project addressing renovations to high School classrooms. Building Aid is payable the next fiscal year	$250,000	$100,000	$0	$0	$100,000
Totals	**$56,450,685**	**$58,770,000**	**$5,730,524**	**$43,995,338**	**$9,044,139**

2024-2025 Proposed Revenue Summary

	2023-2024	*2024-2025*	*CHANGE*
	$56,450,685	$58,770,000	$2,319,315
Real Property Tax Items	$10,783,026	$11,138,327	$355,301
Charges for Services	$171,500	$ 181,500	$10,000
Use of Money & Property	$119,000	$ 119,000	$0
Sale of Property	$25,400	$ 25,400	$0
Miscellaneous	$174,000	$ 179,000	$5,000
Interfund Revenues	$1,578	$ 1,578	$0
State and Federal Sources	$42,938,715	$45,081,655	$2,142,940
Fund Balance	$2,237,467	$ 2,043,540	-$193,927

Property Tax Local Effect	**$10,574,607**	**$10,786,099**	**18.35%**
Appropriated Fund Balance	**$2,237,467**	**$2,043,540**	**3.48%**
State and Federal Sources	**$42,938,715**	**$45,081,655**	**76.71%**
Use of Money	**$119,000**	**$119,000**	**0.20%**
Payment in Lieu of Taxes Program	**$188,419**	**$332,228**	**0.57%**
Other	**$392,478**	**$407,478**	**0.69%**
Total General Fund Revenue Budget	**$56,450,685**	**$58,770,000**	



Dunkirk City School District
Estimated Revenues 2024-2025

	2023-2024	2024-2025
Real Property Tax Items This section includes the tax levy, amounts received in lieu of taxes such as payments by the Dunkirk Housing Authority and the Chautauqua County Industrial Development Agency, and interest and penalties on real property taxes.	$10,783,026	$11,138,327
Charge for Services Recorded here are Adult Education and Summer School Tuition, game and pool admissions, health services provided to private schools, and reimbursement for the government share of the Jr. ROTC program.	$119,000	$119,000
Use of Money and Property Included here are interest earnings on deposits and investments, as well as rentals received for use of school property.	$171,500	$181,500
Sale of Property Revenue for the sale of scrap, sale of instructional supplies such as projects completed by the technology students, insurance recoveries received including reimbursement under Worker's Compensation Law, and compensation for loss and damages such as lost books and damage to district property.	$25,400	$25,400
Miscellaneous Included here are refunds of prior year's expenses and unclassified revenues such as reimbursement for photocopies, telephone reimbursement, and postage.	$174,000	$ 179,000
Recorded here are transfers from other funds for Reimbursement for indirect costs associated with State and Federal Projects, including a transfer from the Debt Service Fund.	$1,578	$1,578
State and Federal Sources Included are basic state aid and lottery, BOCES, textbook, library loan and computer software aids, and QSCB and Medicaid reimbursements.	$42,938,715	$45,081,655
Fund Balance A portion of the unreserved fund balance, which is estimated to be available to reduce real property taxes [$3,698,161] is included here. There is no anticipation for the use of reserves. A summary of the District's audited reserve position is attached.	$2,237,467	$2,043,540
TOTALS	**$56,450,685**	**$58,770,000**

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March 29, 2024

Capital Outlay Project 2024-2025
Intermediate School
Dunkirk City School District
Dunkirk, New York
LaBella Project No. 2241676

Estimate of Probable Construction Costs

A. **Replace Guidance Area RTU** $ 60,000

Replace existing rooftop unit, pump, and hot water heating coil.
Disconnect and reconnect power and fire alarm.
Modify ductwork as required.
Replace controls and rebalance systems.

B. **Replace Fan Coil Unit (Tech Shop) -ALTERNATE 1** $ 10,000

Replace existing fan coil hot water heating coil.
Replace controls and rebalance systems.

C. **Replace Fan Coil Hot Water Coil (Cafeteria) -ALTERNATE 2** $ 11,000

Remove existing hot water coil. Repair outside air dampers.
Provide new hot water coil and controls.

Subtotal, Base Bid construction	$ 60,000
General Conditions o/p	$ 12,000
Design and Bid Contingency	$ 10,800
Escalation (Summer 2025)	$ 3,400
^INCIDENTAL COST ALLOWANCE	$ 13,800
TOTAL- PROJECT, SAY	**$ 100,000**

(^ Incidental allowance to include A/E fees, furniture and/or equipment, bond counsel, legal, fees, insurances and testing during construction)

School District Budget Notice

Overall Budget Proposal	Budget Adopted for the 2023-24 School Year	Budget Proposed for the 2024-25 School Year	Contingency Budget for the 2024-25 School Year *
Total Budgeted Amount, Not Including Separate Propositions	$ 56,450,685	$58,770,000	$58,418,532
Increase/Decrease for the 2024-25 School Year		$2,319,315	$1,967,847
Percentage Increase/Decrease in Proposed Budget		4.11 %	3.48%
Change in the Consumer Price Index		4.12%	
A. Proposed Levy to Support the Total Budgeted Amount	$10,574,607	$10,786,099	
B. Levy to Support Library Debt, if Applicable	$ 0	$ 0	
C. Levy for Non-Excludable Propositions, if Applicable **	$ 0	$ 0	
D. Total Tax Cap Reserve Amount Used to Reduce Current Year Levy	$ 0	$ 0	
E. Total Proposed School Year Tax Levy (A + B + C - D)	$10,574,607	$10,786,099	$10,434,631
F. Total Permissible Exclusions	$ 38,830	$ 67,973	
G. School Tax Levy Limit, Excluding Levy for Permissible Exclusions	$10,698,337	$10,773,233	
H. Total Proposed School Year Tax Levy, Excluding Levy to Support Library Debt and/or Permissible Exclusions (E – B – F + D)	$10,574,607	$10,718,126	
I. Difference: G – H (Negative Value Requires 60.0% Voter Approval – See Note Below Regarding Separate Propositions) **	$ 162,560	$ 55,107	
Administrative Component	$ 6,099,690	$5,730,523	$5,730,523
Program Component	$41,121,773	$43,995,338	$43,855,170
Capital Component	$ 9,229,222	$9,044,139	$8,832,839

* Contingent Budget rules for 2024-2025 budget would require a flat tax levy and the elimination of "non-contingent" expenditures if the proposed budget be defeated pursuant to Section 2023 of the Education Law. Reductions would be required to adhere to a cap on administrative appropriations ($0), Capital Outlay Project transfers ($100,000), certain equipment ($229,197) community use of school buildings ($22,271). In a contingency budget, ordinary contingent expenses are determined by the Board of Education.

