

Cedar Falls Community School District

2026/2027 Certified Budget Presentation
April 13, 2026



- Key Factors & Comparison Data
- Levy Rates
- Estimated Property Tax
- 25-26 Amended Budget

Overview

Cedar Falls CSD – Summary of Funds

<u>Governmental Fund</u>		
General Fund (10-16)		
Includes:		
Special Education (12)		
Consortium Prog. (13)		
Categorical Funds (14)		
Instructional Support Levy (16)		
Special Revenue Fund		
Includes:		
Student Activity (21)		
Management Fund (22)		
District Support Trust Fund (27)		
- Funds donated to District		
both Principal and Interest can		
be used		
Capital Projects		
Includes:		
G.O. Bond Proceeds (31)		
SAVE/LOT (33)		
Physical Plant & Equip. (36)		
Debt Service (40)		
<u>Proprietary Fund</u>		
Enterprise Fund		
Includes:		
School Nutrient (61)		
Student Coffee Shop (68)		
<u>Fiduciary Fund</u>		
Private Purpose Trust		
Misc. Student Scholarships (81)		
Custodial Funds		
Includes:		
EE Staff Flower Funds, (92)		
Cedar Falls Foundation		
Booster Clubs, School (93)		
Parent Groups		
River Hills Consortium (94)		

General Fund Budget Determination

- Aid & Levy Budget Worksheet
 - Implements the school foundation aid formula
 - Calculates the amount of spending authority, state aid and property taxes for a school
 - Formula first – determines the total maximum spending authority
 - Determines state aid vs. property tax

Four Key Factors Iowa Public School Foundation Formula

1. Enrollment
2. Equalization
3. Supplemental State Aid (SSA)
4. Balance



Enrollment

Enrollment determines the majority of funding received by a school district, based on a count performed on October 1.

$$\text{Enrollment} \times \text{Cost per Student} =$$

75% of Total General Fund Resources/Spending Authority

Funding follows the student (*but not in all cases*)

Open enrollment → out of your district = you cut a check to the receiving district

Open enrollment ← Into your district = your district receives a check

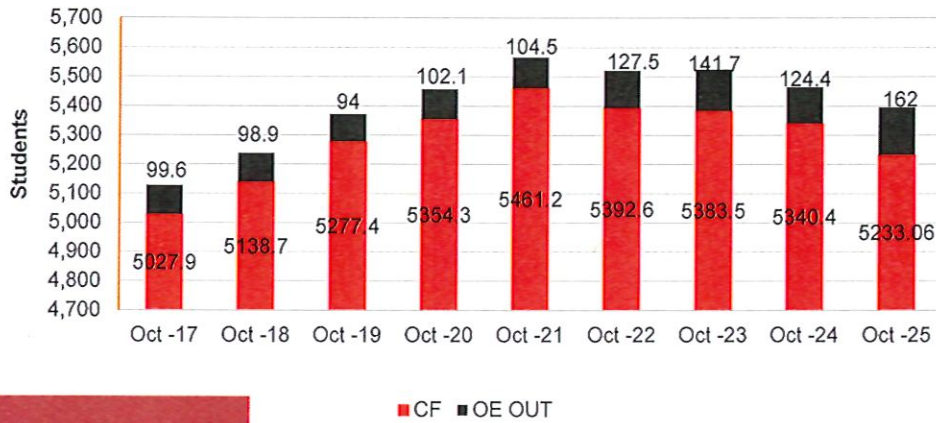


Certified Enrollment
Students living in
your district

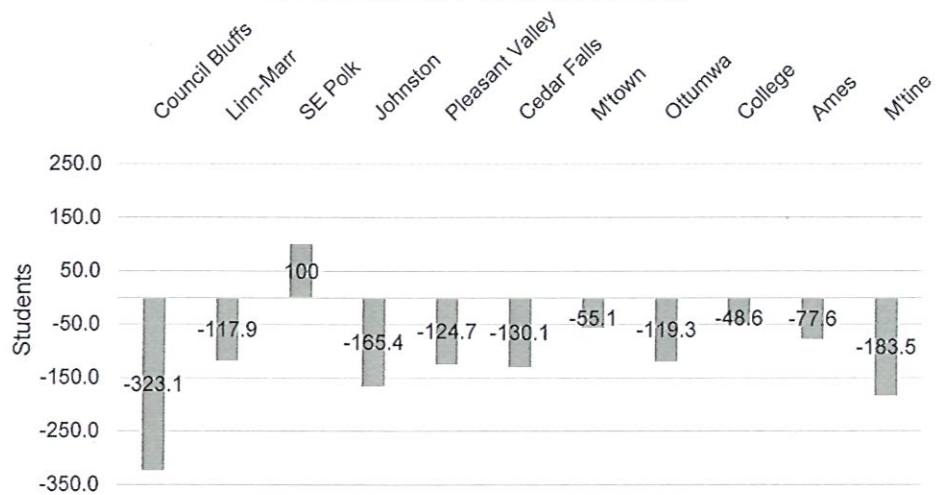


Served Enrollment
Students going to
school in your district

Certified Enrollment



Similar Sized Schools Three Year Cumulative Change Certified Enrollment

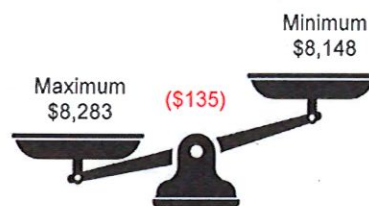


Oct. 2023, 2024 & 2025 certified enrollment count

Equalization

- Legislature established a law that "cost per student" across the state will be nearly equal to ensure every student equal access to a quality education

FY2027 State Cost Per Pupil (SCPP) \$8,148



325 Districts
95 > SCPP
230 = SCPP

Legislature & Governor
control the annual increase in
dollars per student

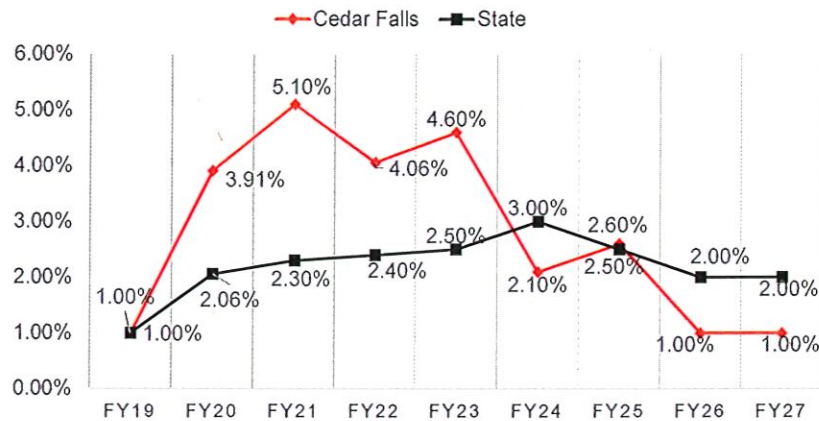
Supplemental State Aid (SSA)

Calculation - State Cost Per Pupil (SCPP)

FY2026 State Cost Per Pupil		\$7,983
FY2026 State Rate of Growth	x	2.00%
Increase in FY2025 SCPP	=	\$160
Est. FY2026 SCPP Amount	=	\$8,143
Equity Legislation Additional to SCPP	=	\$5
Est New FY2027 SCPP	=	\$8,148

State foundation formula **sets the expenditure ceiling** for each school district's **total spending authority** and **tells** the school district how to fund its spending authority.

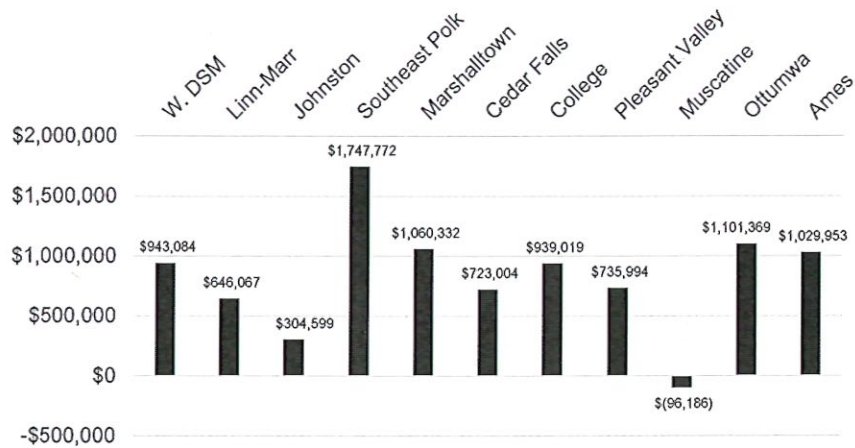
History of Supplemental State Aid in Percentage



SSA Comparison – Similar Sized Schools

State Rank	School District	2025/26 RPDC	2025/26 RPDC/P	10/1/25 Count	26/27 RPDC	Dollar Growth	% Growth	Per Pupil Growth	Enrollment Increase
11	W. Des Moines	\$68,104,090	\$7,988	8,458.1	\$68,785,131	\$681,041	1.00%	\$82.56	-276.4
12	Linn-Marr	\$59,859,676	\$7,988	7,448.7	\$60,692,008	\$832,332	1.39%	\$111.74	-45.0
13	Southeast Polk	\$58,221,337	\$7,988	7,299.6	\$59,477,141	\$1,255,804	2.16%	\$172.04	11.0
14	Johnston	\$54,052,491	\$7,988	6,673.0	\$54,371,604	\$190,254	0.59%	\$47.82	-64.5
15	Pleasant Valley	\$44,425,298	\$8,081	5,413.2	\$44,869,551	\$444,253	1.00%	\$82.07	-84.3
16	Cedar Falls	\$43,672,617	\$7,988	5,395.1	\$44,089,350	\$416,733	0.95%	\$77.24	-69.7
17	Marshalltown	\$42,983,517	\$7,989	5,297.2	\$43,413,049	\$429,832	1.00%	\$81.14	-83.1
18	College	\$40,849,034	\$7,988	5,026.6	\$41,257,525	\$408,491	1.00%	\$81.27	-87.2
19	Ottumwa	\$40,932,908	\$7,988	4,994.1	\$41,342,237	\$409,329	1.00%	\$81.96	-130.2
20	Ames	\$36,444,292	\$8,038	4,468.9	\$36,808,735	\$364,443	1.00%	\$81.55	-65.1
21	Muscatine	\$34,958,961	\$7,988	4,239.3	\$34,820,163	(\$138,798)	-0.40%	(\$32.74)	-76.6

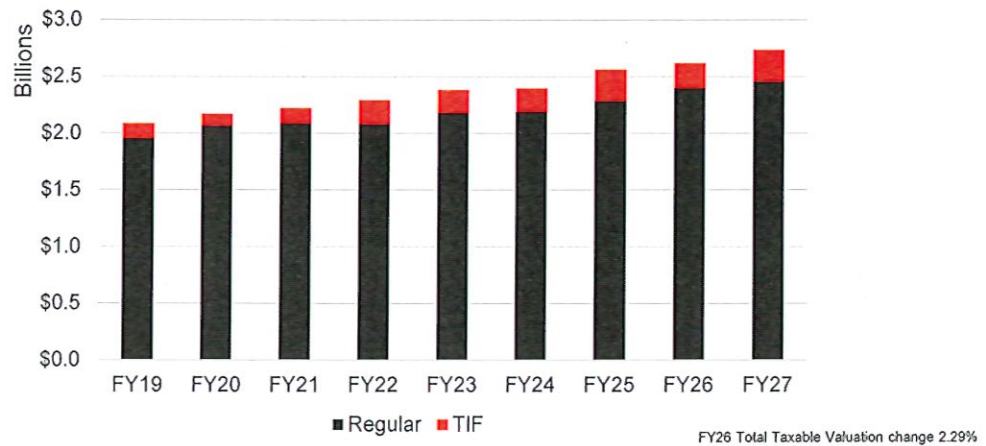
Similar Sized Schools Three Year Average Increase Supplemental State Aid



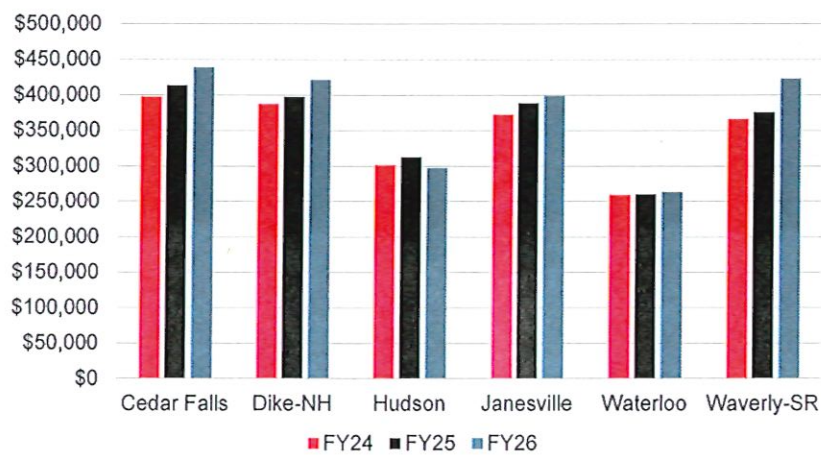
Balance

- The ratio of property tax & state aid supporting a district's budget varies by district. "Property rich districts" will receive less state aid.
 - Uniform levy - \$5.40/\$1,000
 - State Foundation Percentage - to 88.4% level
 - Supplemental State Aid - covers property tax increase as a result of an increase in "cost per pupil"
 - Additional levy - varies from district to district

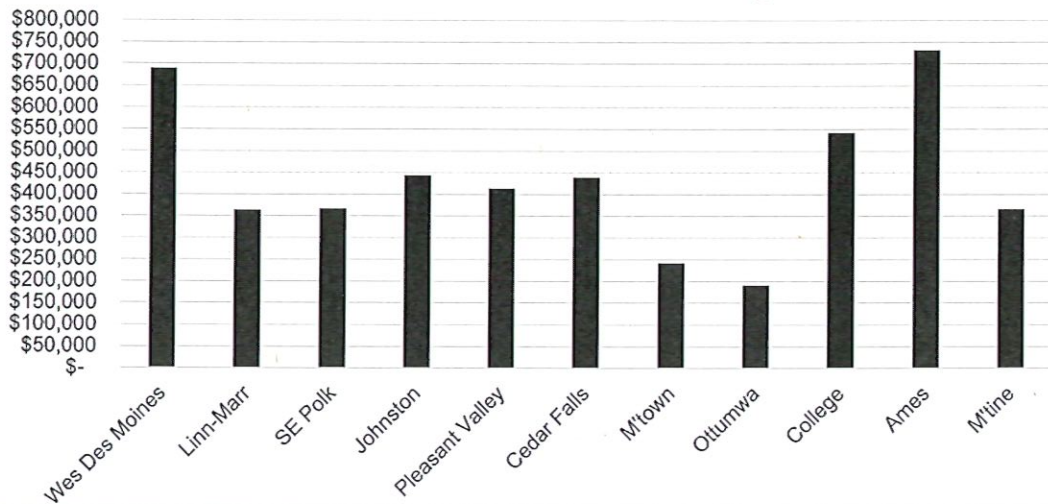
History of Assessed Valuation



Valuation Per Student Area School 3 YR. Comparison



2025/26 Valuation Per Student Similar Size School Comparison



2026/27 Combined District Cost \$8,148 Per Student

6.56%	\$ 534 per Student	Additional Levy Combined District Cost – Foundation Dollar Level
68.28%	\$5,564 per Student	State Foundation Aid = Foundation Dollar Level – Uniform Levy Foundation dollar cost per pupil as set by the State of Iowa x Weighted Enrollment - Uniform Levy + SSA Prop Tax Replacement Payment
25.17%	\$2,050 per Student	Uniform Levy = \$5.40 per \$1,000 assessed valuation x school district assessed valuation

Combined District Cost Funding

Uniform Levy (Section 6)

- Property Tax Portion = \$13,250,623 (Ln. 6.3)
- Property Tax Rate = \$5.40000

Final State Foundation Aid

- Regular Program = \$43,525,634 (Ln. 9.13- Ln. 9.12)
 - Includes TSS, PD, TLC, Early Intervention & Property Tax Replacement Payment (PTRP)

Combined District Cost Funding

Additional Levy (Section 8 minus Section 13)

• Gross Property Tax Additional Levy (Ln. 8.4)	\$8,227,416
• Utility Replacement Adjustment (Ln. 8.42)	- 29,371
• AEA Statewide Reduction (Ln. 8.45)	+ 85,230
• Property Tax Replacement Payment (Ln. 8.19)	-1,631,778
• Add. Levy Utility Replacement Adj. (Ln. 13.5)	- 973
• Dropout Prevention Program (Ln. 5.17)	-1,077,401
• Net Additional Levy	\$5,573,123

Property Tax Rate = \$2.03161

Combined District Cost Summary

Uniform and Additional Levy

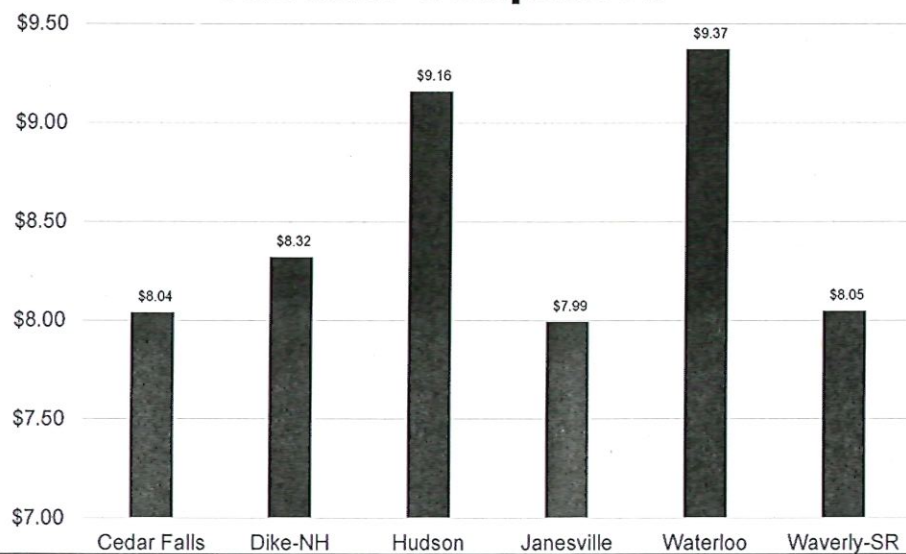
- Property Tax Portion = \$18,235,825
- Property Tax Rate = \$7.43161

