STATE AND LOCAL SCHOOL FUNDING FACT SHEET

KNOX COUNTY SCHOOLS

STATE AND LOCAL FUNDING PER STUDENT: $8,125 ($9,009 state average)
BEP FUNDING PER STUDENT: $6,881 (53% state, 47% local)
LOCAL FUNDING ABOVE BEP: $1,244 (15.3% local addition)
TOTAL LOCAL FUNDING ABOVE BEP: 15.3%
STATE PERCENTAGE - FUNDING PER STUDENT: 44.5%
LOCAL PERCENTAGE - FUNDING PER STUDENT: 55.5%

Regional and State Averages

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Sources:
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