

House Bill No. 897 - Modification of 16 VSA 2962
 Extraordinary special education reimbursement

District has a special needs student with an IEP that costs \$100,000 annually

Current Law

Extraordinary per-pupil spending threshold **\$50,000** (*not indexed*)

Total cost	\$100,000
Extraordinary threshold	<u>(\$50,000)</u>
Extraordinary cost	\$50,000

State aid for extraordinary per-pupil spending

Total extraordinary cost	<u>\$50,000</u>	
State share	\$45,000	90%
Local share	\$5,000	10%

State aid for non-extraordinary per-pupil spending

Total non-extraordinary cost	<u>\$50,000</u>	
State share	\$30,000	~60%
Local share	\$20,000	~40%

Total special education aid per-pupil	\$75,000
Local share	\$25,000

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Extraordinary per-pupil spending threshold **\$60,000** (*indexed*)

Total cost	\$100,000
Extraordinary threshold	<u>(\$60,000)</u>
Extraordinary cost	\$40,000

State aid for extraordinary per-pupil spending

Total extraordinary cost	<u>\$40,000</u>	
State share at 95%	\$38,000	95%
Plus lesser of:	\$40,000	
<i>or</i>		
Excess spending	\$60,000	
Less base	<u>(\$2,000)</u>	
	\$58,000	
@60%	\$34,800	

Total special education aid per-pupil	\$72,800
Local share	\$27,200