Dropout Prevention (approved by BOE on Jan. 12, 2026)

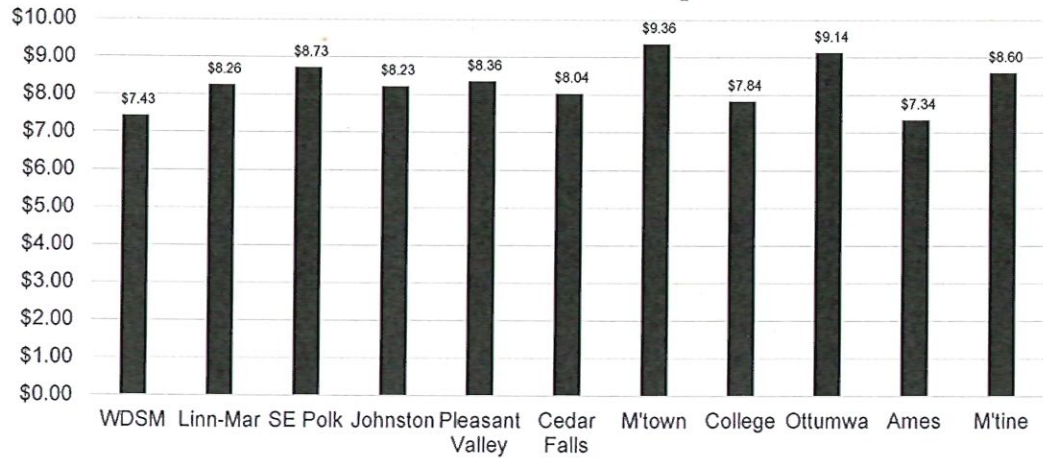
- Property Tax Portion = \$1,077,401
- Property Tax Rate = \$0.43907

Total Property Tax Portion = \$19,313,226
Total Property Tax Rate = \$7.87068

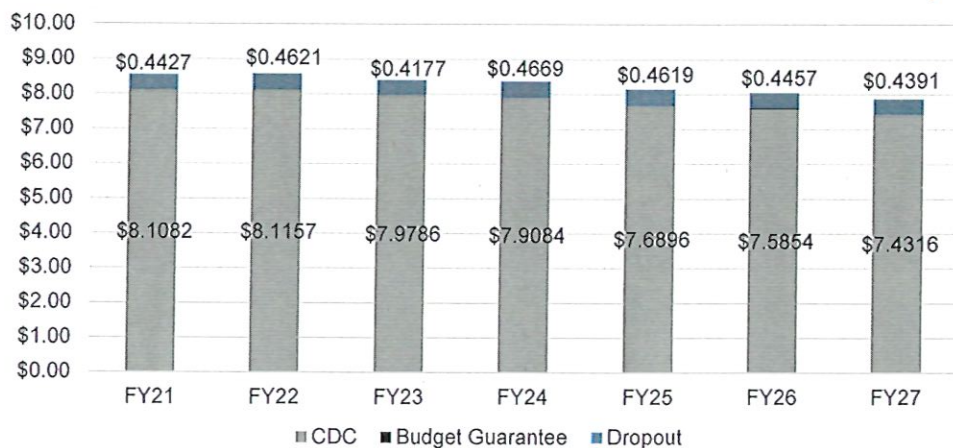
2025/26 Combined District Cost Tax Rate Comparison



2025/26 Combined District Cost Similar Size School Comparison



History of Combined District Cost & Dropout Property Tax Rates



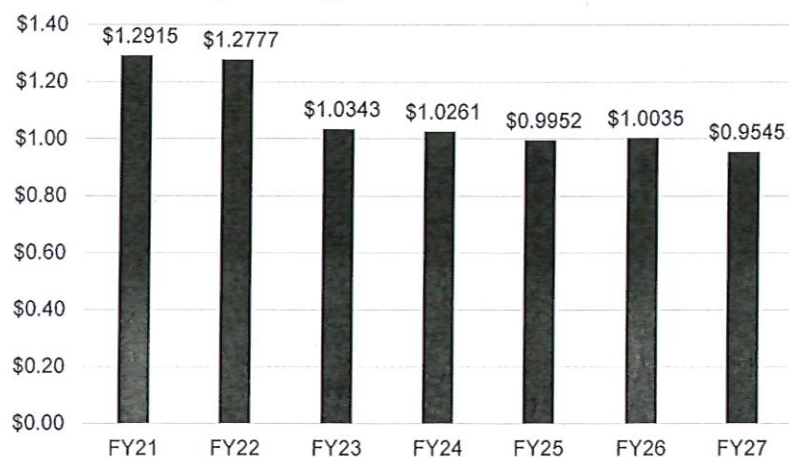
Instructional Support Levy

Included with General Fund for reporting to Dept. of Education
5 year levy approved by Board of Education

• 10% of regular district program costs (Ln. 10.5)	\$ 4,408,935
• Less gross ISL State Aid (Ln. 10.14)	- \$ 1,203,198
• Less 1% Income Surtax Dollars (Ln. 10.17)	- \$ 595,455
• Net Property Tax	\$ 2,610,282
• Instructional Support State Aid	+ \$ 0
• (0% of Gross State Aid)	
• Total Adjusted ISL Dollars	= \$ 2,610,282
• Less anticipated actual ISL State Aid	- \$ 0
• Anticipated Actual ISL Dollars (Ln. 10.21)	\$ 2,610,282
• Adjusted instructional Support State Aid (Ln. 10.24)	+ \$ 162,432
• Income Surtax Dollars (Ln. 10.17)	+ \$ 595,455
• Adjusted Instructional Support Prog. (Ln. 10.27)	\$ 3,368,169

Total Property Tax Rate = \$0.95454 / \$1,000

History of Instructional Support Levy Property Tax Rates



Cash Reserve Levy

PART 1 & 2

Increased enrollment, open enrollment, LEP excess cost

- \$397,743 – Open Enrollment Out
 - Approved by BOE Dec. 8, 2025
- \$37,304 – ELL beyond 5 years
 - Approved by BOE Dec. 8, 2025
- \$107,231 – LEP allowable excess cost
 - Approved by BOE Oct. 13, 2025

Special Education

- \$397,732– Special Ed excess cost
 - Approved by BOE Oct 13, 2025

Total SBRC #1 & 2 approved requests - \$0
Property Tax Rate = \$0

General Fund Summary

Total General Fund Request

	<u>Dollars</u>	<u>Rate</u>
Comb. District Cost	\$18,235,825	\$7.43161
Dropout Prev.	\$ 1,077,401	\$0.43907
Instructional Sup.	\$ 2,610,282	\$0.95454
Cash Rev. Levy	\$ 0	\$0.00000
Total	\$ 21,923,508	\$8.82522

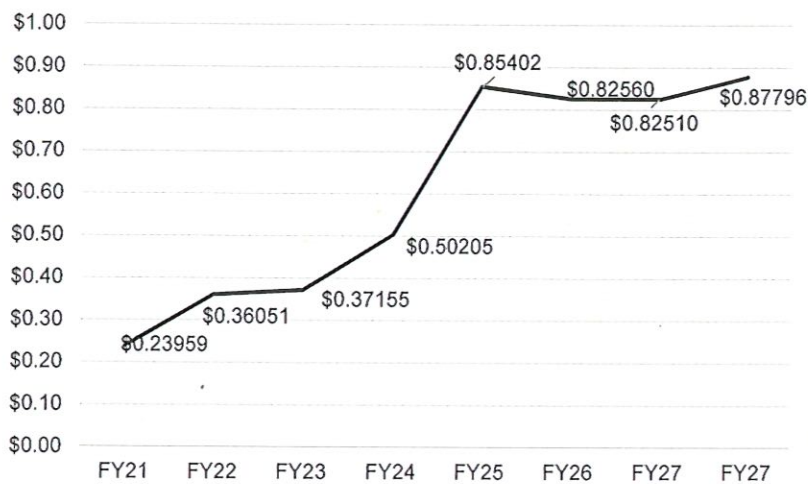
History of General Fund Property Tax Rates



Management Fund

- Restricted Fund
 - Board of Education Controlled
 - Uses
 - For property/liability/auto/workman compensation/etc. insurance premiums
 - Property loss deductible
 - Early severance benefits
- Amount Requested for 2026/27
 - \$2,154,350
 - Property Tax Rate = \$0.87796/\$1,000

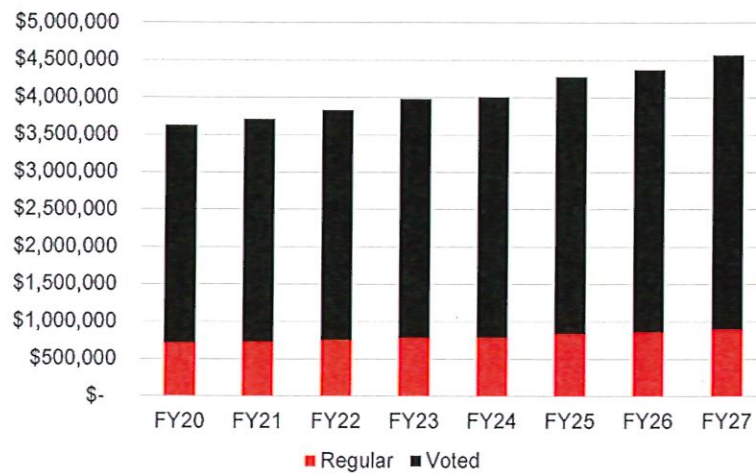
History of Management Fund Property Tax Rate



- Restricted fund with two parts
 - Board of Education controlled – up to \$0.33/\$1,000 (regular)
 - Voter approved renewal of additional \$1.34/\$1,000
 - 10 year levy, expires June 30, 2028.
 - Uses
 - Purchase or improvement of grounds
 - Construction, repairing or remodeling of schoolhouses or roads to schoolhouses
 - Purchase of lease of equipment greater than \$500/unit
 - Purchasing of “bundled” equipment and technology greater than \$500
 - Purchase or lease school buses or other vehicles
 - Leasing or renting of facilities
- Amount Requested for 2026/2027
 - \$902,420 (regular) & \$3,664,371 (voted) = \$4,566,791
 - Property Tax Rate = \$1.67/\$1,000

Physical Plant & Equipment Levy

History of Physical Plan & Equipment Property Tax Revenue

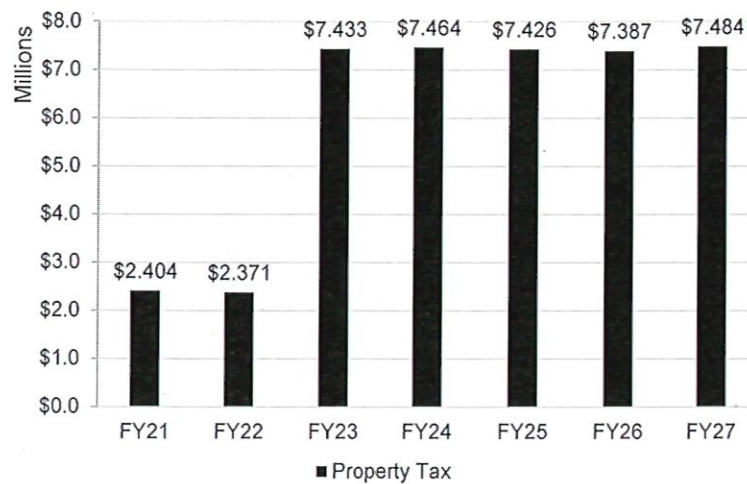


- Used to pay interest and principal due
- \$32 million bond
 - Bonds sold Feb. 7, 2017
 - 19 years at 3.0785%
- \$69.9 million bond
 - Bonds sold May 11, 2022
 - 20 years at 3.9781%
- Amount requested for 2026/27
 - \$7,484,375
 - Property Tax Rate \$2.73691/\$1,000

Debt Service

Restricted Fund

History of Debt Service Levy Property Tax Revenue



Summary

• Combined District Cost	\$18,235,825	
• Dropout Prevention	\$ 1,077,401	
• Cash Rev. Levy – SBRC	\$ 0	
• Sub-Total General Fund	\$19,313,226	\$ 7.87068
• Instructional Support Levy	\$ 2,610,282	\$ 0.95454
• Management Fund	\$ 2,154,350	\$ 0.87796
• Voted PPEL Levy	\$ 3,664,371	\$ 1.34000
• Regular PPEL Levy	\$ 902,420	\$ 0.33000
• Debt Service Levy	\$ 7,484,375	\$ 2.73691
• Total	\$36,129,404	\$14.11009

Projected Residential Property Tax

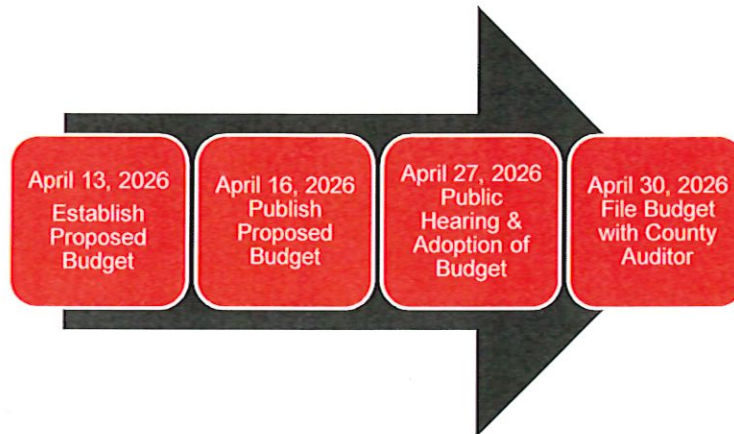
		2025/26	2026/27
• Prop. Value		\$100,000	\$100,000
• Rollback (Set by IA Dept of Rev.)	X	<u>0.474316</u>	<u>0.445345</u>
• Taxable Value prior to Credits		\$ 47,432	\$ 44,535
• Tax Rate	X	<u>0.145275</u>	<u>0.141100</u>
• Est. Net Tax	=	\$ 689.00	\$ 628.00
• Total Change		\$61.00 or -8.8%	

Does not include Homestead or Military credits

Projected Commercial Property Tax

		2025/26	2026/27
• Prop. Value		\$400,000	\$400,000
• Rollback <=\$150K (Set by IA Dept of Rev.)	X	0.474316	0.445345
• Rollback >\$150K (Set by IA Dept of Rev.)	X	0.900000	0.900000
• Taxable Value (<=\$150K)		\$ 71,147	\$ 66,802
• Taxable Value (>\$150K)		<u>\$225,000</u>	<u>\$225,000</u>
• Total Taxable Value		\$296,147	\$291,802
• Tax Rate	X	<u>0.145275</u>	<u>0.141100</u>
• Est. Net Tax	=	\$ 4,302	\$ 4,118
• Total Change		\$184 or -4.3%	

2026/2027 Budget Timeline



2025/26 School Budget Amendment

Iowa Code Section 24.9

Budget estimates adopted and certified in accordance with this chapter may be amended and increased as need arises.....to permit appropriation and expenditure during the fiscal year covered by the budget of amounts of cash anticipated to be available during the year from sources other than taxation and which had not been estimated and appropriated for expenditure during fiscal year of the budget sought to be amended.