Description	Amount
District Facilities Renovations and Upgrades Project	$53,545,000
Athletic Facilities Upgrades Project	$ 5,285,000
District-Wide Cooling - All Buildings Project	$24,895,000
Sale of 88-92 East 4th Street A/K/A Boorady Education Center	

** List Separate Propositions that are not included in the Total Budgeted Amount: (Tax Levy associated with educational or transportation services propositions are not eligible for exclusion and may affect voter approval requirements)

	Under the Budget Proposed for the 2024-25 School Year
Estimated Basic STAR Exemption Savings[1]	$500

The annual budget vote for the fiscal year 2024-2025 by the qualified voters of the Dunkirk City School District, Chautauqua County, New York, will be held at the High School in said district on Tuesday, May 21, 2024 between the hours of 12:00 PM and 9:00 PM, prevailing time in the AUXILIARY GYM, at which time the polls will be opened to vote by voting ballot or machine

Entity Name DUNKIRK CITY SD
BEDS Code 060800
Claim Year 2023-2024 SET VALUES

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District Name: DUNKIRK CITY SD
Contact Person: DEBRA MCAVOY

District Code: 060800
Telephone: (716) 366-9300
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Property Tax Report Card

******Please use Chrome or Firefox browsers when entering the Business Portal to complete the PTRC. Internet Explorer is NOT recommended.*******

Note: Some data elements of the Property Tax Report Card have been revised or renamed to more closely follow the Property Tax Cap calculations districts complete on the Office of the State Comptroller website. Please see the Help text above for definitions. Additional guidance on the Property Tax Levy Limit is available on the Office of Educational Management Services website: http://www.p12.nysed.gov/mgtserv/propertytax/taxcap/.

Please also submit an electronic version (PDF or Word) of your school district's 2024-25 Budget Notice to: emscmgts@nysed.gov. This will enable us to help correct any formula or data entry discrepancy quickly.

Notice: The Enacted Budget allows school districts to establish a reserve fund for NYS Teachers' Retirement System Contributions, effective immediately. This reserve, if applicable, should be reported in the Schedule of Reserves under 'Other Reserve' and with a description that says: "To fund employer retirement contributions to the New York State Teachers' Retirement System (TRS.)"

Form Due - April 29, 2024

Form Preparer Name: DEBRA MCAVOY
Preparer's Telephone Number: 716/366-9300

Shaded Fields Will Calculate	Budgeted 2023-24 (A)	Proposed Budget 2024-25 (B)	Percent Change (C)
Total Budgeted Amount, not including Separate Propositions	56,450,685	58,770,000	4.11 %
A. Proposed Tax Levy to Support the Total Budgeted Amount[1]	10,574,607	10,786,099	
B. Tax Levy to Support Library Debt, if Applicable			
C. Tax Levy for Non-Excludable Propositions, if Applicable[2]			
D. Total Tax Cap Reserve Amount Used to Reduce Current Year Levy, if Applicable			
E. Total Proposed School Year Tax Levy (A+B+C-D)	10,574,607	10,786,099	2.00 %
F. Permissible Exclusions to the School Tax Levy Limit	38,830	67,973	
G. School Tax Levy Limit, Excluding Levy for Permissible Exclusions[3]	10,698,337	10,841,206	
H. Total Proposed Tax Levy for School Purposes, Excluding Permissible Exclusions and Levy for Library Debt, Plus Prior Year Tax Cap Reserve (E-B-F+D)	10,535,777	10,718,126	
I. Difference: (G-H);(negative value requires 60.0% voter approval)[2]	162,560	123,080	
Public School Enrollment	2,045	2,076	1.52 %
Consumer Price Index			4.12 %

[1] Include any prior year reserve for excess tax levy, including interest.

[2] Tax levy associated with educational or transportation services propositions are not eligible for exclusion under the School Tax Levy Limit and may affect voter approval requirements.

[3] For 2024-25, includes any carryover from 2023-24 and excludes any tax levy for library debt or prior year reserve for excess tax levy, including interest.

	Actual 2023-24 (D)	Estimated 2024-25 (E)
Adjusted Restricted Fund Balance	19,593,829	10,034,939
Assigned Appropriated Fund Balance	2,553,393	2,043,540
Adjusted Unrestricted Fund Balance	2,230,000	2,258,027
Adjusted Unrestricted Fund Balance as a Percent of the Total Budget	3.95 %	3.84 %

Schedule of Reserve Funds

Reserve Type	Reserve Name	Reserve Description *	3/31/24 Actual Balance	6/30/24 Estimated Ending Balance	Intended Use of the Reserve in the 2024-25 School Year (Limit 200 Characters)**

Note: Be sure to click on the Save button at the bottom after each additional Reserve you add under Capital, Property Loss, Liability, or Other Reserve.

Capital + (add)	CAPITAL RESERVE	For the cost of any object or purpose for which bonds may be issued.	9,066,132	15,000	TRANSFERRED TO CAPITAL FOR PROJECT
Repair		For the cost of repairs to capital improvements or equipment.			
Workers Compensation		For self-insured Workers Compensation and benefits.			
Unemployment Insurance	UNEMPLOYMENT	For reimbursement to the State Unemployment Insurance Fund.	1,300,281	335,000	TRANSFERRED TO CAPITAL RESERVE
Reserve for Tax Reduction		For the gradual use of the proceeds of the sale of school district real property.			
Mandatory Reserve for Debt Service	DEBT SERVICE	For proceeds from the sale of district capital assets or improvement, restricted to debt service.	23,982	23,982	PAY DOWN CURRENT DEBT
Insurance		For liability, casualty, and other types of uninsured losses.			
Property Loss + (add)		To cover property loss.			
Liability + (add)		To cover incurred liability claims.			
Tax Certiorari		For tax certiorari settlements.			
Reserve for Insurance Recoveries		For unexpended proceeds of insurance recoveries at fiscal year end.			
Employee Benefit Accrued Liability	EMPLOYEE	For accrued 'employee benefits' due to employees upon termination of service.	333,089	350,842	NO PLANS FOR USE IN 2024-2025
Retirement Contribution	RETIREMENT	For employer retirement contributions to the State and Local Employees' Retirement System.	8,097,455	8,523,225	NO PLANS FOR USE IN 2024-2025
Reserve for Uncollected Taxes		For unpaid taxes due certain city school districts not reimbursed by their city/county until the following fiscal year.			
Single Other Reserve + (add)	TRS RESERVE		772,890	786,890	NO PLANS FOR USE IN 2024-2025

