Sumner 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:** 9,756
2. **Number of schools:** 16
3. **Spending per student:** $14,900
4. **Spending on teacher pay:**
   
   Average teacher gets $116,300 in pay and benefits.
   Teachers can make up to $127,200 in pay and benefits.

5. **Spending on central office staff:**
   
   Superintendent gets $233,500 in salary, plus $52,500 in benefits.
   Number of administrators paid over $100,000 a year: 68.
   Only 45 percent of employees are teachers.

6. **Spending growth:**
   
   Per-student spending has increased by $4,600, or 45 percent, in six years.

7. **Student learning**

   2018-19:
   
   - 27.7 percent of students fail to meet state standard in English
   - 37.0 percent of students fail to meet state standard in math

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