



BESSEMER CITY

SCHOOL SYSTEM SNAPSHOT: 2021 EDITION*

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 **\$2,784,542**
Cost of One Month's
Operation/General Fund

 **4.54**
Number of Months
Reserve Balance

By the Numbers

	Schools¹	8
	Students/ADM²	3,572
	Free & Reduced Lunch	67%
	Community Eligibility Program	73%
	Number of Route Buses³	34
	Buses 10 yrs. old or less.....	97%
	Students Bused.....	1,460
	Full-Time Employees	466
	Teachers.....	227
	Principals/ Assistant Principals.....	15
	Counselors.....	11
	Librarians.....	6
	Other Certified Employees.....	9
	Support Personnel.....	198

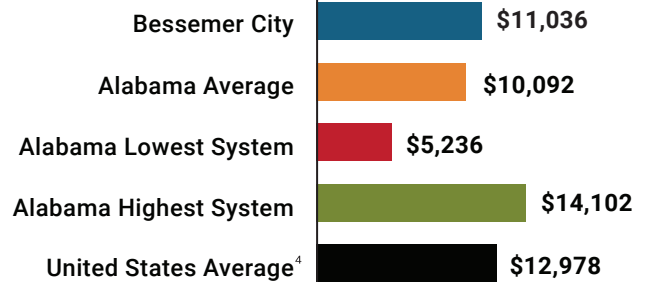
¹ Schools with enrollment, including Alternative and Career Technical Education

² Average Daily Membership

³ Data collected in FY19 and used for FY21 funding

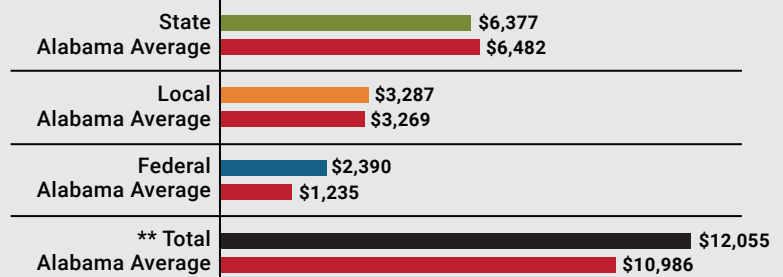
⁴ 2019-2020 NEA Rankings of the States

Total Per-Pupil Expenditures (PPE)



Per-Pupil Revenue Sources

Bessemer City Revenue Sources



105
STATE
RANK

36
LOCAL
RANK

8
FEDERAL
RANK

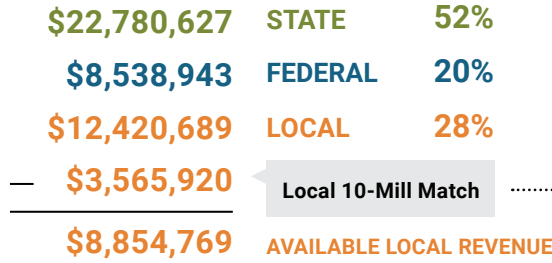
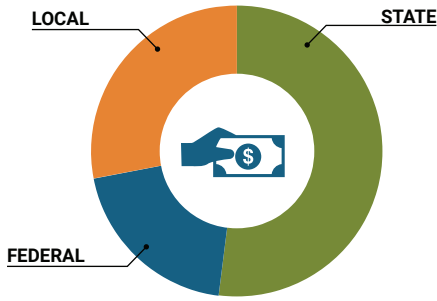
OVERALL SYSTEM RANK 27

** Total Revenue Among 137 School Systems

* THIS REPORT INCLUDES FISCAL YEAR 2019 DATA

School System Revenue

How was your school system funded?¹



VALUE OF 1-MILL
For Your School System

\$356,592

School System Spending

How did your school system spend state & local dollars?¹

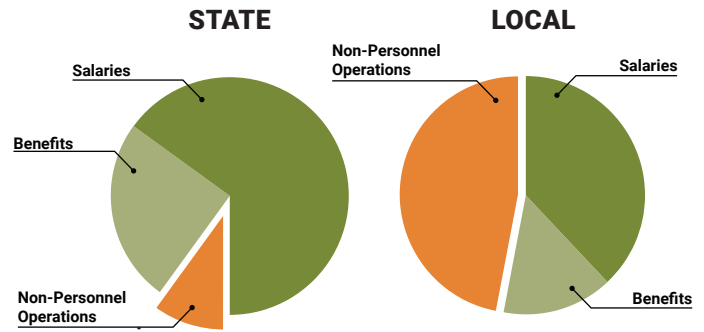
	STATE SPENDING ^{2,3}	LOCAL SPENDING ²
Salaries	\$15,177,420	\$3,172,894
Benefits	\$5,915,699	\$1,267,720
Non-Personnel Operations	\$2,317,277	\$3,996,790
TOTAL	\$23,410,396	\$8,437,404

¹ Revenues and expenditures may contain nominal variances

² Does not include debt service or capital outlay

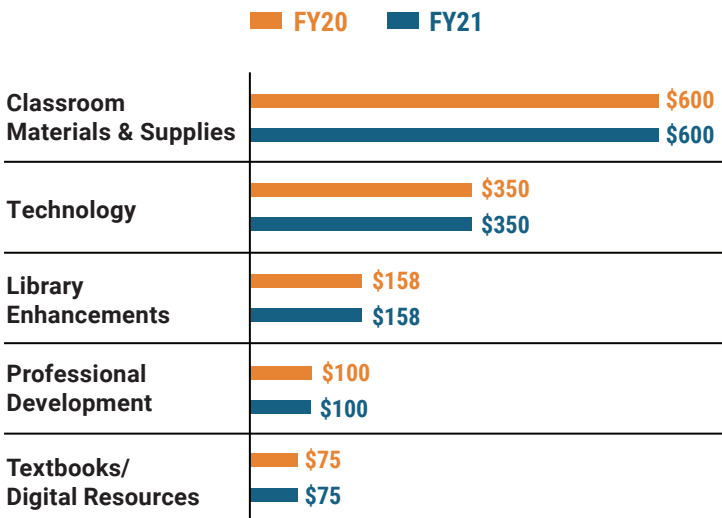
³ Includes 10-mill match

⁴ Such as utilities, operations & maintenance, etc.

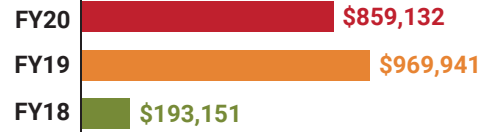


Only 10% of state funding is available for non-personnel expenditures⁴

Instructional Support



Educational Advancement & Technology Fund⁵



⁵ These one-time supplemental funds may be used for repairs and deferred maintenance, classroom instructional supplies, insurance for facilities, transportation, technology and school safety measures.

System Debt



⁶ The debt totals in system audit reports may differ due to audit adjustments.



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