* **NYSED Reserve Guidance: http://www.p12.nysed.gov/mgtserv/accounting/docs/reserve_funds.pdf**

OSC Reserve Guidance: http://osc.state.ny.us/localgov/pubs/listacctg.htm#reservefunds

****Provide a brief, but specific, statement of the planned use and appropriation for the reserve in SY 2024-25. Mention any capital expenditures that will need to be voted upon in the upcoming Budget Vote.**

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Dunkirk City School District
Reserve History

t Audited Financial Statement Data Reserves	6/30/2015	6/30/2016	6/30/2017	6/30/2018	6/30/2019	6/30/2020	6/30/2021	6/30/2022	6/30/2023	Estimated 6/30/2024
Employee Retirement	$6,239,732	$6,880,332	$8,778,019	$8,795,617	$8,301,706	$8,344,368	$8,353,983	$8,757,803	$8,870,345	$9,310,115
Unemployment	$4,186,260	$4,187,091	$6,084,778	$6,086,511	$6,084,267	$5,113,240	$5,119,132	$3,769,931	$1,300,281	$335,000
Employee Benefits	$325,971	$326,037	$326,037	$326,166	$326,166	$328,410	$328,789	$328,860	$333,089	$350,842
Tax Certiorari	$3,779,220	$3,779,971	$3,779,971	$3,231,480	$3,236,905	$1,250,596	$251,797	$0	$0	$0
Repair Reserve	$100,014	$150,036	$200,036	$250,110	$300,572	$301,990	$302,338	$302,404	$0	$0
Debt Service		$23,479	$23,479	$23,484	$23,527	$23,646	$23,673	$23,678	$23,982	$23,982
Capital									$4,001,553	$0
Capital	$265,349	$265,395	$265,395	$265,501	$265,990	$1,268,961	$0	$5,000,135	$5,064,579	$15,000
Total Restricted	$14,896,546	$15,612,341	$19,457,715	$18,978,869	$18,539,133	$16,631,211	$14,379,712	$18,182,811	$19,593,829	$10,034,939
Unassigned	$1,683,443	$1,624,562	$1,737,200	$1,829,135	$1,768,630	$1,487,180	$2,334,661	$2,000,071	$2,220,000	$2,258,027
Sub Total	**$16,579,989**	**$17,236,903**	**$21,194,915**	**$20,808,004**	**$20,307,763**	**$18,118,391**	**$16,714,373**	**$20,182,882**	**$21,813,829**	**$12,292,966**
Designated	$3,176,857	$3,640,894	$1,977,201	$2,455,124	$3,884,284	$6,355,221	$5,663,788	$3,698,161	$2,237,467	$2,043,540
Appropriated Reserves	$ -	$ -	$ -	$535,566	$260,000	$260,000	$0	$0	$0	$0
Encumbrances	$84,938	$83,614	$57,288	$21,589	$73,237	$414,339	$438,790	$362,525	$345,000	$368,000
Total	$19,841,784	$20,961,411	$23,229,404	$23,820,283	$24,525,284	$25,147,951	$22,816,951	$24,243,568	$24,396,296	$14,704,506

RESERVE FUNDS THAT MAY BE USED BY NEW YORK SCHOOL DISTRICTS

Reserve Name/ Account Code	Legal Citation	Purpose	Established By:	Funding Source(s)	Expenditures	Duration	Restrictions
Retirement Contribution Reserve Fund (A 827) ERS (A 828) TRS	GML §6-r	To fund employer retirement contributions. I.e. any portion of the amount(s) payable by an eligible school district to the NY State and Local Employees' Retirement System (ERS). Effective April 12, 2019, a sub-fund may be established to fund TRS expenditures	BOE Resolution (Not available to school districts in a city of 125,000 or more)	1.Budgetary appropriations or other funds that may be legally appropriated 2.Revenue not restricted by law to be paid to another fund or account 3.Transfers from Tax Certiorari, Capital or Repair Reserves subject to public hearing requirements	Separate BOE authorization required to spend from this reserve, unless included in the original budget	No Limit	Transfers from or back to other reserve funds require a public hearing with 15 days' notice published in official newspaper(s). This not required when transferring between ERS and TRS sub-funds. ERS sub-fund does not have a limit, but the TRS sub-fund does. TRS sub-fund is limited to annual contributions of 2% of the prior year's covered TRS salaries with a maximum, including interest earnings, of 10% of the prior year's covered TRS salaries. Sub-funds need to be separately accounted for
Workers Compensation Reserve Fund (A 814)	GML §6-j	To fund Workers Compensation expenses, related medical expenses and self-insurance administrative costs	BOE Resolution	Budgetary appropriations or other funds that may be legally appropriated	Separate BOE authorization required to spend from this reserve, unless included in the original budget	No Limit BOE may terminate if district no longer self-insures	Districts that self-insure may establish reserve. Funds remaining at the end of each school year, in excess of requirement to pay all pending claims, may be transferred, within 60 days of the close of the school year, to other reserve funds or applied to budgetary appropriations for new school year
Unemployment Insurance Reserve (A 815)	GML §6-m	To pay the cost of reimbursement to the State Unemployment Insurance Fund for payments made to claimants where the school district uses the benefit reimbursement method	BOE Resolution	Budgetary appropriations or other funds that may be legally appropriated or funds from other reserves authorized in the GML., or Ed Law subject to permissive referendum	Separate BOE authorization required to spend from this reserve, unless included in the original budget	No Limit BOE may terminate if district converts to "tax contribution" method of funding	If district converts to "tax contribution" funding mechanism, balance exceeding the amount necessary to pay all outstanding claims may be transferred, to any other reserve fund(s) authorized by GML or Ed Law §3651. Excess funds remaining at end of any school year may be transferred, within 60 days of the close of that school year , to other reserve fund(s) or applied to budgetary appropriations for the new school year
Repair Reserve (A 882)	GML §6-d	For repairs to capital improvements or equipment not recurring annually or at shorter intervals	BOE Resolution	Budgetary appropriations or other funds that may be legally appropriated Voter approval is required to fund this reserve	Public hearing required (except in an emergency) before spending from this reserve	No Limit	Reserve must be repaid in equal installments over next two school yrs if expenses are made without holding a public hearing. Emergency spending requires 2/3 majority vote of BOE. Legal notice required 5 days in advance of hearing. Unneeded balance may be transferred to Capital, Tax Certiorari or Retirement Contribution Reserves
Insurance Reserve Fund (A 863)	GML §6-n	To pay liability, casualty and other types of losses, except those incurred for which the following types of insurance may be purchased life, accident, health, workers' compensation, annuities, fidelity and surety, credit, title residual value and mortgage guarantee or to make payments in lieu of unemployment insurance contributions	BOE Resolution (Not available to school districts in a city of 125,000 or more)	Budgetary appropriations or other funds that may be legally appropriated or funds from other reserves authorized in the GML., subject to permissive referendum	Separate BOE authorization required to spend from this reserve, unless included in the original budget	No Limit.	Annual contribution(s) limited to greater of $33,000 or 5% of the budget. No limit on accumulated reserve balance. Cannot use $ for any purpose covered by another special reserve. Judicial approval is required to pay settled or compromised claims over $25,000. Should BOE terminate this reserve, remaining funds in excess of incurred or accrued liabilities may be transferred to any other reserve fund authorized by the GML or Ed Law §3651. Individual Insurance Reserve Funds need to be separately accounted for