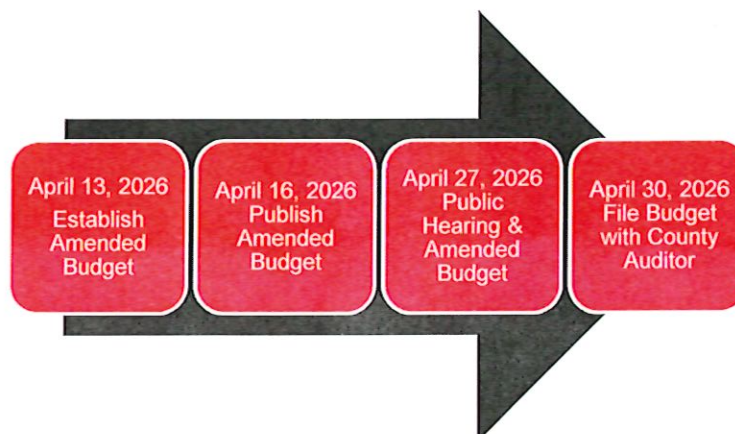
Iowa Code Section 257.7 (2)

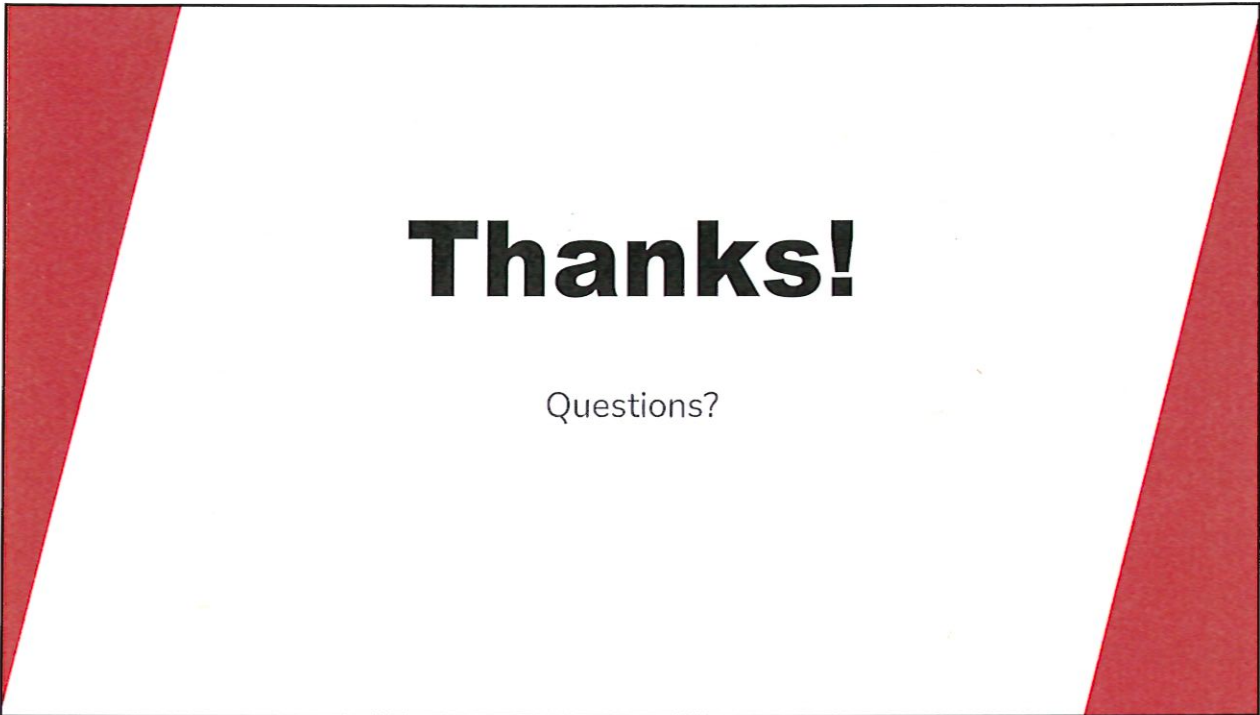
If actual miscellaneous income for a budget year exceeds the anticipated miscellaneous income in the certified budget for that year.....a school district may amend its certified budget.

2025/26 School Budget Amendment

- Amendment to 2025/26 Budget
 - Instructional
 - Amend expenditures from \$56,583,352 to \$57,572,247
 - District network access points and switches
 - Noninstructional Programs
 - Amend expenditures from \$3,757,326 to \$3,939,259
 - Increase in cost of food and supplies
- Public hearing required

2025/26 Budget Amendment Timeline





Thanks!

Questions?

Aid and Levy Input and Result - AID AND LEVY INPUTS
Example Budget Adjustment (Guarantee) Resolution:
 RESOLVED, that the Board of Directors of CEDAR FALLS community school district, will levy property taxes for fiscal year 2026-2027 for the regular program budget adjustment as allowed under section 257.14, Code of Iowa.
 Grand Total Levy Rate: 14.11009
 FY 2027 Regular Program Budget Adjustment: 130.075

		Amount	Maximum
Audited Change in Enrollment			
Certified Enrollment Change		0.0	
Supplementary Weight - Sharing - Community College Course		0	
Supplementary Weight Change - ELL		0	
Aid and Levy Inputs			
Enter Regular Program State Percent of Growth		% 2.0000	
Enter Teacher Salary Supplement State Percent of Growth		% 2.0000	
Enter Professional Development Supplement State Percent of Growth		% 2.0000	
Enter Early Intervention Supplement State Percent of Growth		% 2.0000	
Enter Teacher Leadership Supplement State Percent of Growth		% 2.0000	
COMBINED DISTRICT COST SUMMARY			
FY27 SBRC Modified Supplemental Amount - Dropout	5.17	1,077,401	
PRESCHOOL FOUNDATION AID			
Audited Change in October 2024 Preschool Budget Enrollment	7.31	0.0	
INSTRUCTIONAL SUPPORT PROGRAM			
Maximum Portion (Can't exceed 10.00%)	10.4	% 10.00	% 10 - Maximum ISL Portion on File with DOM.
Instructional Support Income Surtax Rate	10.15	% 1	% 20 - Maximum ISL Surtax Rate on File with DOM - Must have at least 1%
District Income Tax Paid in 2024	10.16	59,545,467	
EDUCATIONAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM			
Vote Maximum Portion - Educational Improvement	11.2	% 0.00	
Ed Improvement Income Surtax Rate	11.4	% 0	
SUMMARY OF GENERAL FUND LEVIES			
Cash Reserve Levy - SBRC	15.9	0	643,212 - Maximum Cash Reserve Levy 15.9 + 15.10
Cash Reserve Levy - Other	15.10	0	
Use of Fund Balance to Reduce Levy	15.11	0	
VOTED PHYSICAL PLANT & EQUIPMENT (VPPEL)			
Vote VPPEL Rate Limit	19.2	1,34000	1,34000 - Maximum VPPEL Rate on File with DOM.
Vote VPPEL Income Surtax Rate	19.4	% 0	% 0
OTHER PROPERTY & UTILITY REPLACEMENT TAXES			
Management	21.1	2,154,350	
Amara Library	21.2	0	
Regular Physical Plant & Equipment	21.3	902,420	902,420 - Maximum Regular Physical Plant & Equipment Levy.
Reorganization Equalization Levy	21.4	0	
Emergency Levy (for Disaster Recovery)	21.5	0	
Public Education and Recreation	21.6	0	
Debt Service (Complete Long Term Debt Schedule Tab)	21.7	7,484,375	

Aid and Levy Input and Result - RESULTS

AID AND LEVY RESULTS			
FY27 Regular Program District Cost without Adjustment	4.3	43,959,275	
FY27 Regular Program Budget Adjustment	4.8	130,075	
Teacher Salary Supplement District Cost	4.22	4,338,932	
Professional Development Supplement District Cost	4.30	470,983	
Early Intervention Supplement District Cost	4.38	477,156	
Teacher Leadership Supplement District Cost	4.46	2,287,692	
Combined District Cost	5.19	63,145,394	
Total Preschool Foundation Aid	7.35	769,986	
State Foundation Aid	9.13	44,295,620	
Instructional Support Income Surtax Dollars	10.17	595,455	
Instructional Support Property & Utility Replacement Tax Dollars	10.21	2,610,282	
Total Levy to Fund Combined District Cost	15.3	19,313,231	
Ed Improvement Levy (Line 11.9)	15.5	0	
Cash Reserve Levy - SBRC	15.9	0	
Cash Reserve Levy - Other	15.10	0	
Use of Fund Balance to Reduce Levy	15.11	0	
Subtotal General Fund Levy without Instructional Support	15.14	19,313,231	
Instructional Support Levy (Line 10.21)	15.13	2,610,282	
Total General Fund Levy	15.12	21,923,513	
Subtotal General Fund Levy Rate	15.16	7,87068	
Instructional Support Levy Rate	15.19	0.95454	
Total General Fund Levy Rate	15.21	8.82522	
Dollars Generated for District from Resident ESA Students			
Resident Students Receiving an Education Savings Account (ESA)		426	
Teacher Salary Supplement		317,532	
Professional Development Supplement		34,468	
Early Intervention Supplement		34,919	
Teacher Leadership Supplement		167,418	
Total Dollars Generated for District from Resident ESAs:		554,337	
TAX CERT RESULTS			
Subtotal General Fund Levy (A&L line 15.14)		7,87068	19,313,231
+ Instructional Support Levy (A&L line 15.13)		0.95454	2,610,282
= Total General Fund Levy (A&L line 15.12)		8.82522	21,923,513
Management		0.87796	2,154,350
Amara Library		0.00000	0
Voted Physical Plant & Equipment (Loan Agreement)			0
+ Voted Physical Plant & Equipment (Capital Project)			3,664,371
= Subtotal Voted Physical Plant & Equipment		1,34000	3,664,371
+ Regular Physical Plant & Equipment		0.33000	902,420
= Total Physical Plant & Equipment			4,566,791
Reorganization Equalization Levy		0.00000	0
Emergency Levy (for Disaster Recovery)		0.00000	0
Public Education/Recreation (Playground)		0.00000	0
Debt Service		2,73691	7,484,375

CEDAR FALLS Long Term Debt Schedule FY 2027
General Obligation Bonds, Voted PPEL Loan, Lease-Purchase Payments, Revenue Bonds
Form includes ALL long term debt.

Series Name (A)	Original Amount of Issue (B)	Original Principal Due FY2027 (C)	Original Interest Due FY2027 (D)	Subtotal Original Obligation Due FY2027 (C)+(D)=(E)	Bond Administration Costs FY2027 (F)	Payment Reduction due to Principal Surplus Levied in Prior Years (G)	Interst Savings from Surplus Levy (H)	Amount Paid from Other Sources & Fund Balance in Appropriate Fund (I)	Net Amount Levied for this Fiscal Year (E)+(F)-(G)- (H)-(I)=(J)	Verify
Voted GO Bonds										
(1) 2017	32,000,000	1,730,000	611,375	2,341,375	600				2,341,975	Yes
(2) 2022	69,900,000	2,745,000	2,397,400	5,142,400	0				5,142,400	Yes
(3)				0					0	
(4)				0					0	
(5)				0					0	
(6)				0					0	
(7)				0					0	
(8)				0					0	
(9)				0					0	
(10)				0					0	
(11)				0					0	
(12)				0					0	
(13)				0					0	
(14)				0					0	
Totals	101,900,000	4,475,000	3,008,775	7,483,775	600	0	0	0	7,484,375	
Advanced Surplus Levy										
(1)				0					0	
(2)				0					0	
(3)				0					0	
(4)				0					0	
Totals		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Voted PPEL Loan										
(1)				0					0	
(2)				0					0	
(3)				0					0	
(4)				0					0	
Totals	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Sales Tax Revenue Bonds										
(1) 2016	15,580,000	1,275,000	81,900	1,356,900	1,000				1,357,900	Yes
(2) 2019	10,000,000	1,000,000	92,055	1,092,055	600				1,092,655	Yes
(3) 2021	32,900,000	850,000	598,130	1,448,130	600				1,448,730	Yes
(4)				0					0	
(5)				0					0	
(6)				0					0	
(7)				0					0	
(8)				0					0	
(9)				0					0	
(10)				0					0	
(11)				0					0	
(12)				0					0	
(13)				0					0	
(14)				0					0	
Totals	58,480,000	3,125,000	772,085	3,897,085	2,200	0	0	0	3,899,285	

		NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING -PROPOSED PROPERTY TAX LEVY Proposed CEDAR FALLS Property Tax Levy Fiscal Year July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2027	
Location of Public Hearing: City of Cedar Falls Council Chambers, 220 Clay St, Cedar Falls, IA		Date of Public Hearing: 4/13/2026	Time of Public Hearing: 05:30 PM
Location of Notice on School Website: https://www.cfschools.org/about-us/financial_services/tax_notice			

At the public hearing any resident or taxpayer may present oral or written objections to, or arguments in favor of the proposed tax levy.
After the hearing of the proposed tax levy, the Board will publish notice and hold a hearing on the proposed budget.

		Current Year Final Property Tax Dollar Levy FY 2026	Budget Year Effective Property Tax Dollar Levy (No change in Property Tax Dollars Levied) FY 2027	Budget Year Proposed Property Tax Dollar Levy FY 2027
General Fund Levy	1	19,626,219	19,626,219	19,256,481
Instructional Support Levy	2	2,619,655	2,619,655	2,603,408
Management	3	1,974,405	1,974,405	2,148,025
Amana Library	4	0	0	0
Voted Physical Plant and Equipment	5	3,498,129	3,498,129	3,654,710
Regular Physical Plant and Equipment	6	861,479	861,479	900,041
Reorganization Equalization	7	0	0	0
Public Education/Recreation (Playground)	8	0	0	0
Debt Service	9	7,366,119	7,366,119	7,464,637
Grand Total	10	35,946,006	35,946,006	36,027,302
		Current Year Final Property Tax Rate FY 2026	Budget Year Effective Property Tax Rate (No change in Property Tax Dollars Levied) FY 2027	Budget Year Proposed Property Tax Rate FY 2027
Grand Total Levy Rate		14.52750	14.08854	14.11009
Property Tax Comparison		Current Year Property Taxes	Proposed Property Taxes	Percent Change
Residential property with an Actual/Assessed Value of \$100,000/\$110,000		689	691	0.29
Commercial property with an Actual/Assessed Value of \$300,000/\$330,000		2,995	3,229	7.81

Note: Actual/Assessed Valuation is multiplied by a Rollback Percentage to get to the Taxable Valuation to calculate Property Taxes. Residential and Commercial properties have the same Rollback Percentage at \$150,000 Actual/Assessed Valuation. The Proposed Property taxes assume a 10% increase in property values for the year as a comparison to the current year.

Reasons for tax increase if proposed exceeds the current:

The district saw property valuation growth, which led to additional funds generated and an increase in management fund due to additional district facilities with increase in replacement values.

FY 2026 RE-ESTIMATED WORKSHEET
Dist Name: CEDAR FALLS
Dist Number: 1044

Resources:	General (10)	Activity (21)	Management (22)	PERL (24)	Entp(23) Equal(25) Lib(29) SpecRev(27)	Emg Levy (26)/ Disaster R (28)	Sales Tax (33)	PPEL (36)	Other Cap Proj	Debt Service (40)	Nutrition (61)	Oth Entp (62-69)	Total
Taxes Levied on Property	1 22,245,874		1,974,403	0	0	0		4,359,608		7,366,119			35,946,006
Utility Replacement Excise Tax	2 67,892		6,086	0	0	0		12,310		20,800			107,088
Income Surtax	3 610,125							0					610,125
Tuition/Transportation Received	4 4,065,039	0		0									4,065,039
Earnings on Investments	5 816,990	0	750	0	500	0	680,434	239,423	0	25,325	142,862	0	1,906,284
Nutrition Program Sales	6										1,768,832	0	1,768,832
Student Activities and Sales	7 210,185	1,120,685											1,330,870
Other Revenues from Local Sources	8 362,750	0	38,000	0	10,000	0	138,675	4,984,854	0	5,000	20,000	0	5,559,279
Revenue from Intermediary Sources	9 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
State Foundation Aid	10 43,367,144												43,367,144
Instructional Support State Aid	11 0												0
Other State Sources	12 0	0	0	0	0	0	7,470,655	0	0	0	18,560	0	7,489,215
Two Tier Assessment Limitation Replacement	13 334,096		29,948	0	0			60,379	0	102,355			526,978
Title I Grants	14 488,368								0				488,368
IDEA and Other Federal Sources	15 1,556,235		0	0	0	0	0	543,640	0	0	1,265,710	0	3,345,585
Total Revenues	16 74,104,748	1,120,685	2,049,189	0	10,500	0	8,289,764	10,200,414	0	7,519,599	3,215,964	0	106,510,863
General Long-Term Debt Proceeds	17						0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Transfers In	18 45,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,935,525	0	0	3,980,525
Proceeds of Fixed Asset Dispositions	19 30,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30,000
Special Items/Upward Adjustments	20 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total Revenues & Other Sources	21 74,179,748	1,120,685	2,049,189	0	10,500	0	8,289,764	10,200,414	0	11,455,124	3,215,964	0	110,521,388
Beginning Fund Balance	22 15,528,525	912,758	1,182,783	0	121,584	0	15,863,939	11,606,382	0	69,013	3,292,550	0	48,577,534
Total Resources	23 89,708,273	2,033,443	3,231,972	0	132,084	0	24,153,703	21,806,796	0	11,524,137	6,508,514	0	159,098,922
Requirements:													
Instruction	24 53,631,432	1,505,389	205,799	0	66,198	0	25,000	2,138,429	0			0	57,572,247
Student Support Services	25 2,609,370	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			0	2,609,370
Instructional Staff Support Services	26 2,823,485	0	0	0	0	0	0	55,000	0			0	2,878,485
General Administration	27 1,601,903	0	16,825	0	0	0	0	30,000	0			0	1,648,728
School Administration	28 4,487,133	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		69,250	0	4,556,383
Business & Central Administration	29 1,679,461	0	3,500	0	0	0	0	775,874	0	0		0	2,455,335
Plant Operation and Maintenance	30 6,302,485	0	1,165,915	0	0	0	0	381,718	0		35,120	0	7,885,238
Student Transportation	31 2,515,447	0	166,548	0	0	0	400,000	140,472	0		3,873,212	0	3,222,467
Noninstructional Programs	32 0	0	36,047	0	0	0	0	30,000	0			0	3,939,259
Facilities Acquisition and Construction	33		0	0	0	0	5,604,097	7,140,000	0			0	12,744,097
Debt Service (Principal, interest, fiscal charges)	34						0	0	0	11,329,850			11,329,850
AEA Support - Direct to AEA	35 1,982,973												1,982,973
Total Expenditures	36 77,633,689	1,505,389	1,594,634	0	66,198	0	6,029,097	10,691,493	0	11,329,850	3,977,582	0	112,827,932
Transfers Out	37 10,000	0	15,000	0	0	0	3,935,525	0	0		180,000	0	4,140,525
Other Uses	38 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			0	0
Total Expenditures, Transfers Out & Other Uses	39 77,643,689	1,505,389	1,609,634	0	66,198	0	9,964,622	10,691,493	0	11,329,850	4,157,582	0	116,968,457
Ending Fund Balance	40 12,064,584	528,054	1,622,338	0	65,886	0	14,189,081	11,115,303	0	194,287	2,350,932	0	42,130,465
Total Requirements	41 89,708,273	2,033,443	3,231,972	0	132,084	0	24,153,703	21,806,796	0	11,524,137	6,508,514	0	159,098,922

