

ECS Formula Town Data Model

The purpose of this model is illustrate the changes in ECS formula variable values for each town over the past five years. This model uses data from the ECS shells for each fiscal year (FY) included. To use this model, please select a town in the blue box below. The data in the table will update based on the town selected. Please note that the "Year" columns of the table refer to the fiscal year ECS grant that was calculated using the demographic and town wealth data in the table. Generally, demographic data is from October of the prior fiscal year (ex. FY 26 ECS calculated using October 2024 student counts).

Town:	ECS Fiscal Year					5-Year Change	
	2022**	2023	2024	2025	2026	(%)	(#)
ECS Components							
Demographics*							
Resident Student Count	2,212	2,228	2,201	2,084	2,068	-6%	-143
Low-Income Students							
Free or Reduced Price Lunch Count	518	509	531	532	516	0%	-2
Free or Reduced Price Lunch Percentage	23%	23%	24%	26%	25%	7%	2%
Concentrated Poverty Count	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Multilingual Learners							
Multilingual Learner Count	13	35	37	40	44	238%	31
Multilingual Learner Percentage	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%	262%	2%
Town Wealth							
Property Wealth							
Equalized Net Grand List per Capita~	\$112,308	\$118,159	\$129,374	\$137,940	\$154,911	38%	\$42,603
Income Wealth							
Median Household Income^	\$103,380	\$105,281	\$107,914	\$104,527	\$114,505	11%	\$11,125
Public Investment Community (PIC) Bonus`							
Public Investment Community (PIC) Index Score	242	235	246	-	-		
Public Investment Community (PIC) Index Rank	64	81	77	-	-		
Phase-In Status***	Decrease						
Fully Funded Grant (As of ECS FY)^^	\$9,131,456	\$8,959,678	\$8,613,039	\$8,876,623	\$8,451,615	-7%	-\$679,841
Notes							
* Demographic data collected in October of the prior fiscal year (ex. FY 26 ECS calculated using October 2024 student counts).							
** Demographic data used to calculate FY 22 ECS grants is not considered reliable due to the COVID-19 pandemic.							
~ ENGLC data is the 3-year average of data collected 4, 5, and 6 years prior to ECS FY.							
^ MHI data generally collected 4 years prior to ECS F							
` PIC data generally collected 1 year prior to ECS FY. Higher score = higher need, lower rank = higher need. As of 2024, the PIC Index Score and Rank is only reported for towns ranking in the top quartile of the PIC Index.							
*** ECS phase-out paused from FY 22 to FY 25.							
^^ Fully Funded Grant incorporates impact of policy changes (weights, thresholds) that have occurred over past 5 years.							