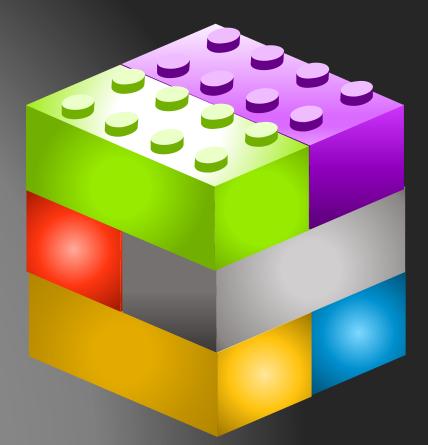




Mass General Law Chapter 70

Massachusetts General Law Chapter 70, section 1

"It is the intention of the general court, subject to appropriation, to assure fair and adequate minimum per student funding for public schools in the commonwealth by defining a foundation budget and a standard of local funding effort applicable to every city and town in the commonwealth."



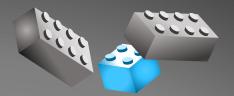




Chapter 70 state aid

State funding for education





What is needed to educate a child?

Building the base foundation rate

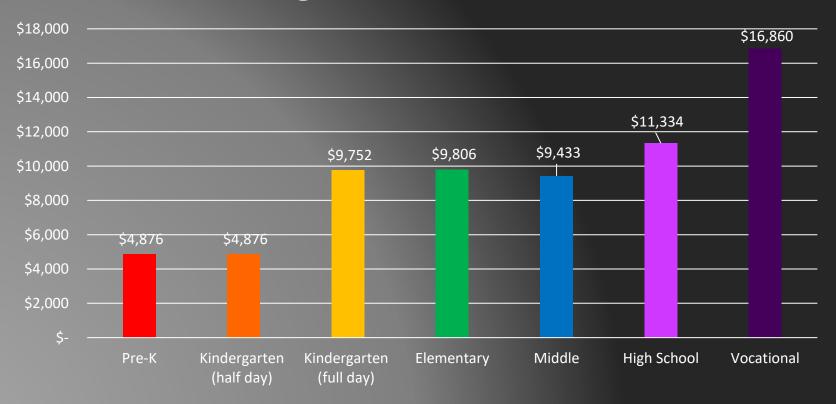
What it takes to educate a child comes together to create the base foundation rate for each child in Massachusetts. These functional areas together build the base foundation rate by grade.







Foundation budget rates: FY25

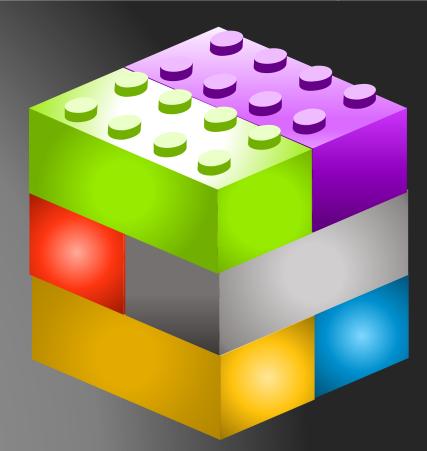




Increments above foundation

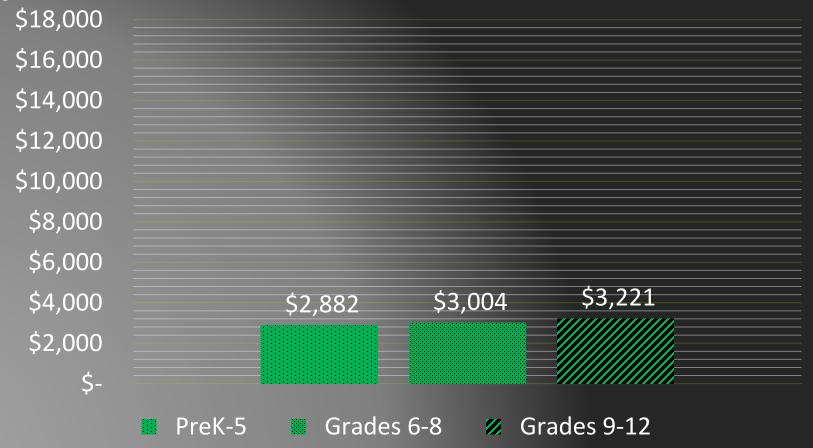
To this base foundation amount, the state adds an increment:

- For English learners
- For low income students

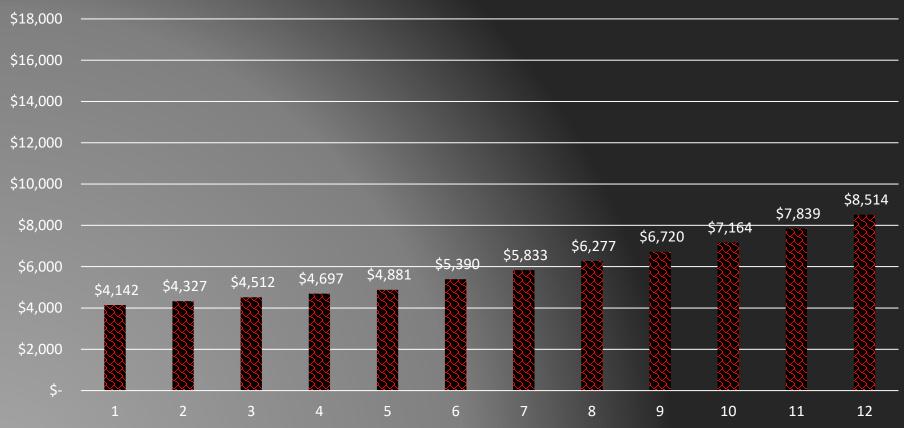




English learners increment: FY25

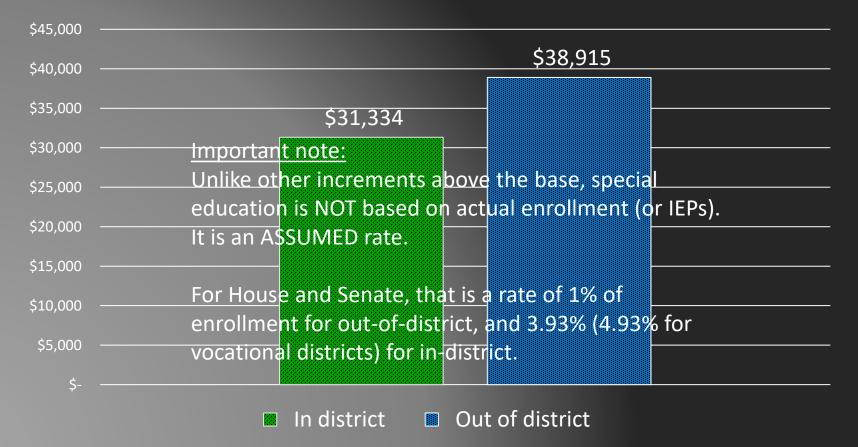


Low income: FY25



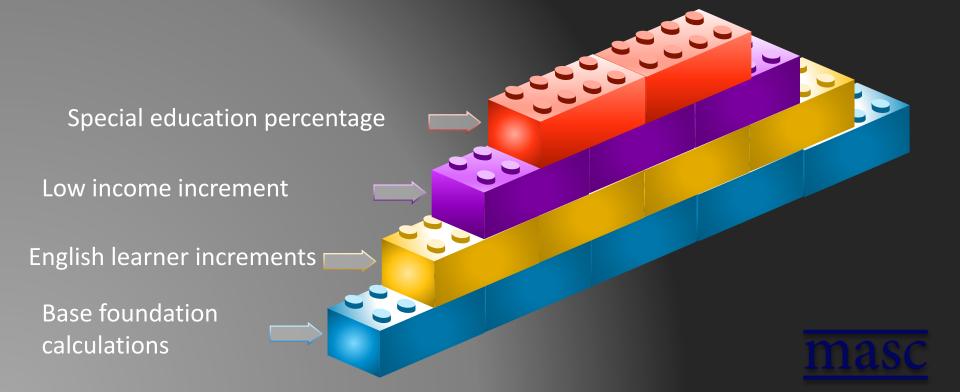
Low-income group 1 (0-5.99%) • Low-income group 2 (6-11.99%) • Low-income group 3 (12-17.99%) • Low-income group 4 (18-23.99%) • Low-income group 5 (24-29.99%) • Low-income group 6 (30-35.99%) • Low-income group 7 (36-41.99%) • Low-income group 8 (42-47.99%) Low-income group 9 (48-53.99%) • Low-income group 10 (54-69.99%) • Low-income group 11 (70-79.99%) • Low-income group 12 (80%+)

Special education: FY25





Putting the pieces together

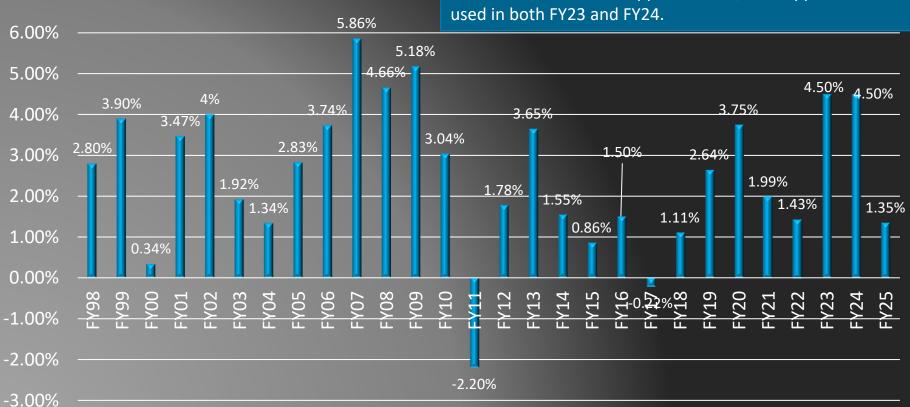




7.00%

NOTES: Since FY22, health insurance has a separate rate; it is 5.03% for FY25.

Since FY22, the rate is capped at 4.5%; this capped rate was used in both FY23 and FY24.



^{*}Implicit Price Deflator Index for State and Local Governments;