FY 2027 BUDGET YEAR WORKSHEET
Dist Name: CEDAR FALLS
Dist Number: 1044

Resources:	General (10)	Activity (21)	Management (22)	PERL (24)	Entp(23) Equal(25) Lib(29) SpecRev(27)	Emg Levy (26)/ Disaster R (28)	Sales Tax (33)	PPEL (36)	Other Cap Proj	Debt Service (40)	Nutrition (61)	Oth Entp (62-69)	Total
Taxes Levied on Property	1 21,859,889		2,148,025	0	0	0		4,554,751		7,464,637			36,027,302
Utility Replacement Excise Tax	2 63,624		6,325	0	0	0		12,040		19,738			101,727
Income Surtax	3 592,049							0					592,049
Tuition/Transportation Received	4 4,281,789	0		0									4,281,789
Earnings on Investments	5 487,500	0	950	0	750	0	595,000	158,000	0	37,482	137,768	0	1,417,450
Nutrition Program Sales	6										1,798,621	0	1,798,621
Student Activities and Sales	7 208,950	1,236,116										0	1,445,066
Other Revenues from Local Sources	8 285,650	0	12,500	0	10,000	0	0	500,000	0	5,000	20,000	0	833,150
Revenue from Intermediary Sources	9 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
State Foundation Aid	10 44,295,620												44,295,620
Instructional Support State Aid	11 162,432												162,432
Other State Sources	12 0	0	0	0	0	0	7,420,475	0	0	0	16,500	0	7,436,975
Two Tier Assessment Limitation Replacement	13 334,096		29,948	0	0			60,579	0	102,355			526,978
Title I Grants	14 593,895								0				593,895
IDEA and Other Federal Sources	15 1,156,235		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,245,650	0	2,401,885
Total Revenues	16 74,321,729	1,236,116	2,197,748	0	10,750	0	8,015,475	5,285,370	0	7,629,212	3,218,539	0	101,914,939
General Long-Term Debt Proceeds	17						0	0	0	0			0
Transfers In	18 45,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,898,785	0	0	3,943,785
Proceeds of Fixed Asset Dispositions	19 30,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30,000
Special Items/Upward Adjustments	20 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total Revenues & Other Sources	21 74,396,729	1,236,116	2,197,748	0	10,750	0	8,015,475	5,285,370	0	11,527,997	3,218,539	0	105,888,724
Beginning Fund Balance	22 12,064,584	528,054	1,622,338	0	65,886	0	14,189,081	11,115,303	0	194,287	2,350,932	0	42,130,465
Total Resources	23 86,461,313	1,764,170	3,820,086	0	76,636	0	22,204,556	16,400,673	0	11,722,284	5,569,471	0	148,019,189
Requirements:													
Instruction	24 54,167,746	1,550,551	234,956	0	63,636	0	125,000	1,571,000	0			0	57,712,889
Student Support Services	25 2,635,464	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			0	2,635,464
Instructional Staff Support Services	26 2,851,720	0	0	0	0	0	0	55,000	0			0	2,906,720
General Administration	27 1,617,922	0	17,246	0	0	0	0	30,000	0			0	1,665,168
School Administration	28 4,532,004	0	2,500	0	0	0	0	0	0		69,250	0	4,603,754
Business & Central Administration	29 1,696,256	0	12,000	0	0	0	0	374,996	0	0		0	2,083,252
Plant Operation and Maintenance	30 6,365,510	0	1,247,529	0	0	0	0	350,000	0		36,174	0	7,999,213
Student Transportation	31 2,540,601	0	183,203	0		0	0	485,725	0			0	3,209,529
Noninstructional Programs	32 0		39,652	0	0	0	0	30,000	0		3,950,676	0	4,020,328
Facilities Acquisition and Construction	33		0	0		0	10,757,760	7,674,975	0			0	18,432,735
Debt Service (Principal, interest, fiscal charges)	34						0	0	0	11,385,860			11,385,860
AEA Support - Direct to AEA	35 2,253,603												2,253,603
Total Expenditures	36 78,660,826	1,550,551	1,737,086	0	63,636	0	10,882,760	10,571,696	0	11,385,860	4,056,100	0	118,908,515
Transfers Out	37 10,000	0	15,000	0	0	0	3,898,785	0	0		180,000	0	4,103,785
Other Uses	38	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0
Total Expenditures, Transfers Out & Other Uses	39 78,670,826	1,550,551	1,752,086	0	63,636	0	14,781,545	10,571,696	0	11,385,860	4,236,100	0	123,012,300
Ending Fund Balance	40 7,790,487	213,619	2,068,000	0	13,000	0	7,423,011	5,828,977	0	336,424	1,333,371	0	25,006,889
Total Requirements	41 86,461,313	1,764,170	3,820,086	0	76,636	0	22,204,556	16,400,673	0	11,722,284	5,569,471	0	148,019,189

FY 2027 Aid and Levy Worksheet CEDAR FALLS

BUDGET ENROLLMENT				FY2027 A&L	FY2026 A&L	Difference
Budget Enrollment (Oct 2025 Budget Enrollment)		1.1		5,395.1	5,464.8	-69.7
Audit Change in Oct 2024 Certified Enrollment		1.2		0.000	0.130	-0.130
FY2026 Regular Program District Cost Per Pupil (Line 2.3 - FY2026 Aid & Levy)		1.3	X	7,988	7,826	162
Enrollment Audit Adjustment		1.4	=	0	939	-939
FY2026 Regular Program Foundation Cost Per Pupil		1.5		7,061	6,918	143
Audit Change in Oct 2024 Certified Enrollment (Line 1.2)		1.6	X	0.000	0.120	-0.120
Enrollment Audit Adjustment - State Aid Portion		1.7	=	0	830	-830
DISTRICT CATEGORICAL ENROLLMENT						
Budget Enrollment (Line 1.1)		1.8		5,395.1	5,464.8	-69.7
Resident Students Receiving an Education Savings Account (ESA)		1.9	+	426.0	260.0	166.0
District Categorical Enrollment		1.10	=	5,821.1	5,724.8	96.3
COST PER PUPIL AMOUNTS						
FY2026 Regular Program District Cost Per Pupil (Line 1.3)		2.1		7,988	7,826	162
FY2027 Regular Program Supplemental State Aid Amount Per Pupil		2.2	+	160	157	3
FY2027 Regular Program District Cost Per Pupil - Minimum \$8,148		2.3	=	8,148	7,988	160
FY2026 Teacher Salary Supplement Cost Per Pupil (Line 2.6 - FY2026 Aid & Levy)		2.4		731.69	699.19	32.50
FY2027 Teacher Salary Supplement Supplemental State Aid Amt Per Pupil		2.5	+	13.69	13.42	0.27
FY2027 Teacher Salary Supplement Cost Per Pupil - Per Pupil Adjusted For Minimum Salaries		2.6	=	745.38	731.69	13.69
FY2026 Professional Dev Suppl Cost Per Pupil (Line 2.9 - FY2026 Aid & Levy)		2.7		79.36	77.84	1.52
FY2027 Professional Development Supplement Supplemental State Aid Amt Per Pupil		2.8	+	1.55	1.52	0.03
FY2027 Professional Development Supplement Cost Per Pupil		2.9	=	80.91	79.36	1.55
FY2026 Early Intervention Suppl Cost Per Pupil (Line 2.12 - FY2026 Aid & Levy)		2.10		80.28	78.62	1.66
FY2027 Early Intervention Supplement Supplemental State Aid Amount Per Pupil		2.11	+	1.69	1.66	0.03
FY2027 Early Intervention Supplement Cost Per Pupil		2.12	=	81.97	80.28	1.69
FY2026 Teacher Leadership Suppl Cost Per Pupil (Line 2.15 - FY2026 Aid & Levy)		2.13		385.29	377.74	7.55
FY2027 Teacher Leadership Supplement Supplemental State Aid Amount Per Pupil		2.14	+	7.71	7.55	0.16
FY2027 Teacher Leadership Supplement Cost Per Pupil		2.15	=	393.00	385.29	7.71
WEIGHTED ENROLLMENT						
0.72 Special Ed Weighting in Addition to 1.0		3.1		257.76	268.56	-10.80
1.21 Special Ed Weighting in Addition to 1.0		3.2	+	243.83	237.80	6.03
2.74 Special Ed Weighting in Addition to 1.0		3.3	+	271.26	300.03	-28.77
Total Special Ed Weighting in Addition to 1.0		3.4	=	772.85	806.39	-33.54
Budget Enrollment (Line 1.1)		3.5	+	5,395.1	5,464.8	-69.7
AEA Weighted Enrollment		3.6	=	6,167.95	6,271.19	-103.24
AEA Supplementary Weight for Sharing		3.7	+	7.54	7.66	-0.12
AEA Weighted Enrollment with AEA Supplementary Weight for Sharing		3.8	=	6,175.49	6,278.85	-103.36
Supplementary Weighting - Sharing		3.9		60.860	53.640	7.220
Supplementary Weighting - At-Risk Formula		3.10	+	20.960	20.539	0.421
Supplementary Weighting - ELL		3.11	+	26.30	23.83	2.47
Supplementary Weighting - Reorganization Incentives		3.12	+	0.000	0.000	0.000
Total Supplementary Weighting		3.13	=	108.120	98.009	10.111
AEA Weighted Enrollment (Line 3.6)		3.14	+	6,167.95	6,271.19	-103.24
District Weighted Enrollment		3.15	=	6,276.070	6,369.199	-93.129
Total Special Ed Weighting in Addition to 1.0 (Line 3.4)		3.16	-	772.85	806.39	-33.54
District Weighted Enrollment without Special Ed Weightings		3.17	=	5,503.220	5,562.809	-59.589

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AEA DISTRICT COST CALCULATIONS					FY2027 A&L	FY2026 A&L	Difference
	AEA Special Ed Support Cost Per Pupil	4.47			359.42	352.44	6.98
	AEA Weighted Enrollment (Line 3.6)	4.48	X		6,167.95	6,271.19	-103.24
	AEA Special Ed Support District Cost without Adjustment	4.49	=		2,216.885	2,210.218	6.667
	FY2026 AEA Special Ed Support Dist Cost (Line 4.49 - FY2026 Aid & Levy)	4.50			2,210.218	2,191.906	18.312
	FY2026 AEA Special Ed Support Adjustment (Line 4.54 - FY2026 Aid & Levy)	4.51	+		0	0	0
	FY2027 Total AEA Special Ed Support District Cost	4.52	=		2,210.218	2,191.906	18.312
	AEA Special Ed Support District Cost without Adjustment (Line 4.49)	4.53	-		2,216.885	2,210.218	6.667
	AEA Special Ed Support Adjustment (if negative, enter zero)	4.54	=		0	0	0
	Budget Enrollment (Line 1.1)	4.55			5,395.1	5,464.8	-69.7
	Resident Accredited Nonpublic Students	4.56	+		434	387	47
	Shared-Time Nonpublic Pupils Counted in Line 1.1	4.57	-		5.5	2.6	2.9
	Total Enrollment Served - AEA Media and Ed Services	4.58	=		5,824	5,849	-25
	FY2027 AEA Media Cost Per Pupil	4.59	X		66.59	65.29	1.30
	AEA Media Services District Cost	4.60	=		387,820	381,881	5,939
	Total Enrollment Served - AEA Media and Ed Services (Line 4.58)	4.61			5,824	5,849	-25
	FY2027 AEA Ed Services Cost Per Pupil	4.62	X		74.22	72.78	1.44
	AEA Ed Services District Cost	4.63	=		432,257	425,690	6,567
	AEA Supplementary Weight for Sharing (Line 3.7)	4.64			7.54	7.66	-0.12
	AEA Special Ed Support Cost Per Pupil (Line 4.47)	4.65	X		359.42	352.44	6.98
	AEA Sharing District Cost	4.66	=		2,710	2,700	10
	FY2027 AEA Teacher Salary Supplement District Cost Per Pupil	4.67			43.98	43.26	0.72
	AEA Weighted Enrollment (Line 3.6)	4.68	X		6,167.95	6,271.19	-103.24
	Unadjusted AEA Teacher Salary Supplement District Cost	4.69	=		271,266	271,292	-26
	FY2026 Unadj AEA Teacher Salary Suppl District Cost (Line 4.69 - 2026 Aid & Levy)	4.70			271,292	269,929	1,363
	Unadjusted AEA Teacher Salary Supplement District Cost (Line 4.69)	4.71	-		271,266	271,292	-26
	AEA Teacher Salary Supplement Budget Adjustment (if negative, enter zero)	4.72	=		26	0	26
	Unadjusted AEA Teacher Salary Supplement District Cost (Line 4.69)	4.73	+		271,266	271,292	-26
	AEA Teacher Salary Supplement District Cost	4.74	=		271,292	271,292	0

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STATE FOUNDATION AID						FY2027 A&L	FY2026 A&L	Difference
State Regular Program Foundation Cost Per Pupil		7.1				7,203	7,061	142
District Weighted Enrollment without Special Ed Weightings (Line 3.17)		7.2	X			5,503,220	5,562,809	-59,589
District Foundation Dollars without Special Ed		7.3	=			39,639,694	39,278,994	360,700
State Special Ed Program Foundation Cost Per Pupil		7.4				7,203	7,061	142
Total Special Ed Weighting in Addition to 1.0 (Line 3.4)		7.5	X			772,85	806,39	-33,54
District Special Ed Foundation Dollars		7.6	=			5,566,839	5,693,920	-127,081
State AEA Special Ed Support Foundation Cost Per Pupil		7.7				281	276	5
AEA Weighted Enrollment with AEA Supplementary Weight for Sharing (Line 3.8)		7.8	X			6,175,49	6,278,85	-103,36
AEA Foundation Dollars for Special Ed and Sharing		7.9	=			1,735,313	1,732,963	2,350
AEA Teacher Salary Supplement District Cost (Line 4.74)		7.10	+			271,292	271,292	0
Total AEA Foundation Dollars		7.11	=			2,006,605	2,004,255	2,350
District Foundation Dollars without Special Ed (Line 7.3)		7.12	+			39,639,694	39,278,994	360,700
District Special Ed Foundation Dollars (Line 7.6)		7.13	+			556,839	5,693,920	-127,081
Enrollment Audit Adjustment - State Aid Portion (Line 1.7)		7.14	+			0	830,00	-830
Regular Program Budget Adjustment Adopted (Line 4.8)		7.15	+			130,075	0	130,075
Teacher Salary Supplement District Cost (Line 4.22)		7.16	+			4,338,932	4,188,779	150,153.00
Professional Development Supplement District Cost (Line 4.30)		7.17	+			470,985	454,320	16,665
Early Intervention Supplement District Cost (Line 4.38)		7.18	+			477,156	459,587	17,569
Teacher Leadership Supplement District Cost (Line 4.46)		7.19	+			2,287,692	2,205,708	81,984
Total Foundation Dollars		7.20	=			54,917,978	54,286,393	631,585
Uniform Levy Dollars Adjusted for Utility Replacement & C/I/R Adjustment (Line 6.20)		7.21	-			13,462,361	13,143,913	318,448
Unadjusted State Foundation Aid		7.22	=			41,455,617	41,142,480	313,137
District Weighted Enrollment (Line 3.15)		7.23				6,276,070	6,369,199	-93,129
\$300 Minimum Aid Per Pupil		7.24	X			300	300	0
Minimum Aid		7.25	=			1,882,821	1,910,760	-27,939
Unadjusted State Foundation Aid (Line 7.22)		7.26	-			41,455,617	41,142,480	313,137
Minimum Aid Adjustment (If Negative, Enter Zero)		7.27	=			0	0	0
PRESCHOOL FOUNDATION AID								
Preschool Budget Enrollment (Actual Enrollment X 50%)		7.28				94.5	91.5	3.0
FY Regular Program State Cost Per Pupil		7.29	X			8,148	7,988	160
Preschool Foundation Aid		7.30	=			769,986	730,902	39,084
Audited Change in October 2024 Preschool Budget Enrollment		7.31				0.0	0.0	0.0
2026 Regular Program State Cost Per Pupil		7.32	X			7,988	7,826	162
Preschool Enrollment Audit Adjustment		7.33	=			0	0	0
Preschool Foundation Aid (Line 7.30)		7.34	+			769,986	730,902	39,084
Total Preschool Foundation Aid		7.35	=			769,986	730,902	39,084

