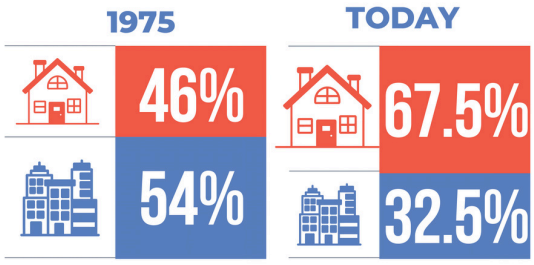
Ohio Property Tax Fact Sheet

LOWER STATE TAXES HAVE TRANSLATED INTO HIGHER LOCAL BURDENS.



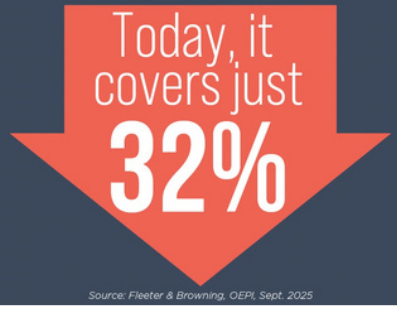
Homeowners now cover more of school property taxes



Business's share has been cut by more than a third

Fleeter & Browning, OEPI, Sept. 2025, Table 1

Ohio once covered 46% of school costs. Today, it covers just 32%



Source: Fleeter & Browning, OEPI, Sept. 2025

Ohio ranks 45th in state share of K-12 spending



Down from 35th nationally just two decades ago.

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$17 BILLION LOST EACH YEAR

Five income tax rate reductions since 2005 now drain an estimated $17 billion annually from Ohio's budget.

Source: Policy Matters Ohio/ITEP, The Great Ohio Tax Shift, 2026

- Ohio continues to shift more of the cost of schools onto local homeowners.
- We are falling behind nationally. We need the state to pay its share of the state-local partnership, not ask homeowners to keep making up the difference.