Holbrook: FY25

ACO and Secondary Education

FY25 Chapter 70 Foundation Budget

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Base Foundation Components								Incremental Cost	s Above the Base					
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
		Kinder	garten		Junior/	High		Special Ed	Special Ed	English learners	English learners	English learners		
	Pre-school	Half-Day	Full-Day	Elementary	Middle	School	Vocational	In-District	Tuitioned-Out	PK-5	6-8	High School/Voc	Low income	TOTAL
Foundation Enrollment	32	0	92	567	363	317	0	53	13	73	18	31	663	1,355
1 Administration	7,466	0	42,927	264,560	169,374	147,911	0	170,674	50,061	8,434	2,213	4,087	62,539	930,247
2 Instructional Leadership	13,483	0	77,530	477,818	305,904	267,140	0	0	0	14,759	3,873	7,153	296,314	1,463,974
3 Classroom & Specialist Teachers	61,825	0	355,494	2,190,897	1,234,328	1,585,154	0	563,182	0	103,309	27,111	50,071	2,892,605	9,063,977
4 Other Teaching Services	15,856	0	91,177	561,930	258,971	188,270	0	525,835	765	14,759	3,873	7,153	0	1,668,589
5 Professional Development	2,445	0	14,067	86,707	60,169	50,952	0	27,168	0	4,217	1,107	2,043	140,331	389,205
6 Instructional Materials, Equipment & Techn	8,604	0	49,475	304,916	195,211	272,753	0	22,801	0	10,135	2,660	4,913	20,679	892,145
7 Guidance & Psychological Services	6,299	0	36,220	223,223	154,175	148,725	0	0	0	6,325	1,660	3,065	117,129	696,822
8 Pupil Services	1,789	0	10,291	95,127	99,484	200,333	0	0	0	2,109	553	1,022	608,646	1,019,356
9 Operations & Maintenance	17,168	0	98,716	608,391	422,264	357,548	0	190,651	0	25,300	6,639	12,262	0	1,738,939
10 Employee Benefits/Fixed Charges*	25,949	0	149,204	919,561	628,280	487,378	0	217,199	0	23,572	6,186	11,424	475,570	2,944,323
11 Special Education Tuition*	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	457,025	0	0	0	0	457,025
12 Total	160,884	0	925,100	5,733,128	3,528,161	3,706,165	0	1,717,509	507,851	212,919	55,876	103,194	4,613,814	21,264,601
13 Wage Adjustment Factor	104.0%										Foundation Bud	get per Pupil		15,693

*The wage adjustment factor is applied to underlying rates in all functions except instructional equipment, benefits and special education tuition.

14 Low-income percentage 15 Low-income group 49.64%

English learner foundation budget as % total foundation budget 1.7% Low-income foundation budget as % total foundation budget 21.7%



Category	Enrollment	Per pupil	Total
Pre-K	32	\$4876	\$160,884
Full-day K	52	\$9752	\$925,100
Elementary	567	\$9806	\$5,733,128
Middle	363	\$9433	\$3,528,161
High	317	\$11,334	\$3,706,165
Sped in-district	153	\$31,334	\$1,717,508
Sped out-of-district	13	\$38,915	\$507,851
EL (prek-5)	73	\$2822	\$212,919
EL (6-8)	18	\$3004	\$55,876
EL (9-12)	31	\$3221	\$103,194
Low income (group 9)	663	\$ 6,720	\$4,613,814
Total	1355		\$21,164,601

Whitman Hanson: FY25

and Secondary Education

FY25 Chapter 70 Foundation Budget

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Plot Area			Base Fo	oundation Comp	onents					Incremental Cos	ts Above the Base			
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
		Kinder	garten		Junior/	High		Special Ed	Special Ed	English learners	English learners	English learners		
	Pre-school	Half-Day	Full-Day	Elementary	Middle	School	Vocational	In-District	Tuitioned-Out	PK-5	6-8	High School/Voc	Low income	TOTAL
Foundation Enrollment	106	0	252	1,303	855	1,071	0	137	35	136	36	51	1,245	3,534
1 Administration	23,779	0	113,060	584,591	383,596	480,504	0	424,208	129,597	15,108	4,257	6,466	90,561	2,255,726
2 Instructional Leadership	42,945	0	204,196	1,055,821	692,807	867,831	0	0	0	26,438	7,448	11,315	429,114	3,337,915
3 Classroom & Specialist Teachers	196,919	0	936,293	4,841,166	2,795,482	5,149,539	0	1,399,781	0	185,063	52,137	79,206	4,188,952	19,824,540
4 Other Teaching Services	50,504	0	240,141	1,241,681	586,513	611,616	0	1,306,955	1,980	26,438	7,448	11,315	0	4,084,591
5 Professional Development	7,788	0	37,049	191,593	136,270	165,523	0	67,525	0	7,553	2,128	3,232	203,221	821,883
6 Instructional Materials, Equipment & Techn	28,500	0	135,518	700,714	459,793	921,510	0	58,937	0	18,882	5,320	8,082	31,162	2,368,420
7 Guidance & Psychological Services	20,063	0	95,395	493,251	349,173	483,150	0	0	0	11,330	3,192	4,849	169,619	1,630,021
8 Pupil Services	5,699	0	27,105	210,200	225,310	650,804	0	0	0	3,778	1,064	1,617	881,410	2,006,986
9 Operations & Maintenance	54,682	0	259,996	1,344,344	956,335	1,161,532	0	473,860	0	45,322	12,768	19,397	0	4,328,236
10 Employee Benefits/Fixed Charges*	85,955	0	408,689	2,113,205	1,479,834	1,646,630	0	561,440	0	43,916	12,372	18,795	716,249	7,087,084
11 Special Education Tuition*	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,230,451	0	0	0	0	1,230,451
12 Total	516,834	0	2,457,441	12,776,567	8,065,112	12,138,639	0	4,292,706	1,362,027	383,830	108,134	164,275	6,710,289	48,975,853
13 Wage Adjustment Factor	100.0%										Foundation Bud	get per Pupil		13,858

*The wage adjustment factor is applied to underlying rates in all functions except instructional equipment, benefits and special education tuition.