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ADJUSTED ADDITIONAL PROPERTY TAX LEVY AID					FY2027 A&L	FY2026 A&L	Difference
District Weighted Enrollment (Line 3.15)		8.23			6,276,070	6,369,199	-93,129
FY2027 Regular Program State Cost Per Pupil		8.24	X		8,148	7,988	160
Property Tax Portion of State Cost Per Pupil		8.25	X		% 11.60	% 11.60	% 0.00
Adjusted Additional Property Tax Dollar Levy		8.26	=		5,930,886	5,904,247	26,639
Property Tax Replacement Payment (PTRP) (Line 8.19)		8.27	-		1,631,778	1,541,346	90,432
Foundation Base Supplement (FBS) Aid (Line 8.22)		8.28	-		156,902	114,646	42,256
Adjusted Additional Property Tax Dollar Levy less PTRP and FBS		8.29	=		4,142,206	4,248,255	-106,049
FY2025 Taxable Valuation with Gas & Electric Utilities (Line 6.1)		8.30	/		2,453,819,040	2,398,850,007	54,969,033
Adjusted Additional Property Tax Levy Rate		8.31	=		1.68806	1.77095	-0.08289
Statewide Maximum Adjusted Additional Property Tax Levy Rate		8.32	-		1.57622	1.70600	-0.12978
Adjusted Additional Property Tax Levy Rate Reduction (if negative, enter zero)		8.33	=		0.11184	0.06495	0.04689
2025 Taxable Valuation with Gas & Electric Utilities (Line 6.1)		8.34	X		2,453,819,040	2,398,850,007	54,969,033
FY Adjusted Additional Property Tax Levy Aid		8.35	=		274,435	155,805	118,630
PROPERTY TAX EQUITY AND RELIEF (PTER) FUNDING							
FY Regular Program State Cost Per Pupil		8.36			8,148	7,988	160
Increase in State Foundation Cost Per Pupil Percentage		8.37	X		% 0.00	% 0.00	% 0.00
Increase in Foundation Cost Per Pupil		8.38	=		10	1	9
District Weighted Enrollment (Line 3.15)		8.39	X		6,276,070	6,369,199	-93,129
Additional District Foundation Dollars from Property Tax Equity and Relief Fund		8.40	=		62,761	6,369	56,392
ADDITIONAL LEVY BEFORE UTILITY REPLACEMENT ADJUSTMENT							
Additional Dollar Levy (Line 8.4)		8.41			8,227,416	7,910,145	317,271
Property Tax Adjustment Aid (Line 8.14)		8.42	-		29,371	30,059	-688
FY2025 District Special Ed Positive Balance, Property & Utility Repl Tax Portion		8.43	-		0	0	0
FY2025 AEA Special Ed Reduction, Property & Utility Replacement Tax Portion		8.44	-		0	0	0
AEA/District Statewide State Aid Reduction (Line 5.16)		8.45	+		\$5,230	370,720	-285,490
Property Tax Replacement Payment (PTRP) (Line 8.19)		4.46	-		1,631,778	1,541,346	90,432
Foundation Base Supplement (FBS) Aid (Line 8.22)		8.47	-		156,902	114,646	42,256
Adjusted Additional Property Tax Levy Aid (Line 8.35)		8.48	-		274,435	155,805	118,630
Additional District Foundation Dollars from PTER Fund (Line 8.40)		8.49	-		62,761	6,369	56,392
Additional Levy before Utility Replacement Adjustment		8.50	=		6,157,399	6,432,640	-275,241

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FINAL STATE FOUNDATION AID					FY2027 A&L	FY2026 A&L	Difference
FY2025 District Special Ed Positive Balance, Property & Util Repl Portion (Line 8.43)	Unadjusted State Foundation Aid (Line 7.22)	9.1			41,455,617	41,142,480	313,137
	Minimum Aid Adjustment (Line 7.27)	9.2	+		0	0	0
	Property Tax Adjustment Aid (Line 8.14)	9.3	+		29,371	30,059	-688
		9.4	+		0	0	0
	FY2025 Special Ed Reduction, Property & Utility Repl Tax Portion (Line 8.44)	9.5	+		0	0	0
	AEA/District Statewide State Aid Reduction (Line 5.16)	9.6	-		85,230	370,720	-285,490
	Property Tax Replacement Payment (PTRP) (Line 8.19)	9.7	+		1,631,778	1,541,346	90,432
	Foundation Base Supplement (FBS) Aid (Line 8.22)	9.8	+		156,902	114,646	42,256
	Adjusted Additional Property Tax Levy Aid (Line 8.31)	9.9	+		274,435	155,805	118,630
	Additional District Foundation Dollars from PTER Fund (Line 8.36)	9.10	+		62,761	6,369	56,392
INSTRUCTIONAL SUPPORT PROGRAM	Adjustment for Property Tax Repayment due to Property Assessment Appeal	9.11	+		0	0	0
	Total Preschool Foundation Aid (Line 7.35)	9.12	+		769,986	730,902	39,084
	State Foundation Aid	9.13	=		44,295,620	43,350,887	944,733
	FY Regular Program District Cost without Adjustment (Line 4.3)	10.1			43,959,275	43,652,822	306,453
	Regular Program Budget Adjustment Adopted (Line 4.8)	10.2	+		130,075	19,795	110,280
	Total Regular Program District Cost	10.3	=		44,089,350	43,672,617	416,733
	Maximum Portion (Can't exceed 10.00%)	10.4	X		% 10.00	% 10.00	% 0.00
	Unadjusted Instructional Support Program Dollars	10.5	=		4,408,935	4,367,262	41,673
	2025 Taxable Valuation with Gas & Electric Utilities (Line 6.1)	10.6			2,453,819,040	2,398,850,007	54,969,033
	Budget Enrollment (Line 1.1)	10.7	/		5,395.1	5,464.8	-69.7
	District Taxable Valuation Per Pupil	10.8	=		454,824	438,964	15,860
	State Taxable Valuation Per Pupil	10.9			496,530	461,641	34,889
	District Taxable Valuation Per Pupil (Line 10.8)	10.10	/		454,824	438,964	15,860
		10.11	X		0.25	0.25	0.00
	State Aid Portion of Program Dollars (Round to 4 Decimals)	10.12	=		0.2729	0.2629	0.0100
	Unadjusted Instructional Support Program Dollars (Line 10.5)	10.13	X		4,408,935	4,367,262	41,673
	Instructional Support Income Surtax Rate	10.14	=		1,203,198	1,148,153	55,045
	District Income Tax Paid in FYNaN	10.15			% 1	% 1	% 0
	Instructional Support Income Surtax Dollars	10.16	X		59,545,467	59,204,895	340,572
	Instructional Support Income Surtax Dollars	10.17	=		595,455	592,049	3,406
	Unadjusted Instructional Support Program Dollars (Line 10.5)	10.18			4,408,935	4,367,262	41,673
	Unadjusted Instructional Support State Aid (Line 10.14)	10.19	-		1,203,198	1,148,153	55,045
	Instructional Support Income Surtax Dollars (Line 10.17)	10.20	-		595,455	592,049	3,406
	Instructional Support Property & Utility Replacement Tax Dollars	10.21	=		2,610,282	2,627,060	-16,778
	Unadjusted Instructional Support State Aid (Line 10.14)	10.22			1,203,198	1,148,153	55,045
	Prorata Reduction to State Appropriation Amount	10.23	X		0.135	0	0.135
	Adjusted Instructional Support State Aid	10.24	=		162,432	0	0
	Instructional Support Income Surtax Dollars (Line 10.17)	10.25	+		595,455	592,049	3,406
	Instructional Support Property & Utility Replacement Tax Dollars (Line 10.21)	10.26	+		2,610,282	2,627,060	-16,778
	Adjusted Instructional Support Program Dollars	10.27	=		3,368,169	3,219,109	149,060

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EDUCATIONAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM				FY2027 A&L	FY2026 A&L	Difference
FY Total Regular Program District Cost (Line 10.3)		11.1		44,089,350	43,672,617	416,733
Voted Maximum Portion		11.2	X	% 0.00	% 0.00	% 0.00
Educational Improvement Program Total Dollars		11.3	=	0	0	0
Ed Improvement Income Surtax Rate		11.4		% 0	% 0	% 0
District Income Tax Paid in 2024 (Line 10.16)		11.5	X	59,545,467	59,204,895	340,572
Ed Improvement Income Surtax Dollars		11.6	=	0	0	0
Educational Improvement Program Total Dollars (Line 11.3)		11.7		0	0	0
Ed Improvement Income Surtax Dollars (Line 11.6)		11.8	-	0	0	0
Ed Improvement Property & Utility Replacement Tax Dollars		11.9	=	0	0	0
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ADDITIONAL LEVY - UTILITY REPLACEMENT ADJUSTMENT						
Additional Levy Utility Replacement Paid FY2026		13.1		18,487	18,659	-172
Additional Levy Utility Replacement Budgeted FY2026		13.2	-	19,460	20,003	-543
Additional Levy Utility Replacement Adjustment		13.3	=	-973	-1,344	371
Additional Levy before Utility Replacement Adjustment (Line 8.50)		13.4		6,157,399	6,432,640	-275,241
Additional Levy Utility Replacement Adjustment (Line 13.3)		13.5	-	-973	-1,344	371
Additional Levy Adjusted for Utility Replacement		13.6	=	6,158,372	6,433,984	-275,612
Uniform Levy Utility Replacement Adjustment (Line 6.6)		13.7		-1,990	-2,637	647
Additional Levy Utility Replacement Adjustment (Line 13.3)		13.8	+	-973	-1,344	371
Total Utility Replacement Adjustment		13.9	=	-2,963	-3,981	1,018
ADDITIONAL LEVY - TWO TIERD ASSESSMENT LIMITATION REPLACEMENT						
Additional Levy Adjusted for Utility Replacement (Line 13.6)		13.10		6,158,372	6,433,984	-275,612
Additional Levy Two Tierd Assessment Limitation Replacement Paid FYNaN		13.11	-	95,764	101,064	-5,300
Additional Levy Adjusted for Utility Replacement Two Tierd Assessment Limitation Replacement		13.12	=	6,062,608	6,332,920	-270,312
Total Uniform Levy C/I/R Two Tierd Assessment Limitation Replacement (Line 6.18)		13.13		213,728	192,760	20,968
Additional Levy Two Tierd Assessment Limitation Replacement Paid FYNaN (Line 13.11)		13.14	+	95,764	101,064	-5,300
Total Two Tierd Assessment Limitation Adjustment		13.15	=	309,492	293,824	15,668

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SUMMARY OF GENERAL FUND LEVIES								
Uniform Levy Dollars before Utility Repl and Two Tiered Assessment Limitation State Repl Adj (Line 6.3)								
Additional Levy Adjusted for Utility Replacement and Two Tiered Assessment (Line 13.12)								
Total Levy to Fund Combined District Cost								
Instructional Support Levy (Line 10.21)								
Ed Improvement Levy (Line 11.9)								
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Levy to Fund Budget Authority								
Cash Reserve Levy - SBRC								
Cash Reserve Levy - Other								
Use of Fund Balance to Reduce Levy								
Total General Fund Levy								
Instructional Support Levy (Line 10.21)								
Subtotal General Fund Levy without Instructional Support								
2025 Taxable Valuation with Gas & Electric Utilities (Line 6.1)								
Subtotal General Fund Levy Rate								
Instructional Support Levy (Line 10.21)								
2025 Taxable and TIF Valuations with Gas & Electric								
Instructional Support Levy Rate								
Subtotal General Fund Levy Rate (Line 15.16)								
Total General Fund Levy Rate								
STATE PAYMENTS TO AEA AND DISTRICT								
Resident Accredited Nonpublic Students (Line 4.56)								
FYNaN AEA Media Cost Per Pupil (Line 4.59)								
AEA Media Services Payment								
Resident Accredited Nonpublic Students (Line 4.56)								
FYNaN AEA Ed Services Cost Per Pupil (Line 4.62)								
AEA Ed Services Payment								
AEA Sharing District Cost (Line 4.66)								
AEA Teacher Salary Supplement District Cost (Line 4.74)								
AEA Media Services Payment (Line 16.3)								
AEA Ed Services District Payment (Line 16.6)								
State Payments to AEA								
State Foundation Aid (Line 9.13)								
State Payments to AEA (Line 16.11)								
State Payments to District								
Section 17 and Section 18 have been replaced with the Unspent Authorized Budget Report								

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Combined District Cost

		FY 2027	FY 2026	FY 2027 vs. FY 2026
Uniform Levy				
Uniform Levy Dollars	6.3	13,250,623	12,953,790	296,833
State Aid				
Unadjusted State Foundation Aid	7.22	41,455,617	41,142,480	313,137
FY27 Property Tax Adjustment Aid	8.14	29,371	30,059	-688
Property Tax Replacement Payment (PTRP)	8.19	1,631,778	1,541,346	90,432
Foundation Base Supplement Aid	8.22	156,902	114,646	42,256
FY27 Adjusted Additional Property Tax Levy Aid	8.35	274,435	155,805	118,630
AEA Statewide State Aid Reduction	5.16	-85,230	-370,720	285,490
Adjustment for Property Tax Repayment due to Property Assessment Appeal	9.11	0	0	0
FY25 District Special Ed Positive Balance, Property & Utility Repl. Tax Portion	8.43	0	0	0
Additional Levy				
Additional Dollar Levy	8.4	8,227,416	7,910,145	317,271
FY27 Property Tax Adjustment Aid	8.14	-29,371	-30,059	688
Property Tax Replacement Payment (PTRP)	8.19	-1,631,778	-1,541,346	-90,432
Foundation Base Supplement Aid	8.22	-156,902	-114,646	-42,256
FY27 Adjusted Additional Property Tax Levy Aid	8.35	-274,435	-155,805	-118,630
AEA Statewide State Aid Reduction	5.16	85,230	370,720	-285,490
FY25 District Special Ed Positive Balance, Property & Utility Repl. Tax Portion	8.43	0	0	0
Additional Levy Utility Replacement Adjustment	13.3	973	1,344	-371
Utility Replacement				
Uniform Levy Utility Replacement Adjustment	6.6	-1,990	-2,637	647
Additional Levy Utility Replacement Adjustment	13.3	-973	-1,344	371
State Foundation vs. Combined District Cost				
State Foundation Aid	9.13	44,295,620	43,350,887	944,733
Total Preschool Foundation Aid	7.35	-769,986	-730,902	-39,084
Preschool is not included in the CDC and the C&J Amounts are State Aid in CDC		43,525,634	42,619,985	944,733
Summary		FY 2027 Percentage of Total	FY 2027 Amount	FY 2026 Percentage of Total
Uniform Levy		% 21.1	13,250,623	% 20.9
State Aid		% 69.1	43,462,873	% 68.7
Additional Levy		% 9.9	6,221,133	% 10.4
Utility Replacement		% 0	-2,963	% 0
Total			62,931,666	62,003,778

Property Tax and Rate Comparison

	FY 2027	FY 2026	FY 2027 vs. FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2026	FY 2027 vs. FY 2026
Uniform Levy Dollars Before Utility Repl and C&I State Repl Adj (Line 6.3)	13,250,623	12,953,790	296,833		5,40000	0.00000
Additional Levy Components						
Regular Program Property Tax Portion	5,098,370	5,065,869	32,501	2,07773	2,11179	-0.03406
Regular Program Budget Adjustment	130,073	19,795	110,280	0.05301	0.00825	0.04476
Supplementary Weight Property Tax Portion	102,174	90,854	11,320	0.04164	0.03787	0.00377
Special Education District Cost Property Tax Portion	730,343	747,523	-17,180	0.29764	0.31162	-0.01398
DCPP greater than SCPP Regular Program	0	0	0	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000
DCPP greater than SCPP Supplementary Weight	0	0	0	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000
DCPP greater than SCPP Special Education	0	0	0	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000
Dropout and Dropout Prevention	1,077,401	1,069,188	8,213	0.43907	0.44571	-0.00664
AEA Special Education and Sharing Property Tax	484,282	479,955	4,327	0.19736	0.20008	-0.00272
AEA Special Education Support Adjustment	0	0	0	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000
AEA Media Services	387,820	381,881	5,939	0.15805	0.15919	-0.00114
AEA Education Services	432,257	425,690	6,567	0.17616	0.17746	-0.00130
Enrollment Audit Adjustment	0	939	-939	0.00000	0.00039	-0.00039
Enrollment Audit Adjustment - State Aid Portion	0	-830	830	0.00000	-0.00035	0.00035
Additional Levy Adjustments						
Property Tax Adjustment Aid (Line 8.14)	-29,371	-30,059	688	-0.01197	-0.01253	0.00056
Property Tax Replacement Payment (PTRP) (Line 8.19)	-1,631,778	-1,541,346	-90,432	-0.65500	-0.64234	-0.02246
Foundation Base Supplement Aid (Line 8.22)	-156,902	-114,646	-42,256	-0.06394	-0.04779	-0.01614
Adjusted Additional Property Tax Levy Aid (Line 8.35)	-274,435	-155,805	-118,630	-0.11184	-0.06495	-0.04689
District Special Ed Positive Balance, Property & Utility Repl Tax Portion (Line 8.43)	0	0	0	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000
Additional Levy Utility Replacement Adjustment (Line 13.3)	973	1,344	-371	0.00040	0.00056	-0.00015
Additional Levy Two Tiered Assessment Limitation Replacement Paid FYNaN (Line 13.11)	-95,764	-101,064	5,300	-0.03903	-0.04213	0.00309
Additional Levy Adjusted for Utility Replacement and two Tiered Assessment (Line 13.12)	6,062,608	6,332,920	-270,312	2.47068	2.63998	-0.16929
Instructional Support Levy (Line 10.21)	2,610,282	2,627,060	-16,778	0.95454	1.00349	-0.04895
Ed Improvement Levy (Line 11.9)	0	0	0	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000
Cash Reserve Levy - SBRC	0	400,000	-400,000	0.00000	0.16675	-0.16675
Cash Reserve Levy - Other	0	0	0	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000
Use of Fund Balance to Reduce Levy	0	0	0	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000
Total General Fund Levy	21,923,513	22,313,770	-390,257	8.82522	9.21022	-0.38500
Management	2,154,350	1,980,500	173,850	0.87796	0.82560	0.05235
Amana Library	0	0	0	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000
Voted Physical Plant and Equipment	3,664,371	3,508,006	156,365	1.34000	1.34000	0.00000
Regular Physical Plant and Equipment	902,420	863,912	38,508	0.33000	0.33000	0.00000
Reorganization Equalization	0	0	0	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000
Public Education/Recreation (Playground)	0	0	0	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000
Debt Service	7,484,375	7,386,925	97,450	2.73691	2.82168	-0.08477
Grand Total	36,129,029	36,053,113	75,916	14.11009	14.52750	-0.41742
Taxable Valuation with Gas & Electric Utilities (Line 6.1)	2,453,819,040	2,398,850,007	54,969,033			
Taxable and TIF Valuations with Gas & Electric	2,734,605,309	2,617,915,268	116,690,041			

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
Proposed CEDAR FALLS School Budget Summary
Fiscal Year 2026 - 2027

Location of Public Hearing: City of Cedar Falls Council Chambers 220 Clay St, Cedar Falls, IA 50613	Date of Hearing: 04/27/2026	Time of Hearing: 05:30 PM
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The Board of Directors will conduct a public hearing on the proposed 26/27 school budget at the above noted location and time. At the hearing, any resident or taxpayer may present objections to, or arguments in favor of, any part of the proposed budget. This notice represents a summary of the supporting detail of the revenues and expenditures on file with the district secretary. A copy of the details will be furnished upon request.