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Reserve Name/ Account Code	Legal Citation	Purpose	Established By:	Funding Source(s)	Expenditures	Duration	Restrictions
Property Loss Reserve (A 861) Liability Reserve (A 862)	Ed. Law §1709 (8-c) (school districts) 1950 (4) (cc) (BOCES)	To pay for property loss & liability claims incurred	BOE Resolution	Budgetary appropriations or other funds that may be legally appropriated	Separate BOE Resolution required to spend, unless included in the original budget (See restrictions)	3% of the annual budget	Annual contribution(s) limited to greater of $15,000 or 3% of the budget Separate funds required for property loss and liability claims $ deposited cannot be used for another purpose w/o voter approval except BOE may use $ not required to settle pending claims, to purchase insurance policies to cover losses previously self-insured. Balances may not be reduced below amounts required to settle all pending claims
Employee Benefits and Accrued Liabilities Reserve (A 867)	GML §6-p	To pay accrued benefits due employees upon termination of service for vacation, sick leave, personal leave etc	BOE Resolution (Not available for school districts in a city of 125,000 or more)	Budgetary appropriations or other funds that may be legally appropriated or funds from other reserves authorized in the GML, subject to permissive referendum	Separate BOE authorization required to spend from this reserve, unless included in the original budget	No Limit	Upon termination by BOE, balance not required to satisfy all incurred or accrued liabilities may be transferred to any other reserve fund(s) authorized in the General Municipal Law or Education Law §3651 May not be used to fund health or other post-retirement benefits.
Tax Certiorari Reserve (A 864)	Ed Law §3651(1-a)	To pay judgments & claims in tax certiorari proceedings per RPTL, Article 7	BOE Resolution	Budgetary appropriations or other funds that may be legally appropriated Monies held in reserve may not exceed amount necessary to meet anticipated judgments & claims	Separate BOE authorization required to spend from this reserve, unless included in the original budget	No Limit	Money not expended for judgments & claims in the year deposited, must be returned to General Fund on or before 1st day of the 4th school yr after deposit of such monies into the reserve unless claim(s) are still open and not finally determined or otherwise terminated or disposed of after the exhaustion of all appeals
Mandatory Reserve for Debt Service (A 884) (V 884)	GML §6-l	To cover debt service payments on outstanding obligations (bonds, BANS) after the sale of district capital assets or improvements	BOE Resolution BOE must establish if conditions met	Proceeds from the sale of capital assets and improvements as defined in GML § 6-c Includes but not limited to land, buildings, equipment and vehicles	Through budgetary appropriations for debt service only or to retire outstanding obligations	Terminates once outstanding obligations are repaid	Applicable State or Federal Aid must also be deposited into the reserve fund if proceeds from sale are not enough to repay all outstanding obligations Proceeds of sale in excess of indebtedness may be expended for any other lawful district purpose
Reserve for Tax Reduction (A 916)	Ed Law §1604(36) §1709(37)	To allow for the gradual use of proceeds from the sale of district real property	BOE Resolution	Proceeds from the sale of real property in excess of what is required to repay outstanding debt (Bonds, BANS)	Money from reserve to be appropriated annually over ten or fewer yrs to offset tax levy	Up to ten yrs	Proceeds of sale of district real property must be placed in Mandatory Reserve for Debt Service in amount necessary to retire all outstanding obligations before BOE may establish Reserve for Tax Reduction
Capital Reserve (A 878)	Ed Law §3651	To pay the cost of any object or purpose for which bonds may be issued	Voter approval needed except for small city school districts with a population of 125,000 or more (only BOE needed in this case) Certain districts in Adirondack Park need approval of Comm of Education and State Comptroller to establish	Proposition(s) put before voters must specify purpose(s), ultimate $ amount(s) to be deposited into reserve(s), probable term(s) or life/lives and source(s) of funds to be deposited into the reserve(s)	Voter approval required to spend from these reserve(s) Annual appropriation(s) to fund reserve(s) require voter approval Eligible small city schools need BOE approvals	Limited to term or life approved by voters	Purpose must be specific i.e to purchase school buses Total exp over life of each reserve may not exceed voter-approved maximum Funds may be transferred to other reserves only with voter approval Voter approval required to terminate reserve before specified expiration date Remaining funds must first be applied to district's outstanding bonded indebtedness and secondarily to reduce the tax levy Voters may extend term only before end date Reserve(s) defunct after term(s) expire, except to spend remaining funds w/ voter approval

NOTE: Reserve for Inventory (A 845) may be established to limit maximum investment in inventory and to restrict that portion of fund balance, which is not available for appropriation.

