Kent School District

Despite recent large increases in spending, public school officials are not providing children with the high-quality education they promised.

1. **Number of students:** 26,644
2. **Number of schools:** 42
3. **Spending per student:** $15,700
4. **Spending on teacher pay:**
   
   Average teacher gets $112,700 in pay and benefits.

   Teachers can make up to $133,500 in pay and benefits.
5. **Spending on central office staff:**
   
   Superintendent gets $264,700 in salary, plus $73,500 in benefits.

   Number of administrators paid over $100,000 a year: 144.

   Only 49 percent of employees are teachers.
6. **Spending growth:**

   Per-student spending has increased by $5,400, or 53 percent, in six years.
7. **Student learning**

   2018-19:
   
   • 43.8 percent of students fail to meet state standard in English
   
   • 53.9 percent of students fail to meet state standard in math

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