		Budget 2027	Re-est. 2026	Actual 2025	Avg % 25-27
Taxes Levied on Property	1	36,027,302	35,946,006	35,121,217	% 1.3
Utility Replacement Excise Tax	2	101,727	107,088	100,275	% 0.7
Income Surtaxes	3	592,049	610,125	604,584	% -1.0
Tuition/Transportation Received	4	4,281,789	4,065,089	3,717,225	
Earnings on Investments	5	1,417,450	1,906,284	2,314,506	
Nutrition Program Sales	6	1,798,621	1,768,832	1,911,309	
Student Activities and Sales	7	1,445,066	1,330,870	1,481,763	
Other Revenues from Local Sources	8	833,150	5,559,279	10,729,515	
Revenue from Intermediary Sources	9	0	0	0	
State Foundation Aid	10	44,295,620	43,367,144	43,129,976	
Instructional Support State Aid	11	162,432	0	0	
Other State Sources	12	7,436,975	7,489,215	7,568,787	
Two Tier Assessment Limitation Replacement	13	526,978	526,978	543,114	
Title I Grants	14	593,895	488,368	710,053	
IDEA and Other Federal Sources	15	2,401,885	3,345,585	2,702,765	
Total Revenues	16	101,914,939	106,510,863	110,635,089	
General Long-Term Debt Proceeds	17	0	0	0	
Transfers In	18	3,943,785	3,980,525	3,791,005	
Proceeds of Fixed Asset Dispositions	19	30,000	30,000	3,020,792	
Special Items/Upward Adjustments	20	0	0	0	
Total Revenues & Other Sources	21	105,888,724	110,521,388	117,446,886	
Beginning Fund Balance	22	42,130,465	48,577,534	46,576,560	
Total Resources	23	148,019,189	159,098,922	164,023,446	
*Instruction	24	57,712,889	57,572,247	51,204,221	% 6.2
Student Support Services	25	2,635,464	2,609,370	2,222,848	
Instructional Staff Support Services	26	2,906,720	2,878,485	2,512,224	
General Administration	27	1,665,168	1,648,728	1,456,339	
School Administration	28	4,603,754	4,556,383	4,055,708	
Business & Central Administration	29	2,083,252	2,458,835	1,970,685	
Plant Operation and Maintenance	30	7,999,213	7,885,238	7,144,380	
Student Transportation	31	3,209,529	3,222,467	2,733,244	
*Total Support Services (lines 25-31)	31A	25,103,100	25,259,506	22,095,428	% 6.6
*Noninstructional Programs	32	4,020,328	3,939,259	3,531,735	% 6.7
Facilities Acquisition and Construction	33	18,432,735	12,744,097	21,012,192	
Debt Service (Principal, interest, fiscal charges)	34	11,385,860	11,329,850	11,402,615	
AEA Support - Direct to AEA	35	2,253,603	1,982,973	2,408,716	
*Total Other Expenditures (lines 33-35)	35A	32,072,198	26,056,920	34,823,523	% -4.0
Total Expenditures	36	118,908,515	112,827,932	111,654,907	
Transfers Out	37	4,103,785	4,140,525	3,791,005	
Other Uses	38	0	0	0	
Total Expenditures, Transfers Out & Other Uses	39	123,012,300	116,968,457	115,445,912	
Ending Fund Balance	40	25,006,889	42,130,465	48,577,534	
Total Requirements	41	148,019,189	159,098,922	164,023,446	
Proposed Property Tax Rate (per \$1,000 taxable valuation)		14.11009			

Adopted CEDAR FALLS School Budget Summary
FY 2027
District - 1044
Department of Management - Form S-AB

		Budget 2027	Re-est. 2026	Actual 2025
Taxes Levied on Property	1	36,027,302	35,946,006	35,121,217
Utility Replacement Excise Tax	2	101,727	107,088	100,275
Income Surtaxes	3	592,049	610,125	604,584
Tuition/Transportation Received	4	4,281,789	4,065,089	3,717,225
Earnings on Investments	5	1,417,450	1,906,284	2,314,506
Nutrition Program Sales	6	1,798,621	1,768,832	1,911,309
Student Activities and Sales	7	1,445,066	1,330,870	1,481,763
Other Revenues from Local Sources	8	833,150	5,559,279	10,729,515
Revenue from Intermediary Sources	9	0	0	0
State Foundation Aid	10	44,295,620	43,367,144	43,129,976
Instructional Support State Aid	11	162,432	0	0
Other State Sources	12	7,436,975	7,489,215	7,568,787
Two Tier Assessment Limitation Replacement	13	526,978	526,978	543,114
Title I Grants	14	593,895	488,368	710,053
IDEA and Other Federal Sources	15	2,401,885	3,345,585	2,702,765
Total Revenues	16	101,914,939	106,510,863	110,635,089
General Long-Term Debt Proceeds	17	0	0	0
Transfers In	18	3,943,785	3,980,525	3,791,005
Proceeds of Fixed Asset Dispositions	19	30,000	30,000	3,020,792
Special Items/Upward Adjustments	20	0	0	0
Total Revenues & Other Sources	21	105,888,724	110,521,388	117,446,886
Beginning Fund Balance	22	42,130,465	48,577,534	46,576,560
Total Resources	23	148,019,189	159,098,922	164,023,446
*Instruction	24	57,712,889	57,572,247	51,204,221
Student Support Services	25	2,635,464	2,609,370	2,222,848
Instructional Staff Support Services	26	2,906,720	2,878,485	2,512,224
General Administration	27	1,665,168	1,648,728	1,456,339
School Administration	28	4,603,754	4,556,383	4,055,708
Business & Central Administration	29	2,083,252	2,458,835	1,970,685
Plant Operation and Maintenance	30	7,999,213	7,885,238	7,144,380
Student Transportation	31	3,209,529	3,222,467	2,733,244
*Total Support Services (lines 25-31)	31A	25,103,100	25,259,506	22,095,428
*Noninstructional Programs	32	4,020,328	3,939,259	3,531,735
Facilities Acquisition and Construction	33	18,432,735	12,744,097	21,012,192
Debt Service (Principal, interest, fiscal charges)	34	11,385,860	11,329,850	11,402,615
AEA Support - Direct to AEA	35	2,253,603	1,982,973	2,408,716
*Total Other Expenditures (lines 33-35)	35A	32,072,198	26,056,920	34,823,523
Total Expenditures	36	118,908,515	112,827,932	111,654,907
Transfers Out	37	4,103,785	4,140,525	3,791,005
Other Uses	38	0	0	0
Total Expenditures, Transfers Out & Other Uses	39	123,012,300	116,968,457	115,445,912
Ending Fund Balance	40	25,006,889	42,130,465	48,577,534
Total Requirements	41	148,019,189	159,098,922	164,023,446

Local Government Property Valuation System
ADOPTION OF BUDGET AND TAXES JULY 1, 2026 - JUNE 30, 2027
CEDAR FALLS
DISTRICT NUMBER - 1044

Department of Management - Form S-TX

Total Special Program Funding					
Instructional Support (A&L line 10.27)		3,368,169			
Educational Improvement (A&L line 11.3)		0			
Voted Physical Plant & Equipment (A&L line 19.3)		3,664,371			
Special Program Income Surtax Rates					
Instructional Support (A&L line 10.15)		% 1			
Educational Improvement (A&L line 11.4)		% 0			
Voted Physical Plant & Equipment (A&L line 19.4)		% 0			
Utility Replacement and Property Taxes Adopted					
		Utility Replacement AND Property Tax Dollars	Levy Rate	Property Taxes Levied	Estimated Utility Replacement Dollars
Levy to Fund Combined District Cost (A&L line 15.3)	1	19,313,231			
+Educational Improvement Levy (A&L line 15.5)	2	0			
+Cash Reserve Levy - SBRC (A&L line 15.9)	3	0			
+Cash Reserve Levy - Other (A&L line 15.10)	4	0			
-Use of Fund Balance to Reduce Levy (A&L line 15.11)	5	0			
=Subtotal General Fund Levy (A&L line 15.14)	6	19,313,231	7.87068	19,256,481	56,750
+Instructional Support Levy (A&L line 15.13)	7	2,610,282	0.95454	2,603,408	6,874
=Total General Fund Levy (A&L line 15.12)	8	21,923,513	8.82522	21,859,889	63,624
	9				
Management	10	2,154,350	0.87796	2,148,025	6,325
Amana Library	11	0	0	0	0
Voted Physical Plant & Equipment (Loan Agreement)	12	0			
+Voted Physical Plant & Equipment (Capital Project)	13	3,664,371			
=Subtotal Voted Physical Plant & Equipment	14	3,664,371	1.34000	3,654,710	9,661
+Regular Physical Plant & Equipment	15	902,420	0.33000	900,041	2,379
=Total Physical Plant & Equipment	16	4,566,791			
	17				
Reorganization Equalization Levy	18	0	0.00000	0	0
Emergency Levy (for Disaster Recovery)	19	0	0.00000	0	0
Public Education/Recreation (Playground)	20	0	0.00000	0	0
Debt Service	21	7,484,375	2.73691	7,464,637	19,738
GRAND TOTAL	22	36,129,029	14.11009	36,027,302	101,727
1-1-2025 Taxable Valuation WITH Gas & Electric Utilities		2,453,819,040	WITHOUT Gas & Elec	2,446,609,626	
1-1-2025 Tax Increment Valuation WITH Gas & Electric Utilities		280,786,269	WITHOUT Gas & Elec	280,786,269	
1-1-2025 Debt Service, PPEL, ISL Valuation WITH Gas & Electric Utilities		2,734,605,309	WITHOUT Gas & Elec	2,727,395,895	

FY 2027 Adopted Budget Control Lines - The amounts below must be equal to or less than the publication amounts to be certified to the County Auditor

Taxes Levied on Property (Line 1) = 36,027,302

Instruction (Line 24) = 57,712,889

Total Support Services (Line 31A) = 25,103,100

Noninstructional Programs (Line 32) = 4,020,328

Total Other Expenditures (Line 35A) = 32,072,198

The School District by signing below certifies the following:

1. The Proposed Property Tax Notice (first hearing notice) was available on the School District website on the day it was also published in the newspaper.
2. The Proposed Property Tax Notice or a link to the Notice was posted on all social media sites controlled by the school district.

(entered upon adoption)

District Secretary

Date Budget Adopted

County Auditor

FY 2025 Actual
Dist Name: CEDAR FALLS
Dist Number: 1044

Resources:	General (10)	Activity (21)	Management (22)	PERL (24)	Entrp(23) Equal(25) Lib(29) SpecRev(27)	Emg Levy (26)/ Disaster R (28)	Sales Tax (33)	PPEL (36)	Other Cap Proj	Debt Service (40)	Nutrition (61)	Oth Entp (62-69)	Total
Taxes Levied on Property	1 21,537,905		1,939,631	0	0	0		4,254,651		7,389,030			35,121,217
Utility Replacement Excise Tax	2 63,489		5,792	0	0	0		11,325		19,669			100,275
Income Surtax	3 604,584							0					604,584
Tuition/Transportation Received	4 3,717,225	0		0									3,717,225
Earnings on Investments	5 920,220	0	0	0	0	0	800,038	146,295	255,289	39,904	152,760	0	2,314,506
Nutrition Program Sales	6										1,911,309	0	1,911,309
Student Activities and Sales	7 212,586	1,269,177		0								0	1,481,763
Other Revenues from Local Sources	8 473,903	0	4,991	0	13,093	0	116,807	10,023,686	0	5,029	92,006	0	10,729,515
Revenue from Intermediary Sources	9 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
State Foundation Aid	10 43,129,976												43,129,976
Instructional Support State Aid	11 0												0
Other State Sources	12 241,151		0	0	0	0	7,308,136	0	0	0	19,500	0	7,568,787
Two Tier Assessment Limitation Replacement	13 343,874		31,369	0	0	0		61,341		106,530			543,114
Title I Grants	14 710,053								0				710,053
IDEA and Other Federal Sources	15 1,081,623		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,621,142	0	2,702,765
Total Revenues	16 73,036,589	1,269,177	1,981,783	0	13,093	0	8,224,981	14,497,298	255,289	7,560,162	3,796,717	0	110,635,089
General Long-Term Debt Proceeds	17 0						0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Transfers In	18 177,241	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,613,764	0	0	3,791,005
Proceeds of Fixed Asset Dispositions	19 74,844	0					0	0	0				74,844
Special Items/Upward Adjustments	20 0	0	0	0	0	0	1,219	2,944,729	0				3,020,792
Total Revenues & Other Sources	21 73,288,674	1,269,177	1,981,783	0	13,093	0	8,226,200	17,442,027	255,289	11,173,926	3,796,717	0	117,446,886
Beginning Fund Balance	22 13,881,723	848,658	605,533	0	109,764	0	12,828,449	5,191,942	9,542,640	397,702	3,270,149	0	46,576,560
Total Resources	23 87,170,397	2,117,835	2,587,316	0	122,857	0	21,054,649	22,633,969	9,797,929	11,471,628	7,066,866	0	164,023,446
Requirements:													
Instruction	24 49,668,048	1,205,077	138,022	0	1,273	0	191,801	0	0	0	0	0	51,204,221
Student Support Services	25 2,222,848	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,222,848
Instructional Staff Support Services	26 2,505,518	0	0	0	0	0	6,562	0	0	0	144	0	2,512,224
General Administration	27 1,439,240	0	10,299	0	0	0	1,500	0	5,300	0	0	0	1,456,339
School Administration	28 3,983,508	0	706	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	71,494	0	4,055,708
Business & Central Administration	29 1,441,108	0	40,895	0	0	0	256,872	231,810	0	0	0	0	1,970,685
Plant Operation and Maintenance	30 5,867,988	0	1,041,965	0	0	0	202,514	7,918	0	0	23,995	0	7,144,380
Student Transportation	31 2,104,898	0	142,353	0	0	0	485,993	0	0	0	0	0	2,733,244
Noninstructional Programs	32 0	0	38,293	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,503,442	0	3,531,735
Facilities Acquisition and Construction	33		0	0	0	0	431,704	10,787,859	9,792,629			0	21,012,192
Debt Service (Principal, interest, fiscal charges)	34												
AEA Support - Direct to AEA	35 2,408,716						0	0	0	11,402,615			11,402,615
Total Expenditures	36 71,641,872	1,205,077	1,402,533	0	1,273	0	1,576,946	11,027,587	9,797,929	11,402,615	3,599,075	0	111,654,907
Transfers Out	37 0	0	2,000	0	0	0	3,613,764	0	0	0	175,241	0	3,791,005
Other Uses	38 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total Expenditures, Transfers Out & Other Uses	39 71,641,872	1,205,077	1,404,533	0	1,273	0	5,190,710	11,027,587	9,797,929	11,402,615	3,774,316	0	115,445,912
Ending Fund Balance	40 15,528,525	912,758	1,182,783	0	121,584	0	15,863,939	11,606,382	0	69,013	3,292,550	0	48,577,534
Total Requirements	41 87,170,397	2,117,835	2,587,316	0	122,857	0	21,054,649	22,633,969	9,797,929	11,471,628	7,066,866	0	164,023,446

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING - AMENDMENT OF CURRENT BUDGET
CEDAR FALLS School District
Fiscal Year July 1, 2025 - June 30, 2026

The CEDAR FALLS School District will conduct a public hearing for the purpose of amending the current budget for fiscal year ending June 30, 2026

Meeting Date/Time: 4/27/2026 05:30 PM

Contact: Denelle Gonnerman

Phone: (319) 553-2433

Meeting Location: City of Cedar Falls Council Chambers
 220 Clay St, Cedar Falls, IA 50613

There will be no increase in taxes. Any residents or taxpayers will be heard for or against the proposed amendment at the time and place specified above. A detailed statement of: additional receipts, cash balances on hand at the close of the preceding fiscal year, and proposed disbursements, both past and anticipated, will be available at the hearing. Budget amendments are subject to protest. If protest petition requirements are met, the State Appeal Board will hold a local hearing. For more information, consult <https://dom.iowa.gov/local-gov-appeals>.

EXPENDITURES	Total Budget as Certified or Last Amended	Amendment Increase	Total Budget After Current Amendment	Reason
Instruction	56,583,352	988,895	57,572,247	Access Points & switches
Total Support Services	25,259,506	0	25,259,506	
Noninstructional Programs	3,757,326	181,933	3,939,259	Food and supplies
Total Other Expenditures	26,056,920	0	26,056,920	
Total	111,657,104	1,170,828	112,827,932	

Understanding the FY2027 Budget Comparison

Residential:

What the Comparison Shows:

Residential				
Assessed Value	\$	100,000	\$	110,000
Rollback		47.43%		44.53%
Taxable Value	\$	47,432	\$	48,988
Tax Rate		\$14.53		\$14.11
Taxes Due	\$	689	\$	691
				0.3%



What it Really Looks Like:

Residential				
Assessed Value	\$	100,000	\$	100,000
Rollback		47.43%		44.53%
Taxable Value	\$	47,432	\$	44,535
Tax Rate		\$14.53		\$14.11
Taxes Due	\$	689	\$	628
				-8.8%



The comparison in the DOM budget system for the taxpayer notices mandates a 10% increase in assessed value for both types of comparison properties.