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Total Assessed Value 560,012,225

Equalized Total Assessed Value 1,043,018,688

School District - 060300 Dunkirk Csd

Exemption Code	Exemption Name	Statutory Authority	Number of Exemptions	Total Equalized Value of Exemptions	Percent of Value Exempted
10110	O/S SPEC DIST - SEWER OR WATER	RPTL 410-a	7	5,568,181	0.53
12100	NYS - GENERALLY	RPTL 404(1)	58	9,592,538	0.92
12200	NYS TEACHERS RETIREMENT SYSTEI	RPTL 404(3)	2	1,665,490	0.16
13100	CO - GENERALLY	RPTL 406(1)	30	6,380,701	0.61
13350	CITY - GENERALLY	RPTL 406(1)	214	37,921,896	3.64
13440	CITY O/S LIMITS - SEWER OR WAT	RPTL 406(3)	2	224,681	0.02
13500	TOWN - GENERALLY	RPTL 406(1)	7	86,471	0.01
13650	VG - GENERALLY	RPTL 406(1)	4	4,312,941	0.41
13800	SCHOOL DISTRICT	RPTL 408	24	36,575,919	3.51
14110	USA - SPECIFIED USES	STATE L 54	2	1,686,364	0.16
18020	MUNICIPAL INDUSTRIAL DEV AGENC	RPTL 412-a	37	58,649,238	5.62
18040	URBAN REN: OWNER-MUNICIPALITY	GEN MUNY 506	13	99,456	0.01
21600	RES OF CLERGY - RELIG CORP OWN	RPTL 462	1	124,909	0.01
25110	NONPROF CORP - RELIG(CONST PRO	RPTL 420-a	65	27,659,999	2.65
25120	NONPROF CORP - EDUCL(CONST PRC	RPTL 420-a	3	4,195,426	0.40
25130	NONPROF CORP - CHAR (CONST PRO	RPTL 420-a	18	5,531,141	0.53
25210	NONPROF CORP - HOSPITAL	RPTL 420-a	1	4,902	0.00
25300	NONPROF CORP - SPECIFIED USES	RPTL 420-b	18	9,995,064	0.96
25600	NONPROFIT HEALTH MAINTENANCE C	RPTL 486-a	2	23,828,363	2.28
25900	SYSTEM CODE	STATUTORY AUTH NOT DEFINED	36	1,302,289	0.12
26050	AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY	RPTL 450	6	1,771,648	0.17
26100	VETERANS ORGANIZATION	RPTL 452	9	1,910,481	0.18
26300	INTERDENOMINATIONAL CENTER	RPTL 430	1	225,273	0.02
26400	INC VOLUNTEER FIRE CO OR DEPT	RPTL 464(2)	9	2,167,468	0.21
27350	PRIVATELY OWNED CEMETERY LAND	RPTL 446	4	758,396	0.07
28540	NOT-FOR-PROFIT HOUS CO - HOSTE	RPTL 422	5	605,454	0.06
30300	SOLAR OR WIND ENERGY SYSTEM	RPTL 487	1	405,882	0.04
41400	CLERGY	RPTL 460	3	8,181	0.00
41700	AGRICULTURAL BUILDING	RPTL 483	2	86,059	0.01
41720	AGRICULTURAL DISTRICT	AG-MKTS L 305	32	1,060,581	0.10
41730	AGRIC LAND-INDIV NOT IN AG DIS	AG MKTS L 306	3	212,936	0.02
41800	PERSONS AGE 65 OR OVER	RPTL 467	65	2,419,457	0.23
41805	PERSONS AGE 65 OR OVER	RPTL 467	2	193,809	0.02

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Exemption Code	Exemption Name	Statutory Authority	Number of Exemptions	Total Equalized Value of Exemptions	Percent of Value Exempted
41834	ENHANCED STAR	RPTL 425	1,005	82,905,059	7.95
41854	BASIC STAR 1999-2000	RPTL 425	1,132	43,757,092	4.20
42120	TEMPORARY GREENHOUSES	RPTL 483-c	1	11,373	0.00
44316	RESIDENTIAL INVESTMENT IN CERT	RPTL 485-h,i, & j	3	130,060	0.01
47610	BUSINESS INVESTMENT PROPERTY P	RPTL 485-b	2	476,420	0.05
50000	SYSTEM CODE	STATUTORY AUTH NOT DEFINED	21	9,699,820	0.93
50004	SYSTEM CODE	STATUTORY AUTH NOT DEFINED	1	382,353	0.04
Total Exemptions Exclusive of System Exemptions:			**2,829**	**374,511,598**	**35.91**
Total System Exemptions:			**22**	**10,082,173**	**0.97**
Totals:			**2,851**	**384,593,771**	**36.87**

Values have been equalized using the Uniform Percentage of Value. The Exempt amounts do not take into consideration, payments in lieu of taxes or other payments for municipal services.

Amount, if any, attributable to payments in lieu of taxes: _____

Dunkirk City School District
Contingent Budget
2024-2025

Contingent Budget Calculation

2024-2025 Proposed Levy		$10,786,099
2023-2024 Levy		$10,574,607
Amount to reduce Proposed Budget in Contingency		$211,492
Proposed Budget 2024-2025		$58,770,000
	LESS: Capital Outlay Project	$100,000
	LESS: Equipment	$229,197
	LESS: Community Use	$22,271
	LESS: Administrative Cap Cuts	$0
Contingent Budget		$58,418,532

Capital Outlay Project transfers [$100,000], certain equipment [$229,197], community use [$22,271] plus adherence to a cap on administrative appropriations (0%) of the Contingent Budget less Capital component. In a contingent budget, ordinary contingent expenses are determined ordinary contingent expenses are determined by the Board of Education.

Administrative Salary Disclosure Information
2024-2025

Superintendent of Schools

Annual Salary	$180,000.00
Annualized Cost of Benefits:	$60,051.28
TRS Contribution @ 10.25% of Salary	$19,121.12
Contribution to Health/Prescription	$25,962.06
SocialSecurity/Unemployment/Life/WorkersComp	$14,968.10
Other Renumeration - 403(b) and Unused Vacation	$6,547.50

DUNKIRK CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT - NEW YORK STATE REPORT CARD [2020 - 21]

The New York State Report Card is an important part of the Board of Regents' effort to create educational equity and raise learning standards for all students. Knowledge gained from the report card on a school's or district's strengths and weaknesses can be used to improve instruction and services to students. The report card provides information to the public on school/district staff, students, and measures of school and district performance as required by the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA). Fundamentally, ESSA is about creating a set of interlocking strategies to promote educational equity by providing support to districts and schools as they work to ensure that every student succeeds. New York State is committed to ensuring that all students succeed and thrive in school no matter who they are, where they live, where they go to school, or where they come from.