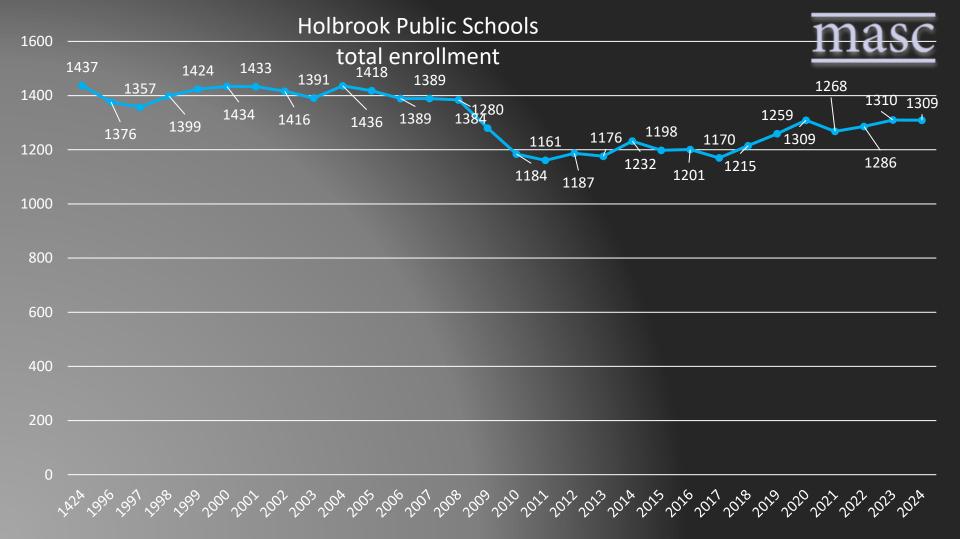
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35.51%

English learner foundation budget as % total foundation budget Low-income foundation budget as % total foundation budget 13.7%

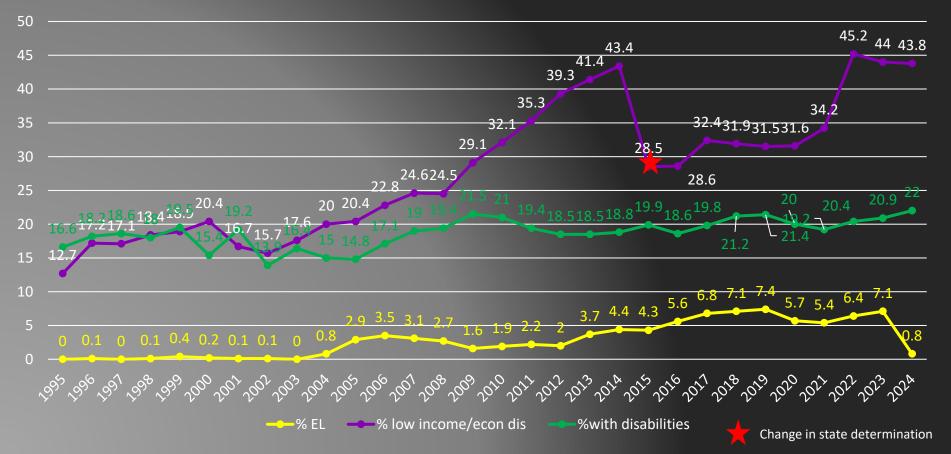


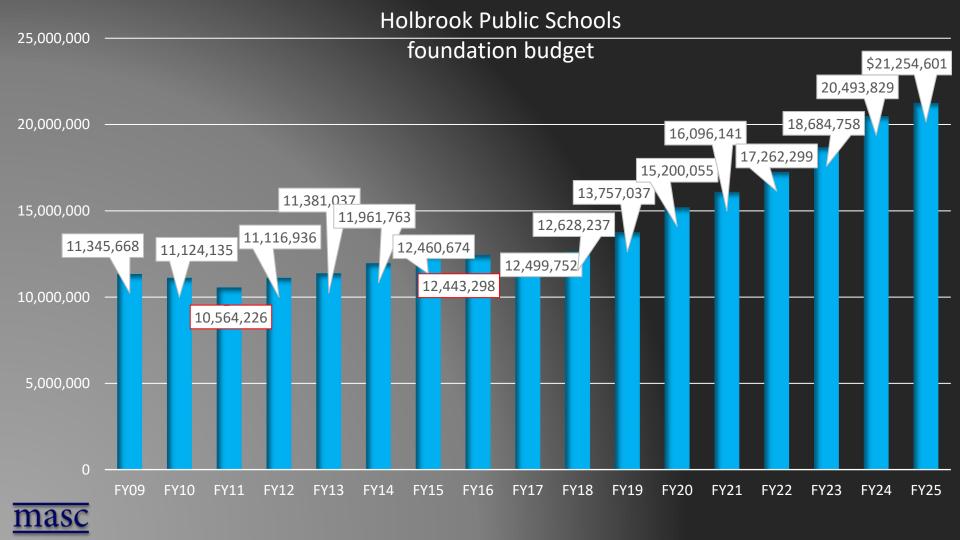
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Elementary	1303	\$9806	\$12,776,567
Middle	855	\$9433	\$8,065,112
High	1071	\$11,334	\$12,138,639
Sped in-district	137	\$31,334	\$4,292,706
Sped out-of-district	35	\$38,915	\$1,362,067
EL (prek-5)	136	\$2822	\$383,830
EL (6-8)	36	\$3004	\$108,134
EL (9-12)	51	\$3221	\$164,275
Low income (group 6)	1245	\$5,390	\$6,710,289
Total	3,534		\$48,975,853