In reality, only odd numbered years are reassessment years, so 2024 assessments (FY 2026) generally only change during odd numbered years.

Second, if assessments did actually grow by 10%, the Residential Rollback would fall to guarantee a 3% taxable value growth.

Understanding the FY2027 Budget Comparison

Commercial

What the Comparison Shows:

Commercial					
Assessed Value	\$	400,000	\$	440,000	10.0%
Rollback <=\$150k)		47.43%		44.53%	-6.1%
Rollback >\$150k)		90.00%		90.00%	0.0%
Taxable Value	\$	71,147	\$	66,802	-6.1%
Taxable Value	\$	225,000	\$	261,000	16.0%
Taxable Total Value	\$	296,147	\$	327,802	10.7%
Tax Rate		\$14.53		\$14.11	-2.9%
Taxes Due	\$	4,302	\$	4,626	7.5%



What it Really Looks Like:

Commercial					
Assessed Value	\$	400,000	\$	400,000	0.0%
Rollback <=\$150k)		47.43%		44.53%	-6.1%
Rollback >\$150k)		90.00%		90.00%	0.0%
Taxable Value	\$	71,147	\$	66,802	-6.1%
Taxable Value	\$	225,000	\$	225,000	0.0%
Taxable Total Value	\$	296,147	\$	291,802	-1.5%
Tax Rate		\$14.53		\$14.11	-2.9%
Taxes Due	\$	4,302	\$	4,118	-4.3%



Instructional Support Levy

- **Maximum Levy:** 10% of Regular Program District Cost.
- **Approval:** Cedar Falls Board of Education
- **Length:** Five Years
- **Beginning Date:** July 1, 1992/July 1, 2002/July 1, 2012/July 1, 2022
- **Iowa Code:** 257.14
- **Uses:** For the purpose approved by election ballot,
"Improvement of instructional equipment &
materials, computers and development of
technology, and expanded counseling and
media services."

			Expenditures
Fiscal Year	Tax Rate	Authorized	(Period 12/Cash)
2007	\$1.57633	\$1,848,559	\$2,170,317
2008	\$1.59956	\$1,924,948	\$1,939,159
2009	\$1.56662	\$2,030,909	\$1,769,883
2010	\$1.55373	\$2,085,833	\$1,845,309
2011	\$1.54966	\$2,100,082	\$1,940,741
2012	\$1.53540	\$2,141,556	\$2,087,487
2013	\$1.45118	\$2,234,359	\$2,046,674
2014	\$1.29271	\$2,373,016	\$2,048,874
2015	\$1.27486	\$2,399,326	\$2,070,644
2016	\$1.28531	\$2,445,002	\$2,294,466
2017	\$1.29153	\$2,549,357	\$2,078,673
2018	\$1.30615	\$2,658,848	\$2,255,805
2019	\$1.28548	\$2,681,624	\$2,408,548
2020	\$1.28029	\$2,780,076	\$2,322,348
2021	\$1.29370	\$2,873,016	\$2,491,734
2022	\$1.27767	\$2,929,113	\$3,441,089
2023*	\$1.03427	\$2,463,538	\$2,907,842
2024*	\$1.02609	\$2,499,923	\$2,848,180
2025*	\$0.99519	\$3,165,184	\$3,292,077
Re-estimated	2026*	\$1.00349	\$3,377,554
Projected	2027*	\$0.95454	\$3,205,737

*Income Surtax

Allowable Growth "New Money" Comparison with Similar Size Schools

State Rank	School District	10/1/2024 Enrollment	2025/26 RPDC	10/1/2025 Enrollment	2026/27 RPDC	Dollar Growth	Percent Growth	Per Pupil Growth	Enrollment Change
11	W. Des Moines	8,525.8	\$68,104,090	8,249.4	\$68,785,131	\$681,041	1.00%	\$82.56	(276.4)
12	Linn-Marr	7,493.7	\$59,859,676	7,448.7	\$60,692,008	\$832,332	1.39%	\$111.74	(45.0)
13	Southeast Polk	7,288.6	\$58,221,337	7,299.6	\$59,477,141	\$1,255,804	2.16%	\$172.04	11.0
14	Johnston	6,737.5	\$54,052,491	6,673.0	\$54,371,604	\$319,113	0.59%	\$47.82	(64.5)
15	Pleasant Valley	5,497.5	\$44,425,298	5,413.2	\$44,869,551	\$444,253	1.00%	\$82.07	(84.3)
16	Cedar Falls	5,464.8	\$43,672,617	5,395.1	\$44,089,350	\$416,733	0.95%	\$77.24	(69.7)
17	Marshalltown	5,380.3	\$42,983,217	5,297.2	\$43,413,049	\$429,832	1.00%	\$81.14	(83.1)
18	College	5,113.8	\$40,849,034	5,026.6	\$41,257,525	\$408,491	1.00%	\$81.27	(87.2)
19	Ottumwa	5,124.3	\$40,932,908	4,994.1	\$41,342,237	\$409,329	1.00%	\$81.96	(130.2)
20	Ames	4,534.0	\$36,444,292	4,468.9	\$36,808,735	\$364,443	1.00%	\$81.55	(65.1)
21	Muscatine	4,315.9	\$34,958,961	4,239.3	\$34,820,163	-\$138,798	-0.40%	-\$32.74	(76.6)
Average			\$47,682,175	5,864.0	\$48,175,136	\$492,961	0.97%	\$78.79	-88.28

**Cedar Falls Community School District
Regular Program District Cost Per Pupil
Historical Comparison**

Year	State			District		
	RPDCP	Growth \$	Growth %	RPDCP	Growth \$	Growth %
1991-92	\$3,203	\$126	4.2%	\$3,210	\$864,328	5.70%
1992-93	\$3,336	\$133	4.2%	\$3,343	\$710,206	4.44%
1993-94	\$3,406	\$70	2.1%	\$3,413	\$277,102	1.66%
1994-95	\$3,503	\$97	2.8%	\$3,510	\$221,623	1.30%
1995-96	\$3,626	\$123	3.5%	\$3,633	\$612,170	3.55%
1996-97	\$3,746	\$120	3.3%	\$3,753	\$356,709	2.00%
1997-98	\$3,877	\$131	3.5%	\$3,884	\$209,606	1.15%
1998-99	\$4,013	\$136	3.5%	\$4,020	\$228,176	1.24%
1999-00*	\$4,171	\$158	3.9%	\$4,178	\$32,322	0.17%
2000-01	\$4,338	\$167	4.0%	\$4,345	\$232,589	1.24%
2001-02	\$4,512	\$174	4.0%	\$4,519	\$368,447	1.93%
2002-03	\$4,557	\$45	1.0%	\$4,564	(\$401,189)	-2.06%
2003-04	\$4,648	\$91	2.0%	\$4,655	\$22,011	0.11%
2004-05	\$4,741	\$93	2.0%	\$4,748	\$477,918	2.46%
2005-06	\$4,931	\$190	4.0%	\$4,938	\$1,139,311	5.72%
2006-07	\$5,128	\$197	4.0%	\$5,135	\$759,999	3.61%
2007-08	\$5,333	\$205	4.0%	\$5,340	\$1,084,069	4.97%
2008-09	\$5,546	\$213	4.0%	\$5,553	\$1,325,503	5.78%
2009-10**	\$5,775	\$222	4.0%	\$5,775	\$955,814	3.94%
2010-11	\$5,890	\$115	2.0%	\$5,890	\$1,027,133	4.08%
2011-12***	\$5,890	\$0	0.0%	\$5,890	\$1,781,725	6.79%
2012-13	\$6,008	\$118	2.0%	\$6,008	\$721,468	2.58%
2013-14+	\$6,128	\$120	2.0%	\$6,128	\$1,070,136	3.73%
2014-15	\$6,373	\$245	4.0%	\$6,373	\$1,170,257	3.93%
2015-16	\$6,453	\$80	1.25%	\$6,453	\$699,763	2.26%
2016-17	\$6,598	\$145	2.25%	\$6,598	\$1,586,115	5.26%
2017-18	\$6,671	\$73	1.11%	\$6,671	\$1,000,547	3.00%
2018-19++	\$6,738	\$67	1.00%	\$6,738	\$343,343	1.00%
2019-20	\$6,880	\$142	2.06%	\$6,880	\$1,357,042	3.91%
2020-21	\$7,048	\$158	2.30%	\$7,048	\$1,822,939	5.10%
2021-22	\$7,227	\$169	2.40%	\$7,227	\$1,575,776	4.16%
2022-23	\$7,413	\$181	2.50%	\$7,413	\$1,825,872	4.60%
2023-24	\$7,635	\$222	3.00%	\$7,635	\$886,689	2.15%
2024-25	\$7,826	\$191	2.50%	\$7,826	\$1,094,251	2.60%
2025-26	\$7,988	\$157	2.00%	\$7,983	\$432,402	1.00%
2026-27	\$8,148	\$160	2.00%	\$8,143	\$416,733	1.00%

Ten Year Average	\$7,357	\$152	2.09%	\$7,356	\$1,075,559	2.85%
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* \$38.00 Adjustment for TAG funding State growth was at 3.0% or \$120/pupil

** State of Iowa issues 10% budget reversion for FY10.

*** Includes addition of 288 Price Laboratory School students for FY12.

+ Does not include \$583,488 in one-time "plus 2%" monies

++ Includes budget guarantee funding

^ Estimated 2.00% SSA

Black Hawk County Auditor's Valuation Report
Taxable (Rollback) Valuations as of January 1, xxxx

Budget Year	Cedar Falls CSD	% Up / Down	Cedar Falls TIF	% Up / Down	Total
1996	\$663,511,657	15.37%	\$5,307,948	27.32%	\$668,819,605
1997	\$615,064,457	-7.30%	\$6,782,515	27.78%	\$621,846,972
1998	\$629,791,801	2.39%	\$7,868,351	16.01%	\$637,660,152
1999	\$690,594,785	9.65%	\$18,397,551	133.82%	\$708,992,336
2000	\$726,511,786	5.20%	\$22,792,830	23.89%	\$749,304,616
2001	\$812,430,965	11.83%	\$39,796,450	74.60%	\$852,227,415
2002	\$843,579,373	3.83%	\$48,753,438	22.51%	\$892,332,811
2003	\$898,718,378	6.54%	\$52,254,879	7.18%	\$950,973,257
2004	\$924,298,575	2.85%	\$69,075,404	32.19%	\$993,373,979
2005	\$1,013,637,612	9.67%	\$106,943,234	54.82%	\$1,120,580,846
2006	\$1,028,905,553	1.51%	\$125,933,694	17.76%	\$1,154,839,247
2007	\$1,089,243,485	5.86%	\$153,510,211	21.90%	\$1,242,753,696
2008	\$1,126,725,623	3.44%	\$159,055,914	3.61%	\$1,285,781,537
2009	\$1,216,494,959	7.97%	\$186,995,589	17.57%	\$1,403,490,548
2010	\$1,271,227,864	4.50%	\$210,097,130	12.35%	\$1,481,324,994
2011	\$1,312,810,513	3.27%	\$235,930,459	12.30%	\$1,548,740,972
2012	\$1,394,788,675	6.24%	\$228,952,490	-2.96%	\$1,623,741,165
2013	\$1,539,679,334	10.39%	\$238,279,052	4.07%	\$1,777,958,386
2014	\$1,765,749,164	14.68%	\$69,938,785	-70.65%	\$1,835,687,949
2015	\$1,620,002,240	-8.25%	\$262,029,070	274.65%	\$1,882,031,310
2016	\$1,646,442,620	1.63%	\$255,379,885	-2.54%	\$1,901,822,505
2017	\$1,705,405,959	3.58%	\$268,498,450	5.14%	\$1,973,904,409
2018	\$1,881,942,714	10.35%	\$155,010,642	-42.27%	\$2,036,953,356
2019	\$1,952,212,278	3.73%	\$133,875,589	-13.63%	\$2,086,087,867
2020	\$2,066,808,994	5.87%	\$104,625,052	-21.85%	\$2,171,434,046
2021	\$2,086,876,515	0.97%	\$133,902,299	27.98%	\$2,220,778,814
2022	\$2,080,362,578	-0.31%	\$212,187,379	58.46%	\$2,292,549,957
2023	\$2,180,082,350	4.79%	\$202,188,979	-4.71%	\$2,382,271,329
2024	\$2,191,032,387	0.50%	\$207,302,135	2.53%	\$2,398,334,522
2025	\$2,283,332,046	4.21%	\$277,035,194	33.64%	\$2,560,367,240
2026	\$2,398,850,007	5.06%	\$219,065,261	-20.93%	\$2,617,915,268
2027	\$2,453,819,040	2.29%	\$280,786,269	28.17%	\$2,734,605,309

Management Fund

- **Maximum Levy:** None per \$ 1,000 Assessed Valuation
- **Approval:** Board Approved
- **Length:** One Year
- **Iowa Code:** 96.31;279.46
- **Uses:** Pay for the cost of insurance agreements (not health), contract indebtedness, self-insurance programs, unemployment, and early retirement benefits.

	Fiscal Year	Tax Rate	Authorized	Total Revenue (Period 13/CAR)	Expenditures (Period 13/CAR)
	2007	\$0.45903	\$499,995	\$560,441	\$669,003
	2008	\$0.44376	\$500,000	\$616,925	\$704,461
	2009	\$0.47267	\$575,001	\$665,305	\$562,533
	2010	\$0.47198	\$600,000	\$758,699	\$760,318
	2011	\$0.55987	\$735,000	\$826,438	\$515,556
	2012	\$0.46602	\$650,000	\$772,320	\$533,863
	2013	\$0.35722	\$550,000	\$609,979	\$537,336
	2014	\$0.25485	\$450,000	\$475,015	\$612,012
	2015	\$0.30864	\$499,997	\$593,423	\$656,032
	2016	\$0.32191	\$530,006	\$585,224	\$646,823
	2017	\$0.29319	\$500,008	\$589,504	\$595,052
	2018	\$0.37112	\$698,427	\$756,851	\$617,838
	2019	\$0.30688	\$600,000	\$634,040	\$668,117
	2020	\$0.24192	\$500,000	\$524,667	\$666,190
	2021	\$0.23959	\$500,000	\$521,641	\$738,402
	2022	\$0.36051	\$750,000	\$772,495	\$790,628
	2023	\$0.37155	\$810,000	\$810,629	\$908,427
	2024	\$0.50205	\$1,100,000	\$1,124,825	\$1,082,764
	2025	\$0.85402	\$1,950,000	\$1,981,782	\$1,404,533
Re-estimator	2026	\$0.82560	\$1,980,500	\$2,049,189	\$1,609,634
Projected	2027	\$0.87796	\$2,154,350	\$2,197,748	\$1,752,086

Secure a Future for Education (SAVE) Fund (Formerly LOT)

- **Maximum Levy:** 1 Cent - Apportioned by State Wide Student Enrollment
- **Approval:** Legislative with Local Voter Approval of Revenue Purpose
- **Length:** Until June 30, 2051
- **Iowa Code:** 422F
- **Uses:** "To be used solely for infrastructure needs: Construction, reconstruction, repair, purchase or remodeling of schoolhouses, stadiums, gyms, and the procurement of schoolhouse construction sites, and site improvements.

		Fiscal Year	Tax Rate	Tax Revenue (Period 13)	Bond/Grant/ Other Rev. (CAR)	Expenditures (Period 13/CAR)
		2007	\$0.01	\$3,839,801	\$260,884	\$2,431,454
		2008	\$0.01	\$4,376,493	\$272,526	\$7,441,392
		2009	\$0.01	\$4,516,507	\$10,204,547	\$3,787,828
		2010	\$0.01	\$4,514,284	\$243,410	\$13,523,718
		2011	\$0.01	\$3,607,002	\$20,545,769	\$15,683,483
		2012	\$0.01	\$3,672,221	\$106,027	\$6,760,370
		2013	\$0.01	\$4,468,108	\$48,817	\$10,501,447
		2014	\$0.01	\$4,227,019	\$10,088,885	\$10,746,677
		2015	\$0.01	\$4,613,875	\$35,647	\$4,649,522
		2016	\$0.01	\$4,682,586	\$43,034	\$3,116,412
		2017	\$0.01	\$4,831,500	\$52,038	\$6,760,544
		2018	\$0.01	\$4,791,570	\$1,563,920	\$11,857,860
		2019	\$0.01	\$5,259,465	\$1,013,917	\$8,716,685
		2020	\$0.01	\$5,424,200	\$10,191,985	\$9,200,435
		2021	\$0.01	\$5,358,688	\$32,957,838	\$12,726,085
		2022	\$0.01	\$6,558,192	\$57,713	\$34,934,464
		2023	\$0.01	\$7,601,111	\$864,838	\$7,736,382
		2024	\$0.01	\$7,271,968	\$571,050	\$6,158,283
		2025	\$0.01	\$7,308,136	\$918,064	\$5,197,311
Re-estimated		2026	\$0.01	\$7,470,655	\$819,109	\$9,964,622
Projected		2027	\$0.01	\$7,420,475	\$595,000	\$14,781,545

Physical Plant & Equipment Levy

- Maximum Levy: \$1.67 per \$ 1,000 Assessed Valuation
- Approval: \$1.34 Majority Voter Election. .33 Board Approved
- Length: Ten Years - Renewed for Ten Additional Years on 12/6/2016
- Beginning Date: July 1, 2008/July 1, 2018
- Iowa Code: 298.2, 298.3
- Uses: "For Asbestos projects, property acquisition, improvement of grounds and schoolhouses, energy conservation projects, procurement of transportation equipment, vehicles, single item equipment or bundled technology systems exceeding \$500 in value, etc."

