



Did You Know?

School Budgets and Their Impact *Making Tax Dollars Work for Kansas Students*

\$161.8M

SOURCES & DISTRIBUTION OF REVENUE

Kansas public schools receive funding from federal (13.8%), state (55.8%) & local (30.4%) sources, each serving different needs. Total revenue for SPS for 2024-2025 was \$161.8M.

PROPERTY TAXES PLAY A VITAL ROLE IN SUPPORTING OUR STUDENTS

In 2024-2025, a house appraised at \$150,000 in Saline County generated \$781 in property taxes — helping fund classrooms, teachers, and resources that shape the future of our students.



YOUR TAX DOLLARS HELP FUND STRONG SCHOOLS

SPS's total mill levy is 55.3 mills, supporting essential programs, classrooms, teachers, and facilities.

HIGH QUALITY TEACHERS AND STAFF MATTER

In 2024-2025, budgeted employee salaries and benefits (\$111.5M) exceeded the general fund (\$59.9M), showing our commitment to attracting and retaining quality staff.



5 Funds

FUNDING STUDENT SUCCESS

Locally we levy taxes for 5 funds, each with a specific purpose, to ensure resources for students and schools: the General Fund, Local Option Budget (LOB), Capital Outlay, Bond & Interest, and Adult Education.

LEVERAGING TODAY'S RESOURCES FOR TOMORROW'S LEADERS

SPS ensures that resources are allocated to support classrooms, teachers, facilities, and student opportunities.

