

The Best School District: Financial Transparency Standard Template



Required Financial Transparency Public School Financial Transparency Act (Commencing July 1, 2017)

- ◆ District Adopted Budget - Including Uniform Budget Summary (current and prior two years)
- ◆ District Financial Audit (current and prior two years)
- ◆ Salary Schedules or Policies (current and prior two years)
- ◆ Financial Data File for FY16-17 (current and prior year: e.g. FY16-17 and FY15-16) *(districts identified as small/rural with less than 1,000 K-12 students, and having no charter schools, are required to post district level financial information only)*
- ◆ List of Waivers Received by the School District
- ◆ Other District-Specific Financial Information

The adopted budget, financial audit, and salary schedules must be posted or updated within 60 days after completion or receipt of the applicable report, statement or document. The Financial Data File for FY16-17 is required to be posted no later than March 1st, 2018. The list of waivers must be updated or posted within 30 days after a waiver is revoked or a new waiver is granted.

- ◆ Link to Financial Transparency for Colorado Schools website: <https://coloradok12financialtransparency.com>

Disclaimer: Please consider the context when evaluating financial transactions. Some transactions may appear improper on the surface but are perfectly normal and justifiable when placed in the proper context. We welcome your questions regarding our financial transactions or records.

OPTIONAL: District Informational Summary

Sample: The Best School District R1 is the largest school district in Sunshine County and remains the tenth largest school district in Colorado. The District owns 450 acres of land, 52 school buildings, and three support sites totaling 3.4 million square feet of building space with a current replacement value of over \$500 million.

The District provides services for over 22,500 students this year and employs over 2,000 teachers, education support professionals and administrators.

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