# How Are Schools Funded? Expenses and Staffing

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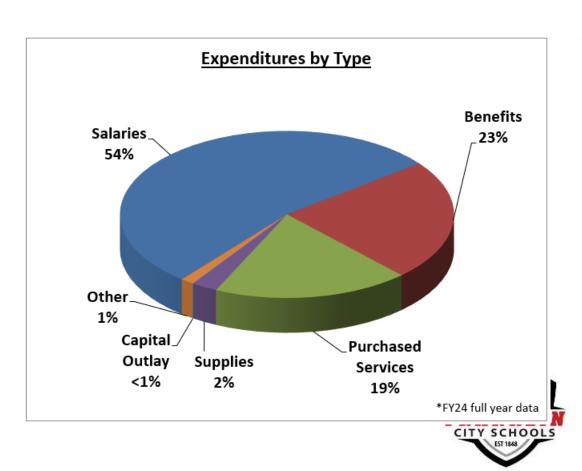
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### 'School Funding – Expenditures By Type

Franklin City Schools spends 77% of General Operating Funds on employee compensation.

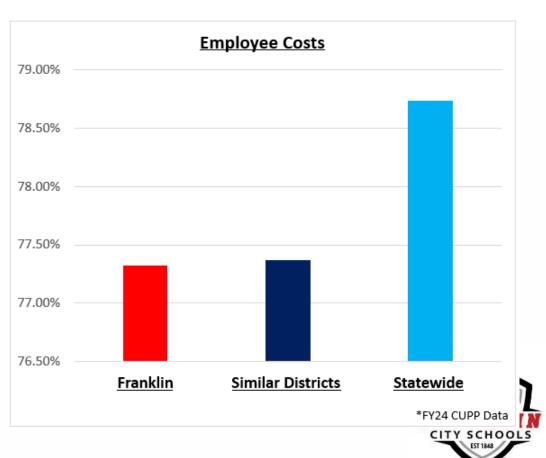




# Staffing – Employee Costs

Franklin City Schools spends proportionately a little less on employee costs than Similar Districts but spends less than the State by over 1%.

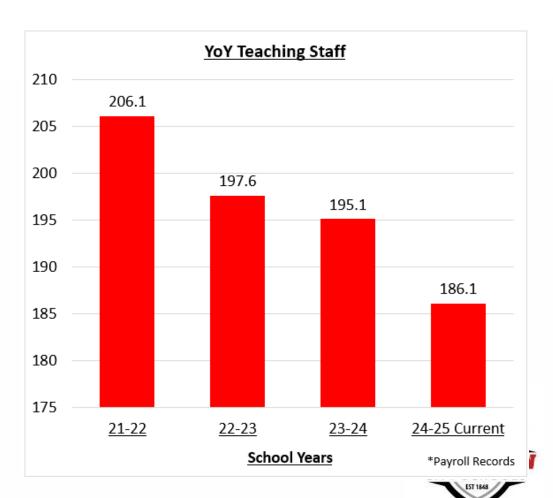
1% spending on Employee related expenses in FY24 equals \$316,355.





The Board has taken steps over the last three years to reduce expenses in order to make current revenue levels last.

One of these steps has been a reduction of 20 teaching staff over the last 3 years. This has been 10% of the total certified staff.





# Current Teacher Salary Comparison – Warren County

Salary Scale	Co	unty Average*	<u>Franklin</u>	<u>\$</u>	Difference	% Difference
Bachelors	\$	71,852.00	\$ 71,780.00	\$	(72.00)	0%
Masters	\$	81,782.00	\$ 81,164.00	\$	(618.00)	-1%
Masters + 15-30 additonal hours ^Used highest scale for each district in this range	\$	86,925.00	\$ 86,135.00	\$	(790.00)	-1%
Maximum	\$	87,337.00	\$ 86,135.00	\$	(1,202.00)	-1%
Totals	\$	327,896.00	\$ 325,214.00	\$	(2,682.00)	-1%

<- Below County Average

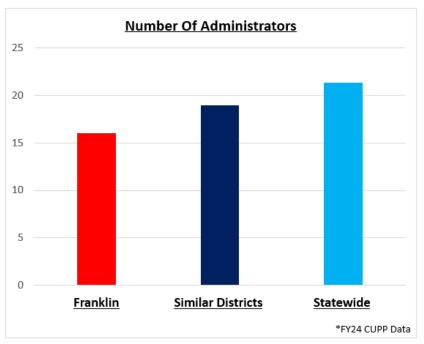
 Averages based on 34 years of experience which is typically STRS retirement age