Due to COVID-19 and changes to New York State testing, accountability, and federal reporting requirements, 2021-22 district and school accountability statuses are the same as those assigned for the 2020-21 school year. For informational purposes, accountability graduation rates and chronic absenteeism data are reported. August 2020, January 2021, and some June 2021 Regents examinations were canceled. For more information, please see the NYSED Waiver Memorandum and NYS Board of Regents Announcement.

2021-22 ACCOUNTABILITY STATUS

Due to COVID-19 and changes to New York State accountability and federal reporting requirements, 2021-22 district and school accountability statuses are the same as those assigned for the 2020-21 school year.

TARGET DISTRICT

ELEMENTARY/MIDDLE STATUSES BY SUBGROUP

Due to COVID-19 and changes to New York State accountability and federal reporting requirements, 2021-22 district and school accountability statuses are the same as those assigned for the 2020-21 school year.

Subgroup	Status
All Students	Good Standing
Black or African American	Targeted Support and Improvement
Hispanic or Latino	Targeted Support and Improvement
Multiracial	Good Standing: Potential Target District
White	Good Standing
English Language Learners	Good Standing
Students with Disabilities	Good Standing: Potential Target District
Economically Disadvantaged	Good Standing

SECONDARY STATUSES BY SUBGROUP

Due to COVID-19 and changes to New York State accountability and federal reporting requirements, 2021-22 district and school accountability statuses are the same as those assigned for the 2020-21 school year.

Subgroup	Status
All Students	Comprehensive Support and Improvement
Black or African American	Good Standing
Hispanic or Latino	Targeted Support and Improvement
White	Good Standing
English Language Learners	Good Standing
Students with Disabilities	Targeted Support and Improvement
Economically Disadvantaged	Targeted Support and Improvement

SECONDARY GRADUATION RATE

Accountability graduation rate data are provided for informational purposes only in 2020-21 and are not used to make district or school accountability status determinations for the 2021-22 school year.

Subgroup	Cohort	Number In Cohort	Number Graduated	Grad Rate
All Students	4-Year	180	133	73.9%
	5-Year	176	132	75%
	6-Year	160	117	73.1%
American Indian or Alaska Native	4-Year	0	–	–
	5-Year	5	–	–
	6-Year	2	–	–
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	4-Year	2	–	–
	5-Year	1	–	–
	6-Year	0	–	–
Black or African American	4-Year	25	–	–
	5-Year	23	–	–
	6-Year	27	–	–
Hispanic or Latino	4-Year	88	57	64.8%
	5-Year	82	49	59.8%
	6-Year	91	63	69.2%
Multiracial	4-Year	6	–	–
	5-Year	4	–	–
	6-Year	2	–	–
White	4-Year	76	64	84.2%
	5-Year	74	67	90.5%
	6-Year	56	44	78.6%
English Language Learners	4-Year	36	18	50%
	5-Year	32	12	37.5%
	6-Year	32	14	43.8%
Students with Disabilities	4-Year	30	15	50%
	5-Year	45*	18	40%
	6-Year	39*	16	41%

Subgroup	Cohort	Number In Cohort	Number Graduated	Grad Rate
Economically Disadvantaged	4-Year	119	87	73.1%
	5-Year	103	73	70.9%
	6-Year	93	63	67.7%

*Not enough students were in this subgroup in the current reporting year, so data for the current and the previous reporting year were combined.

NATIONAL ASSESSMENT OF EDUCATION PROGRESS (NAEP) RESULTS (2018-19)

National Assessment of Education Progress (NAEP) are reported for ***statewide*** (New York State) and ***national*** results only. District- and school-level results are ***not*** reported for NAEP.

NEW YORK STATE NAEP GRADE 4

	READING				MATH			
SUBGROUP	BELOW BASIC	BASIC	PROFICIENT	ADVANCED	BELOW BASIC	BASIC	PROFICIENT	ADVANCED
All Students	34%	31%	26%	8%	24%	40%	29%	8%
Students with Disabilities	73%	18%	7%	1%	61%	30%	7%	2%
American Indian or Alaska Native	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Asian	21%	27%	34%	17%	8%	23%	43%	26%
Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Black or African American	53%	31%	14%	2%	43%	40%	16%	1%
Hispanic or Latino	45%	32%	19%	4%	33%	45%	19%	2%
White	24%	32%	33%	11%	14%	39%	38%	9%
Multiracial	24%	23%	35%	18%	15%	42%	31%	12%
English Language Learners	78%	17%	4%	•	51%	40%	8%	1%
Economically Disadvantaged	49%	31%	17%	3%	33%	43%	21%	3%

NEW YORK STATE NAEP GRADE 8

	READING				MATH			
SUBGROUP	BELOW BASIC	BASIC	PROFICIENT	ADVANCED	BELOW BASIC	BASIC	PROFICIENT	ADVANCED
All Students	30%	38%	28%	4%	34%	32%	22%	11%
Students with Disabilities	58%	31%	10%	1%	72%	22%	5%	2%
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Asian	21%	33%	36%	10%	15%	25%	29%	31%
Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Black or African American	43%	38%	17%	1%	55%	30%	12%	3%
Hispanic or Latino	41%	38%	19%	2%	49%	35%	14%	3%
White	20%	39%	35%	6%	23%	33%	29%	15%
Multiracial	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
English Language Learners	83%	16%	1%	*	88%	10%	2%	*
Economically Disadvantaged	40%	38%	20%	2%	47%	32%	16%	5%

*There are not sufficient data for this subgroup.