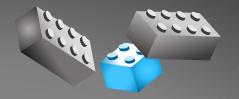


Holbrook Public Schools % selected populations



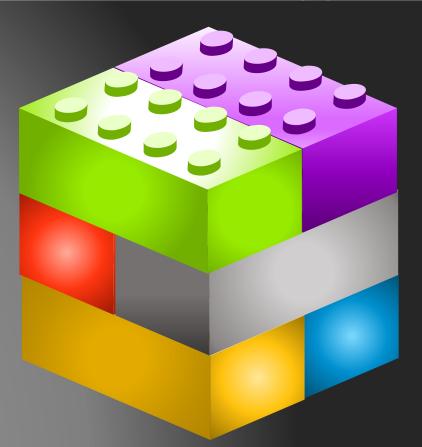




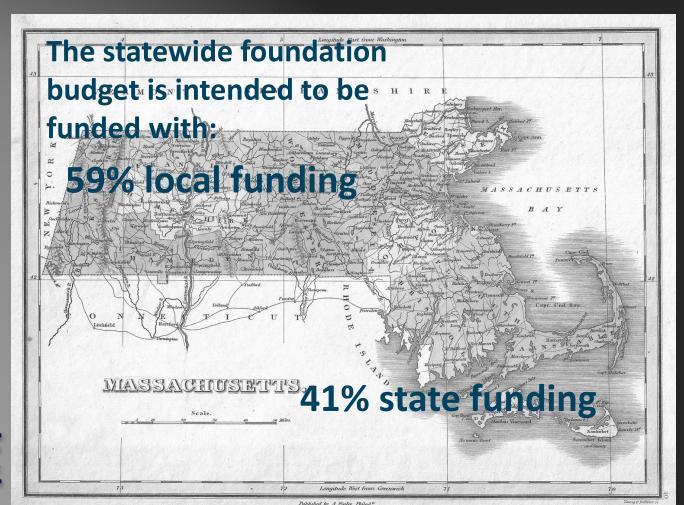


Funding foundation

If \$33.4M is a "fair and adequate" amount of funding for Holliston in FY25, where is that funding to come from?













Fill out in black ink.

For a taster refund, file your return electronically at mass gov/dor.

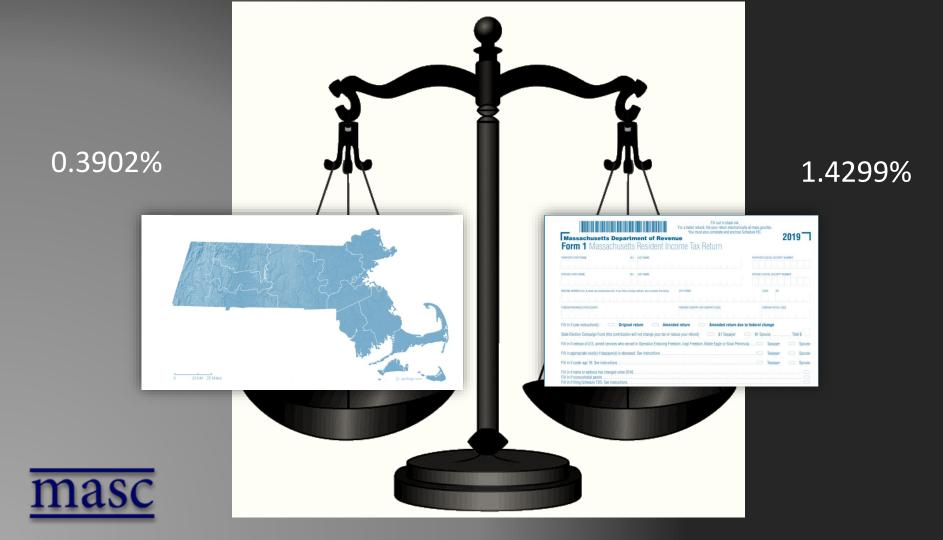
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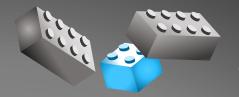
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Massachusetts Department of Revenue

Form 1 Massachusetts Resident Income Tax Return

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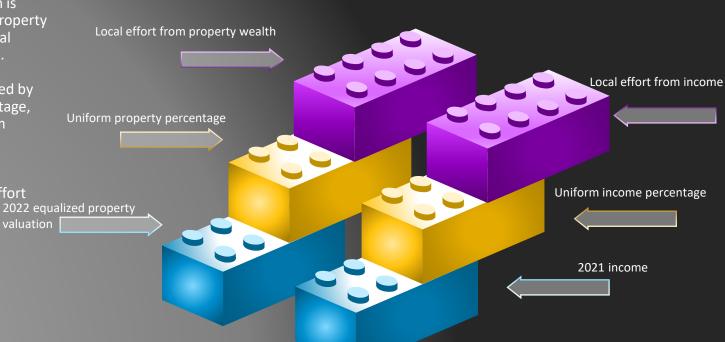
Combined Effort Yield

How much can the town afford to contribute?

The local property valuation is multiplied by the uniform property percentage, yielding the local effort from property wealth.

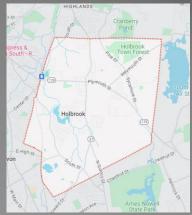
The local income is multiplied by the uniform income percentage, yielding the local effort from income.

