

	LOVELAND	VS.	Ohio Districts	
Ohio School Report Card 2023-24	every category		<b>97%</b>	of districts score <u>lower</u>
State Funds per Student <sup>FY24</sup>	\$4,250		85%	of districts receive <u>more</u> state funding per student
Administrator-to- Student Ratio <sup>FY24</sup>	144 to 1		75%	of districts have <u>more</u> administrator support per student
Teacher-to- Student Ratio <sup>FY23</sup>	20.4 to 1		<b>97</b> %	of districts have <u>more</u> teacher support per student
Expenditures per Student <sup>FY24</sup>	\$15,420		55%	of districts spend <u>more</u> per student

## THREE STEPS TO SUPPORT OUR HIGH-QUALITY, LOW-COST DISTRICT

## **1. PROTECT THE "GUARANTEE"**

It is critical the funding guarantee be protected for Loveland and similar districts.

If the guarantee were to be eliminated, <u>Loveland would suffer a catastrophic loss of \$25,000,000</u> in state funding over the next four years. Replacing these funds would require voters to approve approximately 22 mills of new local property taxes over the same period of time.

## 2. FULLY IMPLEMENT THE FAIR SCHOOL FUNDING PLAN

The Loveland City School District Board of Education has unanimously approved a resolution calling for the full implementation of the Fair School Funding Plan (FSFP) - joining with groups like the Buckeye Association of School Administrators (BASA), Ohio Association of School Business Officials (OASBO), and Ohio School Boards Association (OSBA) in our continuing support of the Fair School Funding Plan. **Complete the phase-in of the Fair School Funding Plan and update the inputs.** 

## **3. INCREASE THE STATE SHARE MINIMUM TO 20%**

Currently, the per-pupil state share of the base cost cannot be less than 10%. We ask that it be raised to 20%. Increase the state share minimum to ensure that public education remains a shared state and local responsibility.



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