NEW YORK STATE NAEP PARTICIPATION RATES

	Grade 4 Participation Rate		Grade 8 Participation Rate	
	READING	MATH	READING	MATH
All Students	89%	89%	84%	85%
Students with Disabilities	87%	87%	92%	95%
English Language Learners	89%	90%	88%	90%

NATIONAL NAEP GRADE 4

	READING				MATH			
SUBGROUP	BELOW BASIC	BASIC	PROFICIENT	ADVANCED	BELOW BASIC	BASIC	PROFICIENT	ADVANCED
All Students	35%	31%	26%	9%	20%	40%	32%	9%
Students with Disabilities	70%	18%	9%	2%	51%	33%	14%	3%
American Indian or Alaska Native	50%	30%	17%	3%	32%	43%	22%	4%
Asian	18%	25%	35%	22%	7%	23%	41%	29%
Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	45%	31%	20%	4%	30%	40%	24%	5%
Black or African American	53%	30%	15%	3%	35%	45%	18%	2%
Hispanic or Latino	46%	31%	19%	4%	27%	45%	24%	3%
White	24%	31%	32%	12%	12%	36%	40%	12%
Multiracial	28%	32%	29%	11%	17%	40%	34%	10%
English Language Learners	65%	25%	8%	1%	41%	43%	15%	1%
Economically Disadvantaged	48%	31%	18%	3%	29%	45%	23%	3%

NATIONAL NAEP GRADE 8

	READING				MATH			
SUBGROUP	BELOW BASIC	BASIC	PROFICIENT	ADVANCED	BELOW BASIC	BASIC	PROFICIENT	ADVANCED
All Students	28%	39%	29%	4%	32%	35%	23%	10%
Students with Disabilities	64%	27%	8%	1%	68%	23%	7%	2%
American Indian or Alaska Native	40%	41%	19%	1%	48%	37%	13%	3%
Asian	13%	30%	43%	13%	12%	24%	31%	33%
Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	38%	38%	23%	2%	47%	34%	15%	4%
Black or African American	47%	39%	14%	1%	54%	33%	11%	2%
Hispanic or Latino	38%	40%	20%	1%	43%	37%	16%	3%
White	19%	39%	36%	5%	21%	36%	30%	13%
Multiracial	24%	40%	31%	5%	28%	36%	25%	11%
English Language Learners	73%	24%	3%	•	73%	22%	4%	1%
Economically Disadvantaged	40%	40%	18%	1%	46%	36%	15%	3%

*There are not sufficient data for this subgroup.

NATIONAL NAEP PARTICIPATION RATES

	Grade 4 Participation Rate		Grade 8 Participation Rate	
	READING	MATH	READING	MATH
All Students	93%	93%	91%	92%
Students with Disabilities	89%	90%	90%	92%
English Language Learners	94%	95%	92%	93%

EXPENDITURES PER PUPIL (2020-21)

For detailed information, please see Financial Transparency Report.

	Pupil Count	Federal		State & Local		Total	
		Expenditures	Expenditures Per Pupil	Expenditures	Expenditures Per Pupil	Expenditures	Expenditures Per Pupil
Statewide	2,531,787	$4,030,706,303	$1,592	$55,385,642,661	$21,876	$59,416,348,964	$23,468

Data are not available for this school/district.

STAFF QUALIFICATIONS (2020-21)

INEXPERIENCED TEACHERS AND PRINCIPALS

	TEACHERS			PRINCIPALS		
	Total	# Inexperienced	% Inexperienced	Total	# Inexperienced	% Inexperienced
THIS DISTRICT	179	28	16%	6	2	33%
STATEWIDE	211,325	38,610	18%	4,638	1,076	23%
STATEWIDE HIGH-POVERTY SCHOOLS	47,841	14,204	30%	1,088	210	19%
STATEWIDE LOW-POVERTY SCHOOLS	66,967	7,848	12%	1,188	255	21%

TEACHERS TEACHING OUT OF THEIR SUBJECT OR FIELD OF CERTIFICATION

	Total	TEACHERS TEACHING OUT OF THEIR SUBJECT/FIELD OF CERTIFICATION	
		#	%
THIS DISTRICT	178	21	12%
STATEWIDE	200,953	17,511	9%
STATEWIDE HIGH-POVERTY SCHOOLS	43,817	7,705	18%
STATEWIDE LOW-POVERTY SCHOOLS	63,959	1,132	2%

TOTAL COHORT GRADUATION RATE (2020-21)

Graduation Rate data are for students who first entered grade 9, four years prior to this reporting year. Graduates are as of August following the close of the reporting year. Click on High School Graduation Rate Data report to see district and state comparisons and to filter on gender, ethnicity, and other student subgroups or by 5- and 6-year graduation rates.

Subgroup	Total	GRAD RATE		REGENTS WITH ADVANCED DESIGNATION		REGENTS DIPLOMA		LOCAL DIPLOMA		NON DIPLOMA CRED		STILL ENROLLED		GED TRANSFER		DROPOUT	
		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
All Students	145	104	72%	36	25%	68	47%	0	0%	0	0%	32	22%	0	0%	9	6%
Female	68	55	81%	23	34%	32	47%	0	0%	0	0%	11	16%	0	0%	2	3%
Male	77	49	64%	13	17%	36	47%	0	0%	0	0%	21	27%	0	0%	7	9%
General Education Students	125	93	74%	36	29%	57	46%	0	0%	0	0%	25	20%	0	0%	7	6%
Students with Disabilities	20	11	55%	0	0%	11	55%	0	0%	0	0%	7	35%	0	0%	2	10%
American Indian or Alaska Native	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	0	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Black or African American	8	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Hispanic or Latino	71	46	65%	9	13%	37	52%	0	0%	0	0%	18	25%	0	0%	7	10%
White	62	50	81%	25	40%	25	40%	0	0%	0	0%	11	18%	0	0%	1	2%
Multiracial	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Economically Disadvantaged	85	65	76%	12	14%	53	62%	0	0%	0	0%	13	15%	0	0%	7	8%
Not Economically Disadvantaged	60	39	65%	24	40%	15	25%	0	0%	0	0%	19	32%	0	0%	2	3%
English Language Learner	17	10	59%	0	0%	10	59%	0	0%	0	0%	3	18%	0	0%	4	24%
Non-English Language Learner	128	94	73%	36	28%	58	45%	0	0%	0	0%	29	23%	0	0%	5	4%
In Foster Care	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Not In Foster Care	144	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Homeless	7	3	43%	1	14%	2	29%	0	0%	0	0%	2	29%	0	0%	2	29%
Not Homeless	138	101	73%	35	25%	66	48%	0	0%	0	0%	30	22%	0	0%	7	5%

Subgroup	Total	GRAD RATE		REGENTS WITH ADVANCED DESIGNATION		REGENTS DIPLOMA		LOCAL DIPLOMA		NON DIPLOMA CRED		STILL ENROLLED		GED TRANSFER		DROPOUT	
		#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Migrant	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Not Migrant	142	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Parent In Armed Forces	0	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Parent Not In Armed Forces	145	104	72%	36	25%	68	47%	0	0%	0	0%	32	22%	0	0%	9	6%

CIVIL RIGHTS DATA COLLECTION (CRDC) (2017-18)

Civil Right Data Collection (CRDC) data are reported to the United States Department of Education by districts and include data on measures of school quality, climate, and safety as well as enrollment in preschool programs and accelerated coursework to earn postsecondary credit. For more information, visit the CRDC homepage.

