

HOW WILL POTENTIAL 2015-17 STATE SCHOOL FUND LEVELS IMPACT THE FUTURE OF OREGON STUDENTS?

# DAYVILLE SCHOOL DISTRICT

## \$7.235 Billion

Underfunded Schools

### CURRENT CO-CHAIRS' BUDGET LEVEL

With a State School Fund of \$7.235 billion, we will begin a downward spending pattern just after having started to recover from a previous large loss of funding. We have six teachers on staff to serve 55 students and we cannot reduce positions further. We currently offer half day kindergarten and will be unable to hire the necessary full-time kindergarten instructor to start full day kindergarten as is best practice to prepare young learners for reading and math.

We currently have 155 student days, 28 hours over the minimum. Reducing days is not an option and there is concern students need the opportunity to meet academic demands and standards.

-\$74/  
Student

## \$7.5 Billion

Fragile Stability

We already have reduced course offerings due to the lack of staff available to teach courses in art, music, language, and physical education in grades K-6.

This amount of funding still leaves a large gap and will continue to prevent necessary improvements on an aged infrastructure (our main building was built in 1924). Science and agriculture facilities are small and not conducive to meeting all necessary science offerings for students. Facilities will continue to miss necessary upkeep in exchange for ensuring students get resources first.

+\$130/  
Student

## \$7.875 Billion

Improvement Trajectory

This funding level will allow Dayville School District to continue to offer current level of instruction with the possibility of increasing kindergarten to full time.

We would be able to focus on new textbooks, and much needed replacement of old technology. Student would be offered a better choice of schedule through the addition of elective choices and more opportunities to receive college dual credits.

Facilities could continue to be improved and maintained at a level necessary to provide quality instruction and safety.

We would be able to increase instruction time and levels in K-12 to ensure students are ready for 21st century workforce.

+\$380/  
Student

Oregon lags behind the nation in our investment in education. Bringing Oregon schools to the national average would require investment beyond \$7.875 Billion. What would it take to bring Oregon schools up to the national average for:

instructional time  
+\$450  
Million

class size  
+\$1.2  
Billion

Help Us Build  
The Schools  
Our Students Deserve!