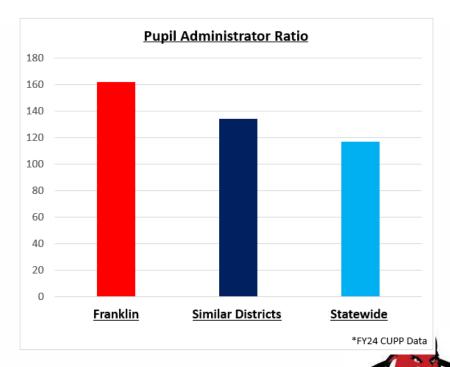
- Teacher pay is based on salary schedules which factors in experience and level of college degree.
  - Franklin City Schools pays 1% less annually (\$2,682) than the county average.
  - The annual savings for the full teaching staff is:
    - Minimum (Bachelors) = \$13,399
    - Maximum = \$223,692





# Staffing - Administrators





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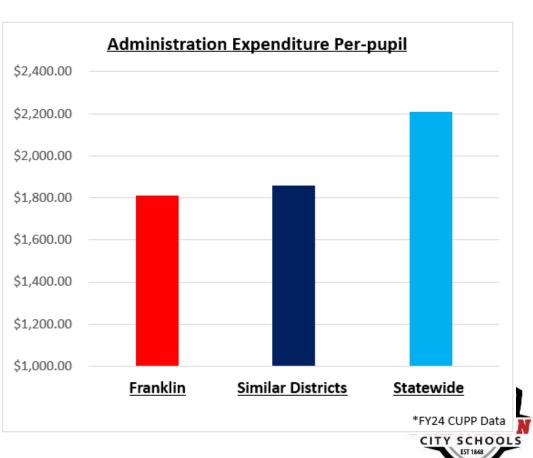


#### Staffing - Adminstrators

Not only does Franklin City Schools serve <u>more</u> students with <u>fewer</u>
Administrators than Similar Districts and the Statewide average, but it also spends less per pupil.

If the District were to spend at similar rates we would spend an additional annual amount of:

Similar Districts - \$119,527 Statewide - \$1,023,449





# Current Administrator Salary Comparison – Warren County

<u>Position</u>	Cou	inty Average		<u>Franklin</u>		Difference	% Difference	Rank In County (Up to 8 Districts)
Superintendent	\$	179,705.86	\$	172,425.00	\$	(7,280.86)	-4%	<- Third Lowest
Treasurer	\$	162,116.00	\$	146,771.00	\$	(15,345.00)	-9%	<- Lowest
Assistant Superintendent	\$	148,543.60	\$	127,192.00	\$	(21,351.60)	-14%	<- Lowest
Assistant Treasurer Additional Duties: Human Resources	\$	114,210.33	\$	79,973.00	\$	(34,237.33)	-30%	<- Lowest
Director of Student Services	\$	123,075.71	\$	124,268.00	\$	1,192.29	1%	<- Third Highest - Other districts have administrative supports that FCS does not
Business Manager	\$	137,549.50	\$	121,136.00	\$	(16,413.50)	-12%	<- Lowest
High School Principal	\$	133,132.86	\$	110,000.00	\$	(23,132.86)	-17%	<- Lowest
High School Assistant Principal	\$	110,267.63	\$	97,185.00	\$	(13,082.63)	-12%	<- Second Lowest
Athletic Director	\$	115,501.57	\$	100,586.00	\$	(14,915.57)	-13%	<- Third Lowest
Junior High Principal	\$	126,781.17	\$	110,000.00	\$	(16,781.17)	-13%	<- Second Lowest
Junior High Assistant Principal	\$	107,114.00	\$	94,050.00	\$	(13,064.00)	-12%	<- Third Lowest
All Other Principals	\$	121,105.55	\$	105,029.50	\$	(16,076.05)	-13%	<- Second Lowest
EMIS Coordinator Additional Duties: Director of Admissions, Homeless Liaison, Foster Care Point Of Contact	\$	74,783.40	\$	96,851.00	\$	22,067.60	30%	<- Highest - Additional Duties and other districts have administrative supports that FCS does not
Tech Coordinator	\$	94,704.17	\$	94,243.00	\$	(461.17)	0%	<- Second Lowest
Director of Educational Technology Additional Duties: Communications	\$	131,493.67	\$	101,722.00	\$	(29,771.67)	-23%	<- Lowest
Transportation Supervisor	\$	82,938.50	\$	76,492.00	\$	(6,446.50)	-8%	<- Third Lowest
Totals	\$1,	963,023.52	\$1	,757,923.50	\$	(205,100.02)	-10%	

^- Below County Average

- Franklin pays on average <u>10% less annually</u> (\$205,100.02) than the county average.
  - 88% (14 out of 16) of positions are in the bottom half of the county.
  - 63% (10 out of 16) are either lowest or second lowest in the county.





# Questions?

