

Investments in K-12 Schools Will Help Amherst

Additional funding and state-supported staff in Senate budget would help schools across the Commonwealth

Total additional support by school division (Senate compared to House)

	Amherst
Add'l funding (FY23-24)	\$2,209,893
Per-student	\$588
State-supported staff (FY24 estimate)	25

Lifting the support cap (statewide cost: \$270.6 million)

	Amherst
Add'l funding	\$996,502
State-supported staff (estimate)	20

Additional specialized support positions (statewide cost: \$56.9 million)

	Amherst
Add'l funding	\$209,141
State-supported staff (estimate)	4

Boosting at-risk add-on for high-poverty schools (statewide cost: \$37.1 million)

	Amherst
Add'l funding	\$190,801