








Newtown Public Schools

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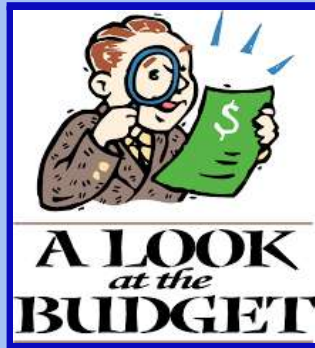
Some Budget Facts

- 80.67% of the total budget increase = salaries and benefits as fixed costs
- Increase in purchased property and equipment due to reduction last year (offset by Town’s Capital Non-Recurring)
- Decrease in purchased professional services & supplies
- Maintain (3) social workers, (1) paraprofessional, and (1) security officer - previously grant-funded
- Decrease in energy costs as we have implemented a virtual net metering solar credit system

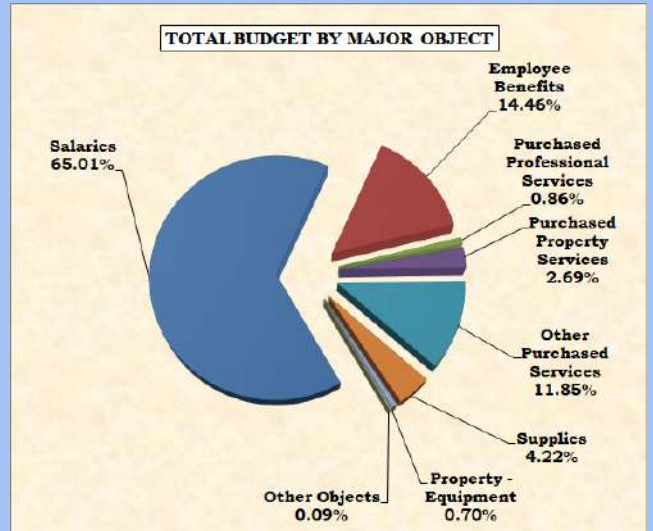
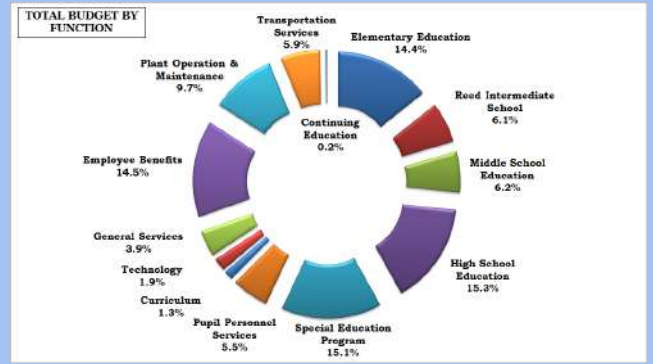
Budget Calendar

<p>2021 February</p> 	<p>2: Adoption of proposed budget 5: Budget proposals published in newspaper And budget delivered to Finance Director 11: BOF public hearing</p>
<p>2021 March</p> 	<p>3:BOF recommends budget to Legislative Council 5: Budget proposals published in newspapers 17:Legislative Council public budget hearing</p>
<p>2021 APRIL</p> 	<p>7: Legislative Council adopts Town budget 16: Proposed Budget published in newspaper 27: Please VOTE!</p>

This year’s budget presentation as well as other valuable information is available on the Newtown BOE website
<https://www.newtown.k12.ct.us/BOEBudgets>



- ❑ Increases in academic support personnel and interventionists to address learning gaps in reading and math
- ❑ World Language as core academic at NMS and expansion of Spanish to 6th grade at Reed
- ❑ Diversity and Equity Coordinator
- ❑ New K-5 Math Program and digital resources
- ❑ 1:1 Technology and devices
- ❑ Staff professional development in areas of math, Next Generation Science, differentiation, co-teacher model (Special Education), and diversity and equity
- ❑ Additional SPED teachers at NMS and Middle Gate
- ❑ CAPSTONE platform and online resources for NHS
- ❑ Update language lab at NHS
- ❑ Staffing adjustments to address enrollment projections and class size (Hawley, Sandy Hook, and Reed Intermediate schools)



REFERENDUM DATE



Date: Tuesday, April 27, 2021

Time: Polls are open from 6 a.m. - 8 p.m.

Location: Newtown Middle School
 11 Queen Street
 Newtown, CT 06470