



# Rep. James Baird (R)

## Indiana's 4th Congressional District

### How Federal Dollars Support Students and Educators in Regular Public Schools Across the Congressional District

**\$1,057 federal dollars per student** attending public schools

**7% federal share** of all dollars supporting public schools

**\$125.7 million total federal dollars for K-12** resources and staffing in public schools

**2,120 school staff supported with federal dollars** in public schools, such as classroom teachers, paraeducators, counselors, nurses, librarians, and specialized staff for students with disabilities

**8% rise in local and state taxes required to replace federal education dollars** supporting public schools

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**\$13.4 million in Title I Grants** to raise the academic achievement of all students, especially those from lower-income families

**\$30.8 million in Special Education Grants** to ensure students with disabilities have the resources and specialized staff they need

**\$66.5 million for School Meals** to meet the basic needs of students so they are ready to learn

**\$567 thousand for Career-Connected Learning** to help students learn about career pathways, attain credentials needed for careers, participate in work-based learning opportunities, and transition to postsecondary education and jobs

**\$3.2 million for Improving Instruction** to improve teaching, assist in recruiting and retaining educators to address educator shortages, and to reduce class sizes for more one-on-one attention

**\$754 thousand for Afterschool Programs** to provide extended learning opportunities, tutoring, and activities to keep students engaged in school

**\$805 thousand for Student Support & Academic Enrichment** to provide students with access to a well-rounded education, safe and healthy learning environments, and technology