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Awarding of Multi Year Bid for Pupil Transportation –

WHEREAS, sealed bids for transportation of students from Dunkirk City School District for three distinct contract scenarios, Contract #1 (regular school year - home to school), Contract #2 (athletics and field trips), and Contract #3 (summer school - home to school), were duly advertised, received, and publicly opened at 3*:00 pm on Wednesday, March 27th, 2024, and*

WHEREAS, bids from the following were received for Contract #1 (home to school):

1) First Student Inc., Fredonia NY
2) No other bidders.

CONTRACT #1 (regular school year – home to school)					
65/66 Passenger					
	2024-25	**2025-26**	**2026-27**	**2027-28**	**2028-29**
Yearly Increase		**2.50%**	**2.50%**	**2.50%**	**2.50%**
2 Hours	383	392.58	402.39	412.45	422.76
2.5 Hours	383	392.58	402.39	412.45	422.76
3 Hours	383	392.58	402.39	412.45	422.76
3.5 Hours	383	392.58	402.39	412.45	422.76
4 Hours	383	392.58	402.39	412.45	422.76
Excess	50	51.25	52.53	53.84	55.19

Note: Dunkirk City Schools operates 13 primary routes. The cost of the primary bussing based on the above bids would be as follows for a typical daily expense (2 hours morning and 2 hours afternoon) and the annual cost projected out over the course of the five-year agreement:

	2024-25	**2025-26**	**2026-27**	**2027-28**	**2028-29**
Yearly Increase		**2.50%**	**2.50%**	**2.50%**	**2.50%**
4 Hours	$ 383.00	$ 392.58	$ 402.39	$ 412.45	$ 422.76
Annual	$ 896,220.00	$ 918,637.20	$ 941,592.60	$ 965,133.00	$ 989,258.40

WHEREAS, bids from the following were received for Contract #2 (athletics and field trips):

1) First Student Inc., Fredonia NY
2) No other bidders.

CONTRACT #2 – (athletic and field trips)					
In-District					
65/66 Passenger					
	2024-25	**2025-26**	**2026-27**	**2027-28**	**2028-29**
Yearly Increase		**2.50%**	**2.50%**	**2.50%**	**2.50%**

Driving Rate per hour	$ 56.38	$ 57.78	$ 59.23	$ 60.71	$ 62.23
Waiting Rate per hour	$ 56.38	$ 57.78	$ 59.23	$ 60.71	$ 62.23
30/35 Type C					
Driving Rate per hour	$ 56.38	$ 57.78	$ 59.23	$ 60.71	$ 62.23
Waiting Rate per hour	$ 56.38	$ 57.78	$ 59.23	$ 60.71	$ 62.23
7 Passenger					
Driving Rate per hour	$ 56.38	$ 57.78	$ 59.23	$ 60.71	$ 62.23
Waiting Rate per hour	$ 56.38	$ 57.78	$ 59.23	$ 60.71	$ 62.23
Out-of-District					
65/66 Passenger					
	2024-25	**2025-26**	**2026-27**	**2027-28**	**2028-29**
Driving Rate per hour	$ 56.38	$ 57.78	$ 59.23	$ 60.71	$ 62.23
Waiting Rate per hour	$ 56.38	$ 57.78	$ 59.23	$ 60.71	$ 62.23
Cost Per Mile over 25 Miles	$ 1.79	$ 1.84	$ 1.88	$ 1.93	$ 1.98
30/35 Type C					
Driving Rate per hour	$ 56.38	$ 57.78	$ 59.23	$ 60.71	$ 62.23
Waiting Rate per hour	$ 56.38	$ 57.78	$ 59.23	$ 60.71	$ 62.23
Cost Per Mile over 25 Miles	$ 1.79	$ 1.84	$ 1.88	$ 1.93	$ 1.98
7 Passenger					
Driving Rate per hour	$ 56.38	$ 57.78	$ 59.23	$ 60.71	$ 62.23
Waiting Rate per hour	$ 56.38	$ 57.78	$ 59.23	$ 60.71	$ 62.23
Cost Per Mile over 25 Miles	$ 1.79	$ 1.84	$ 1.88	$ 1.93	$ 1.98

WHEREAS, bids from the following were received for Contract #3 (summer transportation - home to school):

1) First Student Inc., Fredonia NY
2) No other bidders.

CONTRACT #3 (summer transportation – home to school)					
65/66 Passenger					
	2024	**2025**	**2026**	**2027**	**2028**
Yearly Increase		**2.50%**	**2.50%**	**2.50%**	**2.50%**
2 Hours	383	392.58	402.39	412.45	422.76
2.5 Hours	383	392.58	402.39	412.45	422.76
3 Hours	383	392.58	402.39	412.45	422.76
Excess	50	51.25	52.53	53.84	55.19

WHEREAS, an analysis of the bids based on the specifications and low price indicate that First Student., be awarded the bid(s) as follows:

1) Contract #1 (regular school year – home to school), First Student Inc., Fredonia NY.
2) Contract #2(athletics and field trips), First Student Inc., Fredonia NY.
3) Contract #3 (summer transportation – home to school), First Student Inc., Fredonia NY.

RESOLVED, upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools that the above transportation contracts be awarded for five consecutive school years as listed: 2024-2025, 2025-2026, 2026-2027, 2027-2028, 2028-2029 at the daily rates and annual increases as bid. The contract will commence on July 1st 2024 and cease on June 30th 2029.