

2025-26 School District Budget Notice

Overall Budget Proposal	Budget Adopted for the 2024-25 School Year	Budget Proposed for the 2025-26 School Year	Contingency Budget for the 2025-26 School Year *
Total Budgeted Amount, Not Including Separate Propositions	\$ 22,297,968	\$23,127,669	\$23,006,587
Increase/Decrease for the 2025-26 School Year		\$829,701	\$708,619
Percentage Increase/Decrease in Proposed Budget		3.72 %	3.18%
Change in the Consumer Price Index		2.95%	
A. Proposed Levy to Support the Total Budgeted Amount	\$6,055,269	\$6,176,351	
B. Levy to Support Library Debt, if Applicable	\$0	\$0	
C. Levy for Non-Excludable Propositions, if Applicable **	\$0	\$0	
D. Total Tax Cap Reserve Amount Used to Reduce Current Year Levy	\$0	\$0	
E. Total Proposed School Year Tax Levy (A + B + C - D)	\$6,055,269	\$6,176,351	\$6,055,269
F. Total Permissible Exclusions	\$420,226	\$395,087	
G. School Tax Levy Limit, <u>Excluding</u> Levy for Permissible Exclusions	\$5,635,043	\$5,781,264	
H. Total Proposed School Year Tax Levy, <u>Excluding</u> Levy to Support Library Debt and/or Permissible Exclusions (E – B – F + D)	\$5,635,043	\$5,781,264	
I. Difference: G – H (Negative Value Requires 60.0% Voter Approval – See Note Below Regarding Separate Propositions) **	\$0	\$0	
Administrative Component	\$2,519,778	\$2,764,860	\$2,643,778
Program Component	\$14,969,175	\$15,710,011	\$15,710,011
Capital Component	\$4,809,015	\$4,652,798	\$4,652,798
* Should the proposed budget be defeated, pursuant to Section 2023 Education Law, the contingency budget shows the reduction in supplies and materials and discretionary software.			
** List Separate Propositions that are not included in the Total Budgeted Amount: (Tax Levy associated with educational or transportation services propositions are not eligible for exclusion and may affect voter approval requirements)	Description		Amount
	Proposition to purchase buses and a pick-up truck		\$ 602,000
			\$
			\$
			\$

***NOTE TO SCHOOL DISTRICT BUSINESS OFFICIALS:** Please submit an electronic version (Word or PDF) of this completed form to: emscmgts@nysed.gov

Under the Budget Proposed
for the 2025-26 School Year

Estimated Basic STAR Exemption Savings¹

\$435.00

The annual budget vote for the fiscal year 2025-26 by the qualified voters of the Waterville school district, Oneida County, New York, will be held at 381 Madison Street in the "Bud Door" Board Room, Jr.Sr. High school(s) in said district on Tuesday, May 20, 2025 between the hours of 10:00am and 8:00pm.

1. The basic school tax relief (STAR) exemption is authorized by section 425 of the Real Property Tax Law.