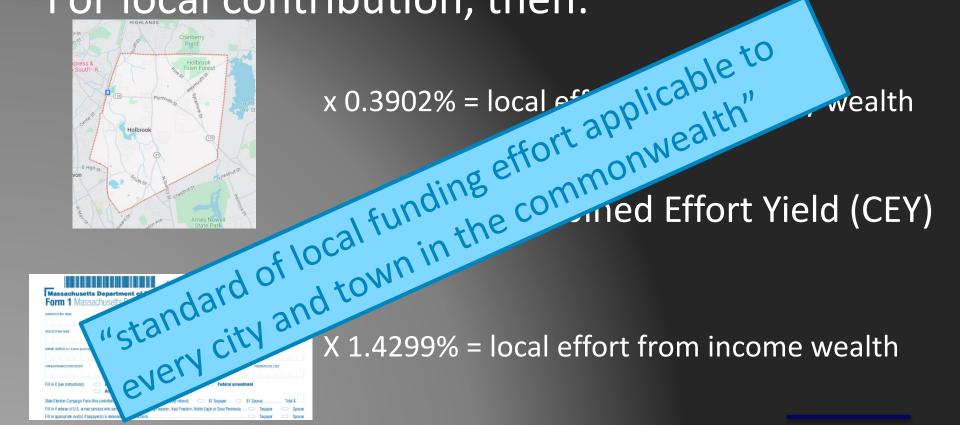
Those two products added together is the Combined Effort Yield. 2022





For local contribution, then:

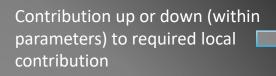








Required local contribution



How close is that to the town's target contribution?

How much did the town's economy grow this past year?

How much was the town required to contribute to schools last year?

Compare 82.5% of foundation to combined effort yield: which is LESS? That's your TARGET.



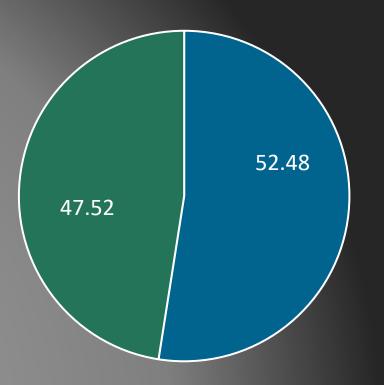
Holbrook FY25

Effort Goa

1)2022 equalized valuation	1,670,268,000
2)Uniform property percentage	0.3902%
3)Local effort from property wealth	6,517,310
4)2021 income	421,763,000
5)Uniform income percentage	1.4299%
6)Local effort from income	6,030,584
7)Combined effort yield (3 + 6)	12,547,895
8)FY25 Foundation budget	23,908,695
9)Maximum local contribution (82.5% * 8)	19,724,674
10)Target local contribution (lesser of 7 or 9)	12,547,895
11)Target local share (10 as % of 8)	52.48%
12)Target aid share (100% minus 11)	47.52%

Holbrook: FY25

■ target local share (percent) ■ target aid share (percent)



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FY25 Increments Toward Goal

13)FY24 required local contribution	10,705,706
14)Municipal revenue growth factor (DOR)	4.11%
15)FY25 preliminary contribution (13 raised by 14)	11,145,711
16)Preliminary contribution pct of foundation (15 / 8)	46.62%

If preliminary contribution is above the target share:

17)Excess local effort (15 - 10)

18)100% reduction toward target (17 x 100%)

19) FY25 required local contribution (15 - 18), capped at 90% of foundation

20)Contribution as percentage of foundation (19 / 8)

If preliminary contribution is below the target share: 21)Shortfall from target local share (10 - 15)

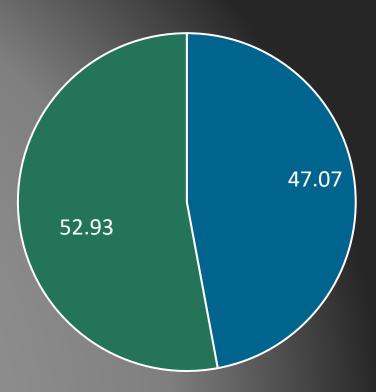
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22)Shortfall percentage (11 - 16)	5.86%
23)Added increment toward target (13 x 1% or 2%)*	107,057
*1% if shortfall is between 2.5% and 7.5%; 2% if	
shortfall > 7.5%	
24)Special increment toward 82.5% target**	0
**if combined effort yield > 175% foundation	
Combined effort yield as % of foundation	
Shortfall from target after adding increments (10 -	4 205 427
25) Shortfall from target after adding increments (10 - 15 - 23 - 24)	1,295,127
26)FY25 required local contribution (15 + 23 + 24)	11,252,768
27) Contribution as percentage of foundation (26 / 8)	47.07%

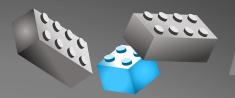
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Holbrook: FY25

■ required local contribution (percent)

■ state foundation aid (percent)

