Staffing funded by local levy dollars

Extracurricular Activities



100%

Counseling & Nursing Supports



45%

Family-Community Resource Centers



88%

Classroom Teachers



8%

School Safety Support



88%

Based on 2019-20 official OSPI budget reports, which is our best estimate for 2023-24 funding breakdown percentages after COVID-19 related ESSER funding ends.





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Renewal Education & Operations (E&O)

LEVY FACTS



- 1. The renewal education & operations levy is not a new tax. It replaces expiring levies.
- 2. This renewal levy will be on the February 2023 ballot.
- 3. If approved, the levy would be for **four years from 2024 to 2027**.
- 4. All schools in the district benefit from this levy.
- 5. Local levy dollars make up 12.5% of the VPS budget.
- 6. The estimated rate is \$1.99 per \$1,000 of assessed property value.*
- 7. Local **levies bridge the ongoing state funding gap** between what the state funds and what it actually costs to deliver on our commitment to offer each student a quality education, safety, and resources for well-being.
- 8. This levy helps to pay for staffing and operations that are unfunded, or underfunded, by the state, such as:
 - · Special education
 - Classroom programs and programs of choice
 - Additional teachers, nurses, counselors, mental health and general staff
 - Safety and security staff
 - Family-Community Resource Centers
 - Sports and extracurriculars like orchestra, band, choir and theater
 - · Maintenance and utilities for buildings and grounds

Ballots due Feb. 14, 2023.

*Future tax rates are estimates and fluctuate due to changes in property assessments and area growth.



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