

# Fact Sheet

We engage and inspire all students to innovate, achieve and succeed in a safe environment by ensuring high quality instruction in every classroom, every day.

## OUR STUDENTS\*

**36,654**

Total students enrolled

**32,959**

District

**3,695**

Charter

**15,249 (41.60%)**

Students on free or reduced price lunch

**6,221**

Students with limited English proficiency

**4,255**

Students served through special education

**4,405**

Students participating in Gifted & Talented Program

**N/A**

Students traveling to school by bus

## DEMOGRAPHICS\*

**44.5%**

White

**43.2%**

Hispanic/Latino

**5.7%**

Asian

**1.6%**

Black/African-American

**0.4%**

American Indian/  
Alaskan Native

**0.1%**

Native Hawaiian/  
Pacific Islander

**4.4%**

Two or more ethnicities



**85.6%**

The Class of 2020's graduation rate was 85.6 percent for the district's non-charter high schools. The district exceeded the state average of 81.9 percent.

## LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

- Arts Integrated
- Before & After School Enrichment (BASE)
- Career & Technical Education
- Gifted & Talented
- International Baccalaureate (IB)
- Preschool
- Science, Technology, Engineering & Math (STEM)
- Pathways in Technology Early College High School (PTECH)

## OUR SCHOOLS

**29** Elementary   **7** Middle   **5** High   **1** P-8   **1** K-5 Magnet   **3** K-8 Magnet   **2** Technical   **3** Alternative   **4** Charter   **1** Preschool Center

## SAFETY INITIATIVES

- Aiphones  
*(elementary & middle schools)*
- Emergency Preparedness
- Multi-Tiered System of Supports (MTSS)
- Positive Behavior Program
- Regular Safety Training/Drills
- Safe2Tell®
- School Resource Officers  
*(middle & high schools)*
- Threat Assessment
- Visitor ID System

## OUR STRATEGIC PLAN

Over 7,000 parents, students, staff and community members created our collective strategic plan that will ELEVATE student success for years to come. Read the full plan: [www.adams12.org/ELEVATE](http://www.adams12.org/ELEVATE)

\*2020-2021 school year October count per Colorado Department of Education

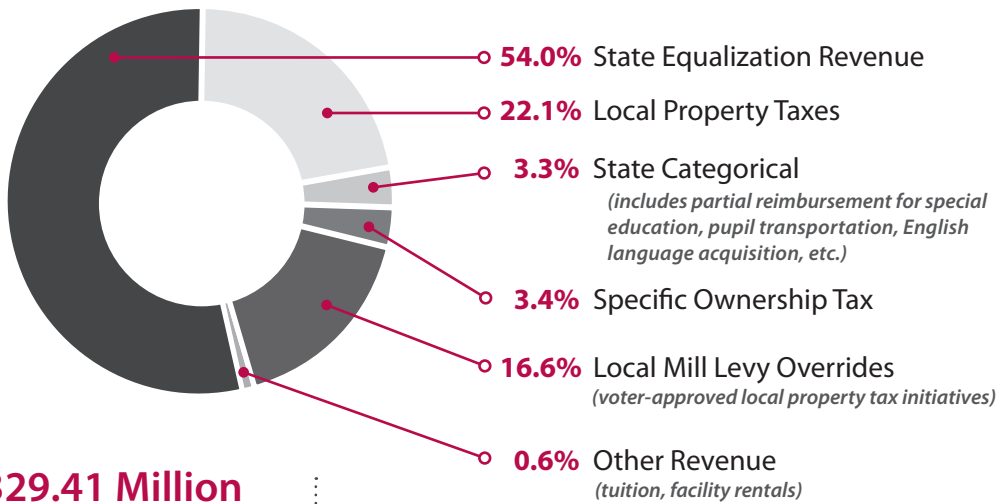
## Adams 12 Five Star Schools

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## SOURCES OF GENERAL FUND REVENUE

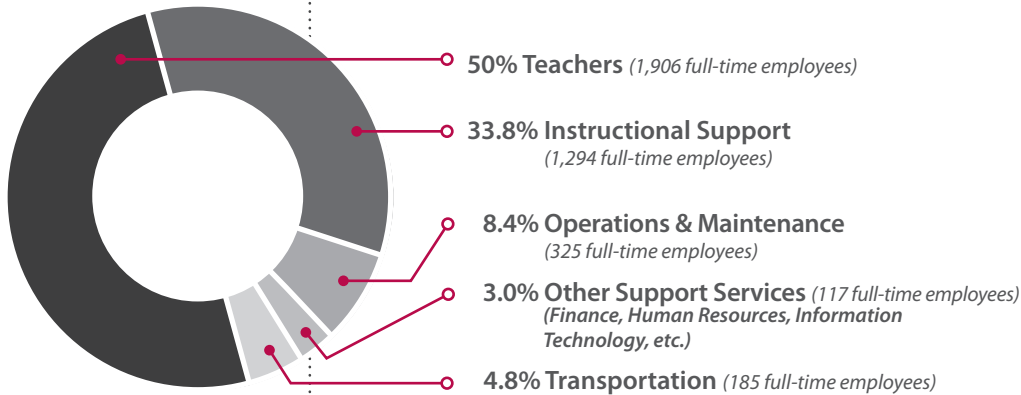


### \$329.41 Million

The General Fund adopted budget expenditures and transfers for Fiscal Year 2020-2021

### 83.8%

Five Star District employees who directly impact student learning



### 6.36%

of Adams 12 Five Star Schools' salaries and benefits assigned to administration rank among the lowest when compared to districts along the Front Range.

Source: Colorado Department of Education (CDE) 2018-2019. School District Revenues and Expenditures.

With more than 4,600 employees, Adams 12 Five Star Schools is one of the largest public sector employers in Adams County.

## EMPLOYEE GROUPS\*

\*Represents positions paid from the General Fund only

## BOARD OF EDUCATION MEMBERS

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Director District No. 5 | Term Expires 2023

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Director District No. 4 | Term Expires 2021

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### Median Home Value

**\$423,834**

Adams County

**\$521,014**

Broomfield County

Source: www.zillow.com/research/data/

## 67.1%

More than 67 percent of our teachers have advanced degrees (master's degree or higher). In addition, **all** employees engage in ongoing professional development to build their knowledge, skills and abilities.

## LEADERSHIP



Christopher E. Gdowski,  
*Superintendent*