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1	Addison	Addison Central USD	$97,464,988	3,985	$85,300,804	$3,079,341	-$12,164,184	-12%
	Addison	Addison NW USD						
	Addison	Mt. Abraham USD						
	Addison	Lincoln						
2	Rutland	Barstow UUSD	$98,672,031	4,311	$104,317,689	$3,331,173	$5,645,657	6%
	Rutland	Otter Valley UUSD						
	Rutland	Quarry Valley UUSD						
	Rutland	Rutland City						
	Rutland	Rutland Town						
3	Rutland	Quarry Valley UUSD	$42,340,412	1,993	$47,302,788	$1,540,065	$4,962,376	12%
	Rutland	Slate Valley UUSD						
	Rutland	Wells Spring Unified Union District						
	Rutland	Ira						
4	Rutland	Mettawee School District	$65,337,519	2,825	$62,557,796	$2,183,513	-$2,779,723	-4%
	Rutland	Mill River UUSD						
	Bennington	Taconic & Green Regional USD						
	Bennington	Winhall						
5	Bennington	Mt. Anthony UHSD	$78,340,265	3,453	$90,570,535	$2,668,483	$12,230,270	16%
	Bennington	Southwest Vermont UESD						
	Bennington	Arlington						
	Bennington	North Bennington ID						
	Bennington	Readsboro						
	Bennington	Sandgate						
	Bennington	Searsburg						
	Bennington	Stamford						
6	Windham	Twin Valley USD	$83,198,357	3,048	$71,692,304	$2,355,692	-$11,506,053	-14%
	Windham	Windham Southeast School District						
	Windham	Halifax						
	Windham	Marlboro						
	Windham	Somerset						
	Windham	Vernon						
7	Windham	Bellows Falls UHSD	$45,840,418	1,784	$42,135,651	$1,378,349	-$3,704,767	-8%
	Windham	Athens Grafton UESD						
	Windham	River Valleys USD						
	Windham	West River Modified Union Education District A						
	Windham	West River Modified Union Education District B						
	Windham	Rockingham						
	Windham	Stratton						
	Windham	Westminster						
	Windham	Windham						
8	Windsor	Green Mountain USD	$58,502,133	2,150	$54,949,482	$1,661,518	-$3,552,651	-6%
	Windsor	Ludlow-Mt. Holly UUSD						
	Windsor	Springfield						
9	Windsor	Mount Ascutney School District	$68,778,585	2,642	$57,126,654	$2,042,083	-$11,651,931	-17%
	Windsor	Hartford						
	Windsor	Hartland						
	Windsor	Weathersfield						
11	Windsor	First Branch USD	$69,335,662	2,738	$64,558,076	$2,116,256	-$4,777,586	-7%
	Orange	Orange Southwest USD						
	Windsor	Rochester-Stockbridge USD						
	Windsor	White River Unified District						
	Windsor	Sharon						
	Orange	Strafford						
	Orange	Thetford						
12	Orange	Blue Mountain USD	$62,350,206	2,379	$59,022,159	$1,838,497	-$3,328,047	-5%
	Caledonia	Caledonia Cooperative UUSD						
	Orange	Oxbow UUSD						
	Orange	Waits River Valley School District						
	Caledonia	Danville						
	Caledonia	Peacham						
13	Caledonia	Kingdom East USD	$69,791,425	2,781	$67,512,412	$2,148,775	-$2,279,013	-3%
	Caledonia	St. Johnsbury						