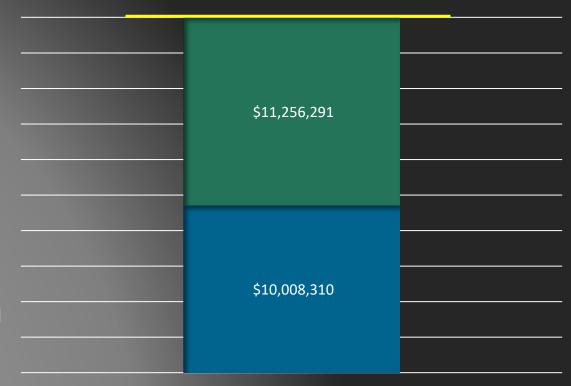




Getting to FY25 required spending

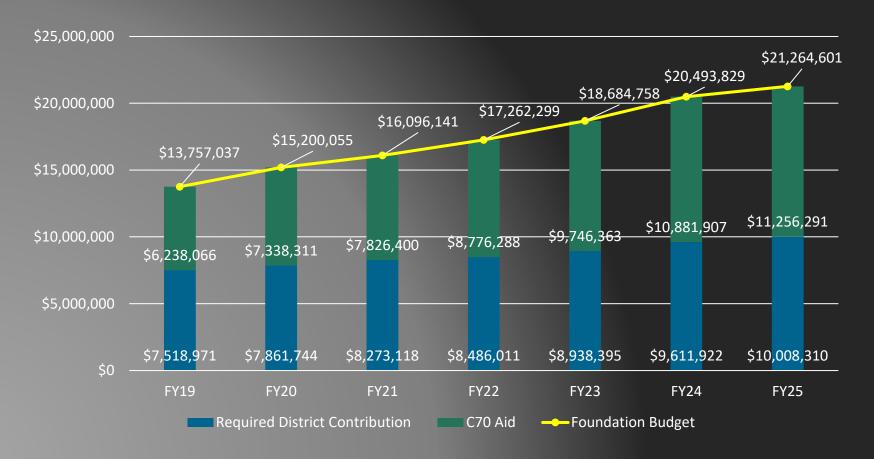
The state begins with the local contribution, and then fills in the gap between that and the foundation budget total with foundation aid from the state.

Note that this only is the foundation budget; Holbrook no doubt will contribute more than the minimum, and the district also receives state and federal grants.





Holbrook and the SOA



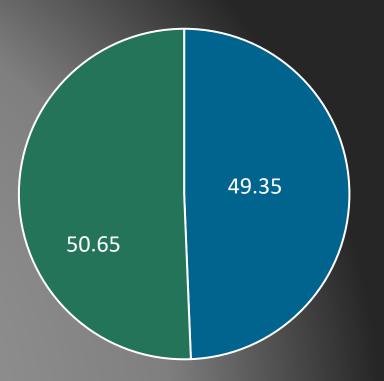
Whitman FY25

Fffort Goa

1)2022 equalized valuation	2,145,260,700
2)Uniform property percentage	0.3902%
3)Local effort from property wealth	8,370,711
4)2021 income	581,553,000
5)Uniform income percentage	1.4299%
6)Local effort from income	8,315,344
7)Combined effort yield (3 + 6)	16,686,054
8)FY25 Foundation budget	33,811,876
9)Maximum local contribution (82.5% * 8)	27,894,798
10)Target local contribution (lesser of 7 or 9)	16,686,054
11)Target local share (10 as % of 8)	49.35%
12)Target aid share (100% minus 11)	50.65%

Whitman: FY25

■ target local share (percent) ■ target aid share (percent)



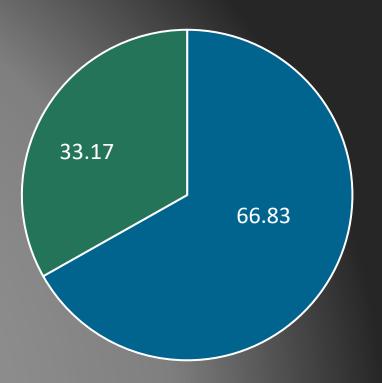
Hanson FY25

Fffort Goa

1,705,096,200
0.3902%
6,653,209
495,883,000
1.4299%
7,090,390
13,743,598
20,565,970
16,966,925
13,743,598
66.83%
33.17%

Hanson: FY25

■ target local share (percent) ■ target aid share (percent)



Whiman FY25

Effort Goal

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FY25 Increments Toward Goal

13)FY24 required local contribution	14,015,156
14)Municipal revenue growth factor (DOR)	5.34%
15)FY25 preliminary contribution (13 raised by 14)	14,763,565
16)Preliminary contribution pct of foundation (15 / 8)	43.66%

If preliminary contribution is above the target share:

17)Excess local effort (15 - 10)

18)100% reduction toward target (17 x 100%)

19) FY25 required local contribution (15 - 18), capped at 90% of foundation

20)Contribution as percentage of foundation (19 / 8)

26)FY25 required local contribution (15 + 23 + 24)

27) Contribution as percentage of foundation (26 / 8)

If preliminary contribution is below the target share:	
21)Shortfall from target local share (10 - 15)	1,922,489
22)Shortfall percentage (11 - 16)	5.69%
23)Added increment toward target (13 x 1% or 2%)*	140,152
*1% if shortfall is between 2.5% and 7.5%; 2% if	
shortfall > 7.5%	
24)Special increment toward 82.5% target**	0
**if combined effort yield > 175% foundation	
Combined effort yield as % of foundation	
25)Shortfall from target after adding increments (10 - 25 - 23 - 24)	1,782,337
²³⁾ 15 - 23 - 24)	1,762,337

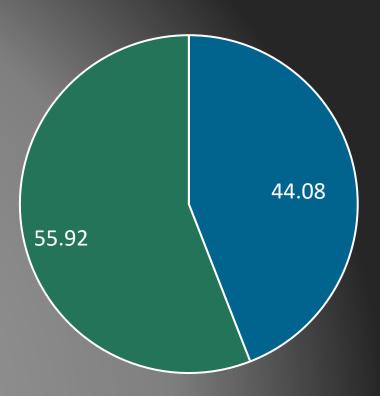
14,903,717

47.07%

Whitman: FY25

■ required local contribution (percent)

■ state foundation aid (percent)



Hanson FY25

Effort Goal

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FY25 Increments Toward Goal

13)FY24 required local contribution	11,669,234
14)Municipal revenue growth factor (DOR)	4.65%
15)FY25 preliminary contribution (13 raised by 14)	12,211,853
16)Preliminary contribution pct of foundation (15 / 8)	59.38%