	Fiscal Year	Board Rate	Authorized	Voted Rate	Authorized	Total Revenue	Total Expenditures
						(Period 13/CAR)	(Period 13/CAR)
	2007	\$0.33000	\$410,109	\$0.67000	\$832,645	\$1,354,344	\$1,110,960
	2008	\$0.33000	\$424,308	\$0.67000	\$861,474	\$1,494,447	\$675,772
	2009	\$0.32897	\$461,706	\$1.33583	\$1,874,825	\$2,386,386	\$1,210,177
	2010	\$0.33000	\$488,837	\$1.34000	\$1,984,975	\$2,640,529	\$2,104,999
	2011	\$0.33000	\$511,085	\$1.34000	\$2,075,313	\$2,889,746	\$3,491,716
	2012	\$0.33000	\$535,835	\$1.34000	\$2,175,813	\$2,901,876	\$3,849,017
	2013	\$0.33000	\$586,726	\$1.34000	\$2,382,464	\$3,237,551	\$2,100,266
	2014	\$0.33000	\$605,777	\$1.34000	\$2,459,822	\$3,741,544	\$3,276,279
	2015	\$0.33000	\$621,070	\$1.34000	\$2,521,922	\$3,228,462	\$2,733,926
	2016	\$0.33000	\$627,601	\$1.34000	\$2,548,442	\$3,280,567	\$2,890,826
	2017	\$0.33000	\$651,388	\$1.34000	\$2,645,032	\$3,451,837	\$2,802,596
	2018	\$0.33000	\$672,195	\$1.34000	\$2,729,517	\$3,898,564	\$3,894,860
	2019	\$0.33000	\$688,409	\$1.34000	\$2,795,348	\$3,732,705	\$3,729,577
	2020	\$0.33000	\$716,573	\$1.34000	\$2,909,722	\$3,779,096	\$3,704,555
	2021	\$0.33000	\$732,857	\$1.34000	\$2,975,844	\$3,976,188	\$3,499,362
	2022	\$0.33000	\$756,541	\$1.34000	\$3,072,017	\$4,070,281	\$3,153,791
	2023	\$0.33000	\$786,150	\$1.34000	\$3,192,244	\$4,098,678	\$5,017,806
	2024	\$0.33000	\$791,450	\$1.34000	\$3,213,768	\$10,628,221	\$9,974,786
	2025	\$0.33000	\$844,921	\$1.34000	\$3,430,892	\$17,442,028	\$11,045,477
Re-estimated	2026	\$0.33000	\$863,912	\$1.34000	\$3,508,006	\$10,200,414	\$10,691,493
Projected	2027	\$0.33000	\$902,420	\$1.34000	\$3,664,371	\$5,285,370	\$10,571,696

Debt Service Fund

- Maximum Levy: \$4.05 per \$1,000 Assessed Valuation
- Approval: 60% Voter Approved
- Length: No more than 20 years for each voter approved issue
- Iowa Code: 298.18, 298A.10
- Uses: Pay principal and interest on bonded indebtedness for the purchase purchase, construction, furnishing, reconstruction, repairing, improving or remodeling a schoolhouse or schoolhouses and additions thereto, gymnasium, stadium, field house, school bus garage, teachers or superintendents home or homes, and procuring a site or sites therefor, or improving a site for an athletic field, or improving a site already owned for an athletic field, and for any one or more of such purposes.

Fiscal Year	Tax Rate	Authorized	Total Revenue	Bond/Grant/ Other Rev. (CAR)	Total Transfers (Period 13/CAR)	Expenditures (Period 13/CAR)
2007	\$0.00000	\$0	\$0		\$175,400	\$175,400
2008	\$0.00000	\$0	\$0		\$5,175,400	\$5,175,400
2009	\$0.00000	\$0	\$0		\$132,700	\$132,700
2010	\$0.00000	\$0	\$0		\$265,400	\$265,400
2011	\$0.00000	\$0	\$0		\$10,265,450	\$10,265,450
2012	\$0.00000	\$0	\$0		\$1,835,232	\$1,835,232
2013	\$0.00000	\$0	\$0		\$1,770,141	\$1,770,141
2014	\$0.00000	\$0	\$4,010		\$3,272,269	\$3,276,279
2015	\$0.00000	\$0	\$6,567		\$3,272,275	\$3,278,841
2016	\$0.00000	\$0	\$5,086		\$2,775,355	\$2,780,441
2017	\$0.00000	\$0	\$5,262	\$15,580,000	\$4,979,119	\$20,564,381
2018	\$1.18791	\$2,419,717	\$2,500,834	\$0	\$3,557,800	\$5,737,435
2019	\$1.16160	\$2,423,200	\$2,494,849	\$0	\$2,342,830	\$5,135,825
2020	\$1.21290	\$2,434,800	\$2,497,698	\$0	\$3,476,480	\$5,926,353
2021	\$1.08246	\$2,403,900	\$2,483,750	\$0	\$4,799,851	\$7,335,818
2022	\$1.03435	\$2,371,300	\$60,722	\$70,080,173	\$3,608,938	\$5,983,338
2023	\$3.12001	\$7,432,710	\$23,697	\$0	\$4,004,320	\$11,393,820
2024	\$3.11211	\$7,463,875	\$152,813	\$0	\$3,915,495	\$11,381,070
2025	\$2.90028	\$7,425,775	\$134,386	\$0	\$3,613,764	\$11,402,615
Re-estimated Projected 2026	\$2.82168	\$7,386,925	\$201,687	\$0	\$3,935,525	\$11,329,850
2027	\$2.73691	\$7,484,375	\$144,837	\$0	\$3,898,785	\$11,385,860

Cedar Falls Community School District
Property Tax Rate
April 13, 2026

Operating Fund:	2026/27		2025/26		2024/25		2023/24		2022/23	
	Dollars	Rate	Dollars	Rate	Dollars	Rate	Dollars	Rate	Dollars	
Combined District Cost	\$ 18,235,825	7.43161	\$ 18,170,403	7.57463	\$ 17,557,885	7.68959	\$ 17,327,473	7.90836	\$ 17,393,937	
Scale Down/1% Guarantee	\$ -	0.00000	\$ 47,119	0.01964	\$ 0	0.00000	\$ 0	0.00000	\$ 0	
SBRC Dropout Prevention	\$ 1,077,401	0.43907	\$ 1,069,188	0.44571	\$ 1,054,623	0.46188	\$ 1,023,013	0.46691	\$ 910,603	
Instructional Support	\$ 2,610,282	0.95454	\$ 2,627,060	1.00349	\$ 2,548,044	0.99519	\$ 2,460,913	1.02609	\$ 2,463,917	
Cash Reserve Levy	\$ -	0.00000	\$ 400,000	0.16675	\$ 491,656	0.21532	\$ 1,300,765	0.59368	\$ 2,718,067	
Sub-total - Operating Fund	\$ 21,923,508	8.82522	\$ 22,313,770	9.21022	\$ 21,652,208	9.36196	\$ 22,112,164	9.99504	\$ 23,486,524	
Management Fund	\$ 2,154,350	0.87796	\$ 1,980,500	0.82560	\$ 1,950,000	0.85402	\$ 1,100,000	0.50205	\$ 810,000	
PPEL Fund - (Regular)	\$ 902,420	0.33000	\$ 863,912	0.33000	\$ 844,921	0.33000	\$ 791,450	0.33000	\$ 786,150	
(Voted)	\$ 3,664,371	1.34000	\$ 3,508,006	1.34000	\$ 3,430,892	1.34000	\$ 3,213,768	1.34000	\$ 3,192,244	
Debt Service	\$ 7,484,375	2.73691	\$ 7,386,925	2.82168	\$ 7,425,775	2.90028	\$ 7,463,875	3.11211	\$ 7,432,700	
Grand Total	\$ 36,129,024	14.11009	\$ 36,053,113	14.52750	\$ 35,303,796	14.78628	\$ 34,681,257	15.27920	\$ 35,707,618	
Taxable Valuation less TIF incl. Gas & Electric	\$2,453,819,040		\$2,398,850,007		\$2,283,332,046		\$2,191,032,387		\$2,180,082,350	
Next Year % Increase	2.29%		5.06%		4.21%		0.50%		4.79%	
5 Yr. Cumulative % Increase	12.56%		15.31%		9.41%		6.01%		11.67%	
Taxable Valuation less TIF w/o Gas & Electric	\$2,446,609,626		\$2,391,478,611		\$2,276,062,083		\$2,184,091,275		\$2,172,684,843	
TIF Valuation	\$280,786,269		\$219,065,261		\$277,035,194		\$207,302,135		\$202,188,979	
Total Valuation w/ TIF	\$2,734,605,309		\$2,617,915,268		\$2,560,367,240		\$2,398,334,522		\$2,382,271,329	
Yearly Tax Val. w/ TIF % Inc.	4.46%		2.25%		6.76%		0.67%		3.91%	
Cumulative 10 Yr. % Inc.	34.25%		32.63%		34.63%		27.43%		29.78%	
Cumulative 10 Yr. Avg. Inc.	3.43%		3.26%		3.46%		2.74%		2.98%	

**Taxation Rate Comparison
25 Largest Schools In Iowa
2025/26 Tax Rates**

All Funds Tax Levy Rank

District	General	Mgt.	PPEL	Playground	Debt	Total	25 Largest Schools Tax Levy Rank	Oct. 1 Certified Enrollment	Certified Enrollment Rank	State Tax Levy Rank
Pleasant Valley	9.6629	0.8603	1.6700	0.0000	0.0000	12.1932	1	5,413.2	15	20
West Des Moines	9.5295	0.8834	1.6700	0.1350	0.0000	12.2179	2	8,249.4	11	211
Bettendorf	9.8434	0.8288	1.6700	0.0000	0.0000	12.3422	3	3,776.9	22	194
Sioux City	10.1417	1.9113	0.3300	0.0000	0.0000	12.3830	4	14,181.4	5	16
Dubuque	11.3043	0.7301	1.0000	0.0000	0.0000	13.0344	5	9,665.7	9	155
Cedar Rapids	9.9546	2.0233	1.6700	0.0000	0.0000	13.6479	6	15,901.2	2	127
Davenport	10.1995	1.9488	1.6700	0.0000	0.0000	13.8183	7	13,370.5	6	121
Muscatine	10.6563	1.5822	1.6700	0.0000	0.0000	13.9085	8	4,239.3	21	116
Ames	7.7820	0.5577	1.6700	0.0000	4.0481	14.0578	9	4,468.9	20	108
Cedar Falls	9.2102	0.8256	1.6700	0.0000	2.8217	14.5275	10	5,395.1	16	91
Des Moines	10.5499	2.2557	1.6700	0.1350	0.0000	14.6106	11	30,159.7	1	94
Ottumwa	11.6266	1.2284	1.6700	0.1350	0.0000	14.6600	12	4,994.1	19	92
Johnston	11.9082	1.3389	1.6700	0.0000	0.0000	14.9171	13	6,673.0	14	79
Clinton	10.7910	0.5988	1.0800	0.0000	2.6992	15.1690	14	3,614.9	23	73
Southeast Polk	9.9376	1.6821	1.6700	0.0000	2.1339	15.4236	15	7,299.6	13	15
Marshalltown	10.2790	1.1751	1.6700	0.1350	2.7000	15.9591	16	5,297.2	17	58
Burlington	13.4463	0.8538	1.6700	0.0000	0.0000	15.9701	17	3,560.2	24	48
Ankeny	11.2748	0.6018	1.6700	0.0000	2.4539	16.0005	18	12,682.0	7	47
Council Bluffs	12.8013	1.0863	1.6700	0.0000	0.4902	16.0478	19	8,309.3	10	46
Iowa City	11.6109	1.1130	1.6700	0.0000	1.6670	16.0609	20	14,369.6	4	45
College	11.1486	0.3716	1.0000	0.0000	4.0483	16.5685	21	5,026.6	18	37
Waterloo	14.6209	1.1255	1.0000	0.0000	0.0000	16.7464	22	10,524.2	8	10
Norwalk	9.8605	2.0376	1.6700	0.0000	4.0499	17.6180	23	3,494.8	25	19
Waukee	10.9710	1.0716	1.6700	0.0000	4.0462	17.7588	24	14,411.6	3	19
Linn-Mar	13.4693	0.9908	1.6700	0.1350	1.7296	17.9947	25	7,448.7	12	9
Average	10.9032	1.1873	1.5124	0.0270	1.3155	14.9454				

Cedar Falls ranked 10th in overall tax rate when compared to the 25 largest school districts in FY2026.
325 School Districts for FY2026.

**Taxation Rate Comparison
25 Largest Schools In Iowa
2025/26 Tax Rates**

General Fund Tax Levy Rank

District	Combined Dist. Cost	Cash Reserve Levy	Inst. Support Levy	Total	25 Largest Schools Tax Levy Rank	Oct. 1 Certified Enrollment	Certified Enrollment Rank	State Tax Levy Rank
Ames	7.3420	0.0000	0.4400	7.7820	1	4,468.9	20	278
Cedar Falls	8.0400	0.1668	1.0035	9.2103	2	5,395.1	16	161
West Des Moines	7.4292	1.1908	0.9095	9.5295	3	8,249.4	11	137
Pleasant Valley	8.3578	0.0000	1.3051	9.6629	4	5,413.2	15	125
Bettendorf	8.5938	0.0000	1.2496	9.8434	5	3,776.9	22	114
Norwalk	8.5761	0.1156	1.1688	9.8605	6	3,494.8	25	111
Southeast Polk	8.7282	0.8318	0.3776	9.9376	7	7,299.6	13	106
Cedar Rapids	8.6014	1.1545	0.1986	9.9545	8	15,901.2	2	105
Sioux City	9.3212	0.0000	0.8205	10.1417	9	14,181.4	5	90
Davenport	8.7914	0.0000	1.4081	10.1995	10	13,370.5	6	85
Marshalltown	9.3644	0.0000	0.9146	10.2790	11	5,297.2	17	77
Des Moines	9.1214	0.0000	1.4285	10.5499	12	30,159.7	1	59
Muscatine	8.6022	0.9493	1.1049	10.6564	13	4,239.3	21	52
Clinton	9.0342	0.7984	0.9584	10.7910	14	3,614.9	23	48
Waukee	7.9673	1.9576	1.0460	10.9709	15	14,411.6	3	43
College	7.8386	2.2446	1.0654	11.1486	16	5,026.6	18	38
Ankeny	8.1780	1.8485	1.2483	11.2748	17	12,682.0	7	34
Dubuque	8.5441	1.6010	1.1592	11.3043	18	9,665.7	9	33
Iowa City	8.0778	3.2274	0.3058	11.6110	19	14,369.6	4	25
Ottumwa	9.1368	2.1395	0.3502	11.6265	20	4,994.1	19	24
Johnston	8.2280	2.5457	1.1346	11.9083	21	6,673.0	14	16
Council Bluffs	9.0312	2.2087	1.5614	12.8013	22	8,309.3	10	9
Burlington	9.2754	2.6362	1.5347	13.4463	23	3,560.2	24	6
Linn-Mar	8.2561	3.7795	1.4338	13.4694	24	7,448.7	12	5
Waterloo	9.3721	3.8689	1.3799	14.6209	25	10,524.2	8	2

Average	8.55235	1.33059	1.02028	10.90322
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Cedar Falls ranked 2nd in general fund tax rate when compared to the 25 largest school districts in FY2026.
325 School Districts for FY2026.

**Taxation Rate Comparison
25 Largest Schools In Iowa
2025/26 Tax Rates**

Assessed Valuation per Student Rank

District	Net Value per Pupil w/o TIF	25 Largest School Valuation/ Student Rank	Statewide Assessed Valuation per Student Rank	Oct. 1 Certified Enrollment	Oct. 1 Certified Enrollment	General Fund Levy	25 Largest Schools GF Tax Levy Rank
Ames	\$731,669	1	67	4,468.9	20	7.7820	278
West Des Moines	\$689,131	2	77	8,249.4	11	9.5295	137
College	\$541,981	3	157	5,026.6	18	11.1486	38
Iowa City	\$511,518	4	173	14,369.6	4	11.6109	25
Waukee	\$490,670	5	187	14,411.6	3	10.9710	43
Bettendorf	\$473,080	6	200	3,776.9	22	9.8434	114
Ankeny	\$455,989	7	206	12,682.0	7	11.2748	34
Dubuque	\$444,396	8	221	9,665.7	9	11.3043	33
Johnston	\$443,407	9	223	6,673.0	14	11.9082	16
Cedar Falls	\$438,964	10	228	5,395.1	16	9.2102	161
Pleasant Valley	\$413,605	11	246	5,413.2	15	9.6629	125
Cedar Rapids	\$398,568	12	261	15,901.2	2	9.9546	105
Davenport	\$390,788	13	269	13,370.5	6	10.1995	85
Southeast Polk	\$367,048	14	278	7,299.6	13	9.9376	106
Muscatine	\$366,107	15	279	4,239.3	21	10.6563	52
Linn-Mar	\$363,639	16	281	7,448.7	12	13.4693	5
Norwalk	\$326,778	17	298	3,494.8	25	9.8605	111
Council Bluffs	\$326,525	18	299	8,309.3	10	12.8013	9
Des Moines	\$301,435	19	307	30,159.7	1	10.5499	59
Burlington	\$286,989	20	312	3,560.2	24	13.4463	6
Clinton	\$279,553	21	314	3,614.9	23	10.7910	48
Waterloo	\$262,954	22	318	10,524.2	8	14.6209	2
Marshalltown	\$242,003	23	321	5,297.2	17	10.2790	77
Sioux City	\$227,609	24	322	14,181.4	5	10.1417	90
Ottumwa	\$190,631	25	325	4,994.1	19	11.6266	24

Average	\$398,601
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Cedar Falls ranked 10th in overall assessed valuation per student when compared to the 25 largest school districts in FY2026. 325 School Districts for FY2026.