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14	Essex	Northeast Kingdom Choice USD	$77,827,208	3,080	$77,324,881	$2,380,221	-$502,327	-1%
	Essex	Brighton						
	Orleans	North Country Sr UHSD						
	Essex	Canaan						
	Orleans	Charleston						
	Orleans	Coventry						
	Orleans	Derby						
	Orleans	North Country Jr UHSD						
	Essex	Ferdinand						
	Orleans	Holland						
	Orleans	Jay						
	Orleans	Lowell						
	Orleans	Morgan						
	Orleans	Newport City						
	Orleans	Newport Town						
	Orleans	Troy						
	Orleans	Westfield						
15	Chittenden	Mt. Mansfield UUSD	$50,496,414	2,575	$45,019,844	$1,989,571	-$5,476,570	-11%
	Chittenden	Buels Gore						
16	Chittenden	Champlain Valley USD	$88,294,084	4,031	$73,878,697	$3,114,960	-$14,415,387	-16%
17	Chittenden	Essex-Westford ECUUSD	$76,570,171	3,572	$70,283,878	$2,760,090	-$6,286,293	-8%
18	Lamoille	Lamoille South USD	$75,923,725	3,197	$72,802,984	$2,470,507	-$3,120,741	-4%
	Lamoille	Lamoille North MUSD A						
	Lamoille	Lamoille North MUSD B						
	Lamoille	Cambridge						
	Lamoille	Stowe						
19	Franklin	Enosburgh-Richford UUSD	$89,385,290	4,100	$98,634,789	$3,168,576	$9,249,499	10%
	Franklin	Missisquoi Valley School District						
	Franklin	Northern Mountain Valley UUSD						
	Grand Isle	Alburgh						
20	Franklin	Maple Run USD	$98,783,074	4,357	$90,092,408	$3,367,000	-$8,690,666	-9%
	Franklin	Fairfax						
	Franklin	Fletcher						
	Franklin	Georgia						
21	Chittenden	Burlington	$133,958,268	4,220	$114,291,773	$3,260,995	-$19,666,495	-15%
	Chittenden	Winooski ID						
22	Chittenden	South Burlington	$58,770,072	2,550	$52,491,279	$1,970,730	-$6,278,793	-11%
24	Grand Isle	Champlain Islands UUSD	$101,820,756	4,457	$92,919,751	$3,444,303	-$8,901,005	-9%
	Chittenden	Colchester						
	Chittenden	Milton						
	Grand Isle	South Hero						
25	Washington	Montpelier Roxbury School District	$61,819,346	2,422	$51,738,382	$1,871,951	-$10,080,964	-16%
	Washington	Washington Central UUSD						
26	Addison	Granville-Hancock Unified District	$43,457,726	1,878	$39,229,106	$1,450,976	-$4,228,620	-10%
	Washington	Harwood UUSD						
27	Washington	Barre UUSD	$88,128,854	4,102	$96,359,335	$3,169,906	$8,230,481	9%
	Orange	Echo Valley Community School District						
	Washington	Montpelier Roxbury School District						
	Washington	Paine Mountain School District						
	Washington	Twinfield USD						
	Washington	Cabot						
28	Caledonia	Hazen UHSD	$54,118,053	1,984	$49,455,456	$1,532,978	-$4,662,597	-9%
	Orleans	Orleans Southwest UESD						
	Orleans	Lake Region UHSD						
	Orleans	Lake Region Union Elementary-Middle School						
	Orleans	Craftsbury						
	Caledonia	Stannard						
	Lamoille	Wolcott						
29	Windsor	Windsor Central UUSD	$26,170,420	966	$19,151,920	$746,153	-$7,018,500	-27%
	Rutland	Pittsfield						
Interstate 1*	Orange	Rivendell Interstate School District	$7,989,100	267	$7,112,915	$206,492	-$876,185	-11%
Interstate 2*	Windsor	Norwich	$14,935,099	616	$9,883,620	$476,052	-$5,051,479	-34%
Statewide Totals:			**$1,988,399,661**	**82,460**	**$1,867,717,369**	**$63,725,206**	**-$120,682,292**	**-6%**

**Note, the interstate districts were left unassigned in the House Education map. They are presented above as "Interstate 1" & "Interstate 2" to account for their member districts.*
This is for informational purposes and does not represent a policy decision.

Further Considerations:

Estimates are based on data from fiscal year 2026 and reflects impacts if Act 73 were to have been implemented in fiscal year 2026.
Fiscal year 2026 Education Spending is presented as approximate, as some current districts were split. Split district Education Spending is allocated based on the district's member towns' estimated share of the district's long-term weighted average daily membership (LTWADM) under current law.
The analysis holds all else equal, and does not include or attempt to predict future State or local policy decisions.
The analysis includes the estimated impacts for the sparse and small school support grants; this estimate will change based on the implementation of "sparse by necessity" and "small by necessity".