If preliminary contribution is above the target share:

17)Excess local effort (15 - 10)

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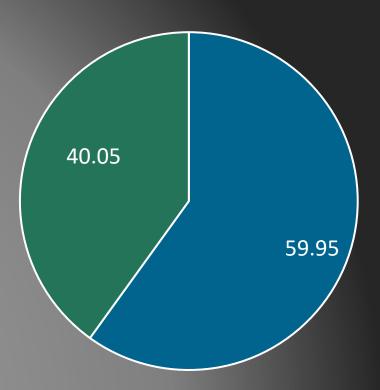
If preliminary contribution is below the target share:

21)Shortfall from target local share (10 - 15)	1,531,745
22)Shortfall percentage (11 - 16)	7.45%
23)Added increment toward target (13 x 1% or 2%)*	116,692
*1% if shortfall is between 2.5% and 7.5%; 2% if	
shortfall > 7.5%	
24)Special increment toward 82.5% target**	0
**if combined effort yield > 175% foundation	
Combined effort yield as % of foundation	
25) Shortfall from target after adding increments (10 - 15 - 23 - 24)	1,415,053
²³⁾ 15 - 23 - 24)	1,413,033
26)FY25 required local contribution (15 + 23 + 24)	12,328,545
27)Contribution as percentage of foundation (26 / 8)	59.95%

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■ required local contribution (percent)

■ state foundation aid (percent)



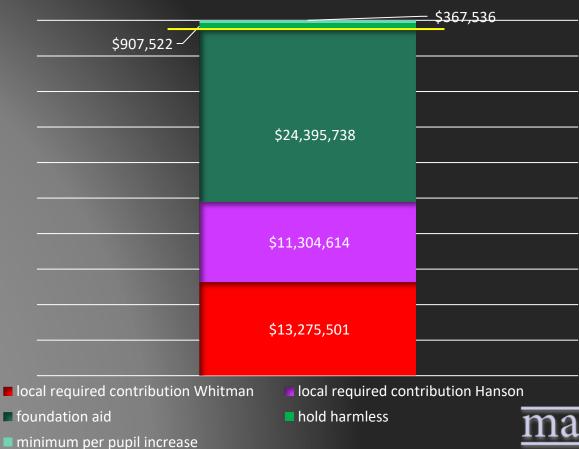


Getting to FY25 required spending

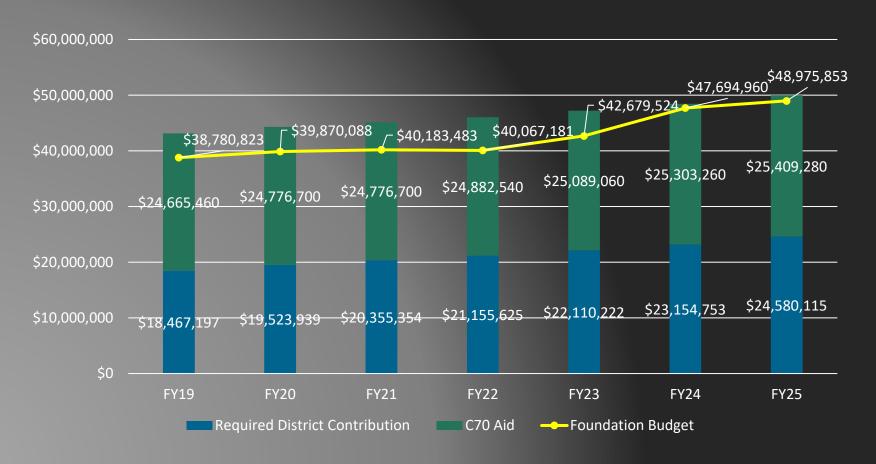
The process of getting to foundation is the same with a regional district: the local required contributions go in first, with state aid filling the gap to foundation.

However, were W-H to receive only the aid to foundation, the district would receive less aid than last year. The state adds the aid to keep the same level as last year (hold harmless) then adds a minimum per pupil increment.

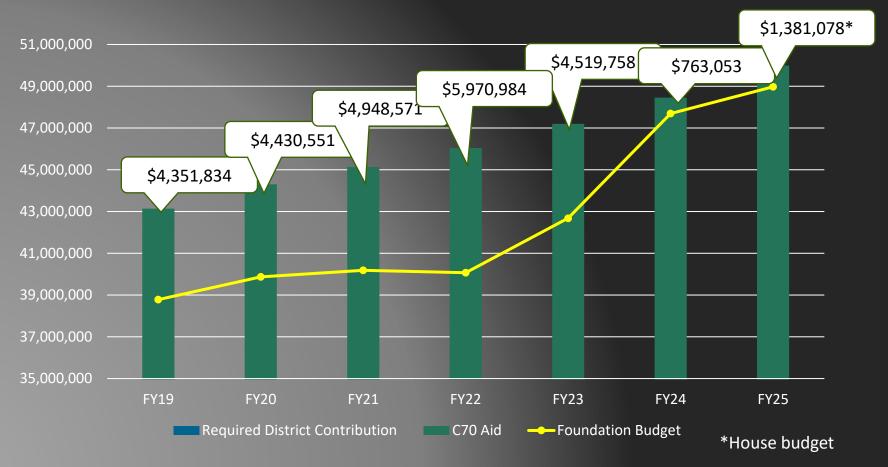
At right represents the House budget, which sets this increment at \$104 per pupil.



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