Enrollment Served by Area Education Agencies (AEAs)

Iowa’s nine Area Education Agencies (AEAs) provide educational equity across the State, working as educational partners with public and nonpublic schools to improve learning outcomes and child well-being. AEAs provide services and regulatory responsibility in three main areas: special education, media and technology services, and educational services (the majority of which is curriculum development). AEAs are funded through the school aid formula. Funding is generated at the school district level using the basic school aid formula: cost per pupil times enrollment. Each AEA has a separate cost per pupil for each of the three service areas. For more information see the Fiscal Topic: www.legis.iowa.gov/docs/publications/FTNO/1224533.pdf.

Enrollment Served — Fall 2020 (2021-2022 School Budget Year)

Five-year Change in Enrollment Served by AEA — FY 2018-FY 2022

FY 2022 AEA Funding by Category

Sources: Department of Education, LSA calculations
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