

Ludlow-Taylor ES

SCHOOL YEAR 2024-25 (FISCAL YEAR 2025)

DCPS INITIAL ALLOCATION

\$7.1M	Initial School Allocation
\$510.5K	Change from Prior Year Submitted
473	Total Enrollment
+39	Change in Enrollment

ALLOCATION TYPE	DOLLAR AMOUNT
Enrollment Based Funding	\$6,015,702
Targeted Support Funding	\$840,200
Stability Funding	\$267,774

Year-To-Year Budget Notes

The purpose of this narrative is to describe the overall budget differences between Ludlow-Taylor Elementary School's FY25 initial allocation and their FY24 budget. Ludlow-Taylor's FY25 initial formula allocation is \$7,123,680. This is an increase of \$510,534 compared to the FY24 approved budget. The FY24 approved budget includes one-time, non-DCPS model generated funding for Ludlow-Taylor including \$255,328 in initially allocated Mayor's Recovery funding and \$47,413 in Budget Assistance. The FY24 approved budget also includes \$355,193 in Schools' First in Budgeting supplement funds as awarded by DC Council. For FY25, schools were stabilized to 95% of their FY24 approved budgets which includes any additional Council funds. Any allocated Title I funds were excluded from this comparison for both fiscal years.

School budgets are primarily driven by a few factors: projected enrollment, specific student need, school programming, and position costs. In SY23-24 (FY24), Ludlow-Taylor's projected enrollment was 434. For SY24-25 (FY25), the school's projected enrollment is 473, an increase of 39 students. To support the social-emotional and academic needs of at-risk students, schools receive supplemental uniform per-student formula funds (UPSFF). Ludlow-Taylor is receiving an at-risk UPSFF supplement of \$447,521.

Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) funds were non-recurring, supplemental funds initially dispersed in the 2019-20 school year, to support COVID-19 relief efforts and evidence-based acceleration programming. Last school year, school year 2023-24, was the final year of the ESSER grant award, therefore DCPS schools will not be allocated these funds moving forward.

Elementary School Budget Model Allocation

The table below provides a detailed accounting of the resources initially allocated to this school.

Levels of Flexibility Key

Level 1 (L1): Required - Locked - These allocations are unable to be changed. This may be determined by fund source requirements and allowability, such as grants and Memorandums of Understanding (MOUs), legal requirements, and other core operational considerations.

Level 2 (L2): Required - Rarely flexible - Any shift in the allocation will maintain the intended purpose of the original allocation. Principals must demonstrate how they will meet related programmatic requirements.

Level 3 (L3): Flexible - These allocations are provided to schools to budget for staff and programming.

Enrollment Based Funding	Flexibility Level	Fund Source	Quantity	Total Cost
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Custodial Staff

Custodian (RW-3)	L2	Local	2.00	\$108,944
Custodian (RW-5)	L2	Local	1.00	\$62,467
Custodial Foreman	L2	Local	1.00	\$84,082

Enrollment Based Funding	Flexibility Level	Fund Source	Quantity	Total Cost
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Special Education Positions

Teacher - Inclusion/Resource Services	L2	Local	3.00	\$401,166
Aide - Special Education	L2	Local	6.00	\$256,152
Self Contained Teachers	L1	Local	3.00	\$401,166

Enrollment Based Funding	Flexibility Level	Fund Source	Quantity	Total Cost
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Schoolwide Instructional Support Positions

School Librarian	L1	Local	1.00	\$133,722
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Enrollment Based Funding	Flexibility Level	Fund Source	Quantity	Total Cost
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Early Childhood Education Positions (ECE)

Teacher - PK4	L2	Local	3.00	\$401,166
Teacher - PK3	L2	Local	3.00	\$401,166
Aide - Early Childhood	L2	Local	6.00	\$256,152

Enrollment Based Funding	Flexibility Level	Fund Source	Quantity	Total Cost
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School Leadership

Principal	L1	Local	1.00	\$235,841
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Enrollment Based Funding	Flexibility Level	Fund Source	Quantity	Total Cost
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Social-Emotional Positions

Psychologist	L2	Local	1.00	\$133,722
Social Worker	L2	Local	1.50	\$200,583

Enrollment Based Funding	Flexibility Level	Fund Source	Quantity	Total Cost
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Non-Personnel Spending

Custodial and Maintenance Supplies	L2	Local	6,170.41	\$6,170
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Enrollment Based Funding	Flexibility Level	Fund Source	Quantity	Total Cost
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Other

NPS Total Allocation	L3	Local	170,753.00	\$170,753
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Enrollment Based Funding	Flexibility Level	Fund Source	Quantity	Total Cost
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Administrative

Aide - Administrative	L3	Local	1.00	\$74,889
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Enrollment Based Funding	Flexibility Level	Fund Source	Quantity	Total Cost
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Student Based Budgeting

Student Based Funds (SBB) Base Weight	L3	Local	2,620,700.00	\$2,620,700
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Enrollment Based Funding	Flexibility Level	Fund Source	Quantity	Total Cost
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Multilingual Learners Positions (ML)

Teacher - Multilingual Learner (formerly ELL)	L2	EL UPSFF	0.50	\$66,861
Stability Funding				
	Flexibility Level	Fund Source	Quantity	Total Cost
Other				
Safety Net Supplement	L3	Local	267,774.00	\$267,774
Targeted Support Funding				
	Flexibility Level	Fund Source	Quantity	Total Cost
Non-Personnel Spending				
3rd grade HPE Swim Program Contribution	L1	Local	18,607.27	\$18,607
Title II Professional Development	L1	Title II	12,200.00	\$12,200
Targeted Support Funding				
	Flexibility Level	Fund Source	Quantity	Total Cost
Student Based Budgeting				
Special Education SBB Weight	L3	Local	105,546.00	\$105,546
Early Childhood Education Weight Funds	L3	Local	232,632.00	\$232,632
Multilingual Learner SBB Weight	L3	EL UPSFF	23,694.00	\$23,694
Targeted Support Funding				
	Flexibility Level	Fund Source	Quantity	Total Cost
At-Risk UPSFF Funding				
At-Risk UPSFF	L3	At-Risk	447,520.68	\$447,521