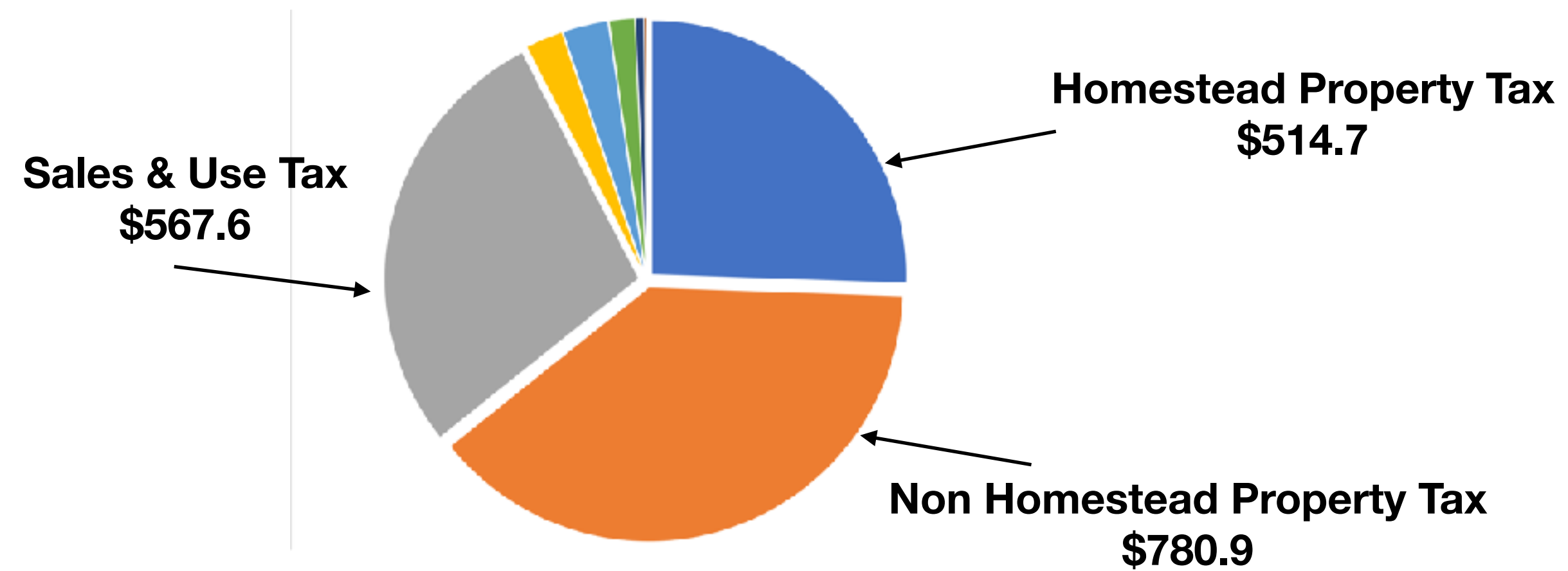


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The Education Fund covers all pre-K thru 12 education spending in Vermont



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Local school districts determine spending but it's the state's responsibility to raise the money

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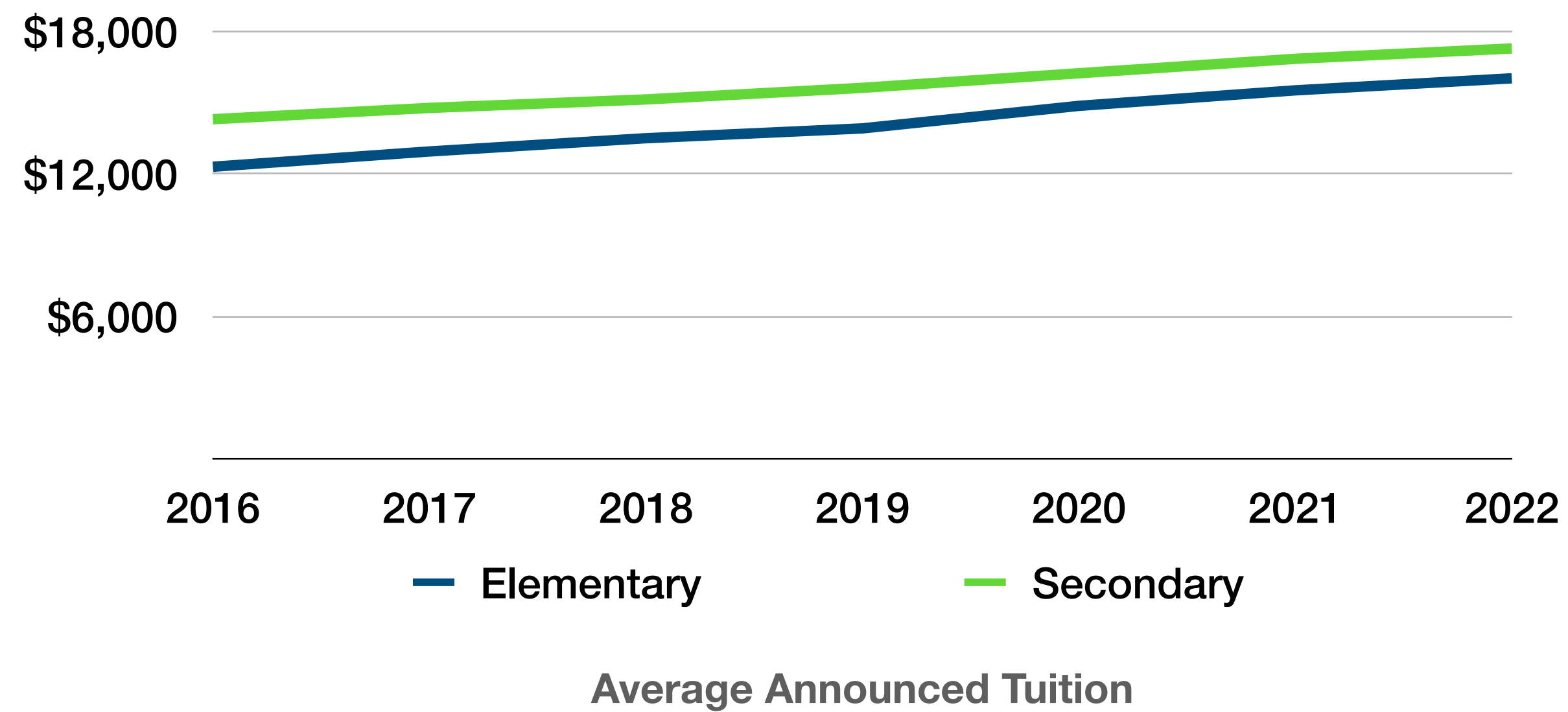
**Your local tax rate is based on what school districts all
across the state spend**

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When a portion of Vermont's students take their public education dollars to private schools it impacts all of us

4a

**Private school tuition = average per pupil cost in
Vermont public schools**



4b

Some schools charge more

meets (or substantially complies with) education quality standards

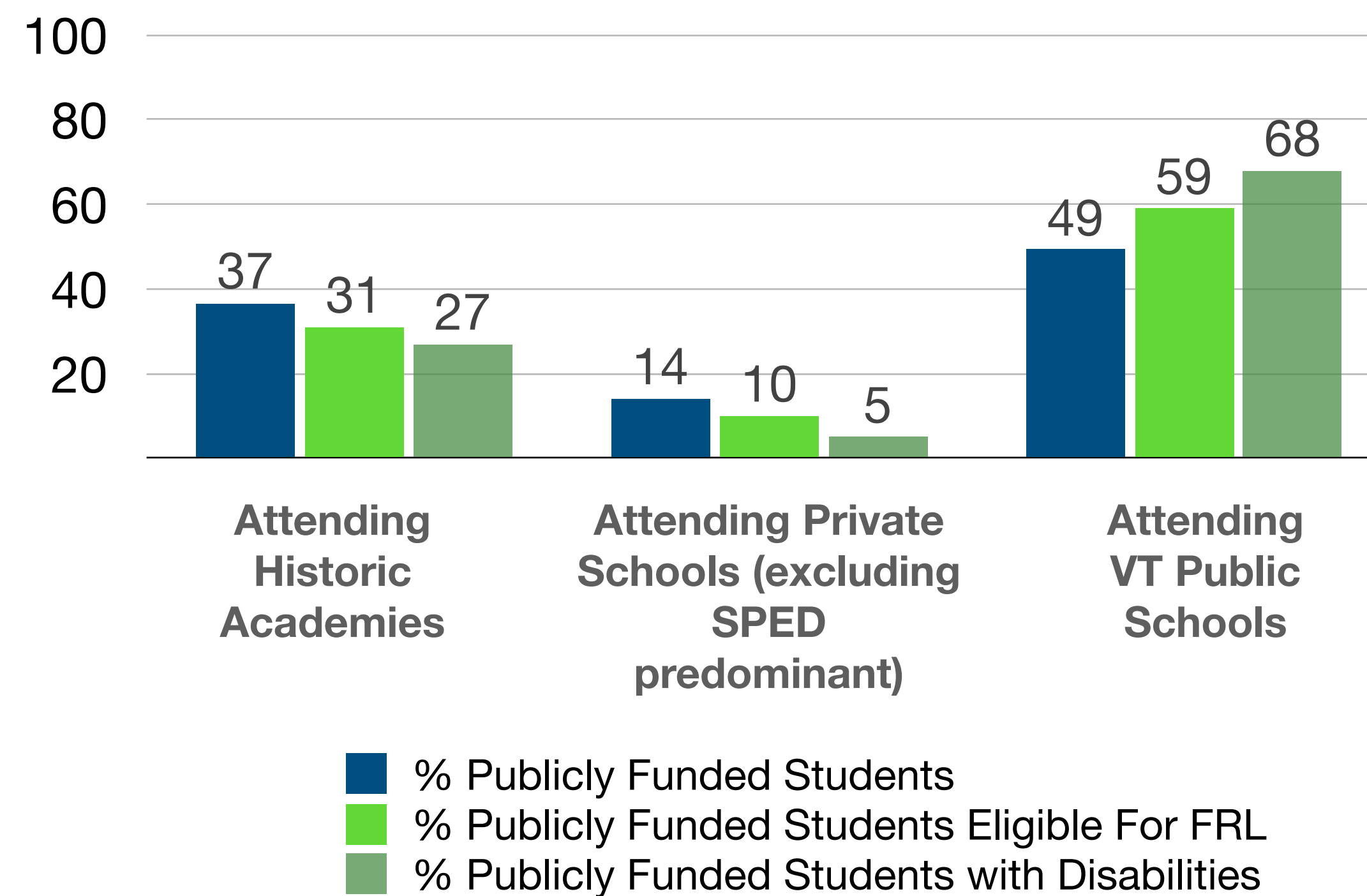
state approved school via designation

operates a career or technical center

community votes to pay higher amount

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Private schools have selective enrollment practices



Increased tuition costs force some districts to cut back on spending for grades operated



Under Act 46's spending caps, school boards find building budgets frustrating

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