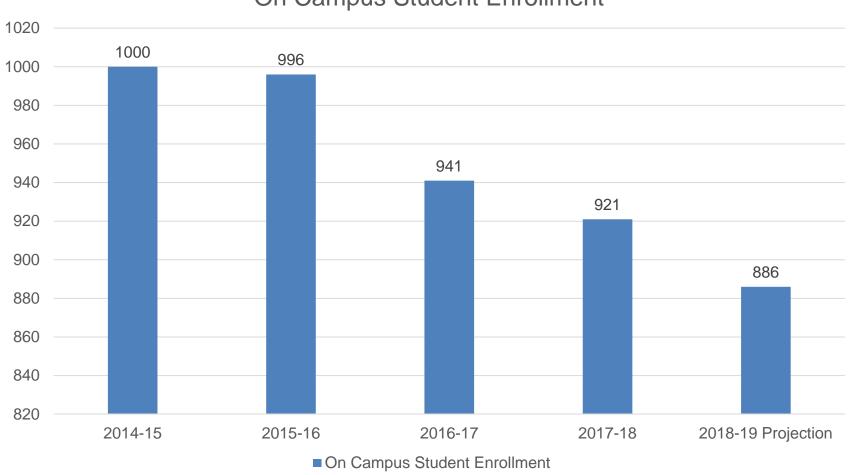
HOOSIC VALLEY CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

2018-19 Budget Workshop Program Planning February 26, 2018

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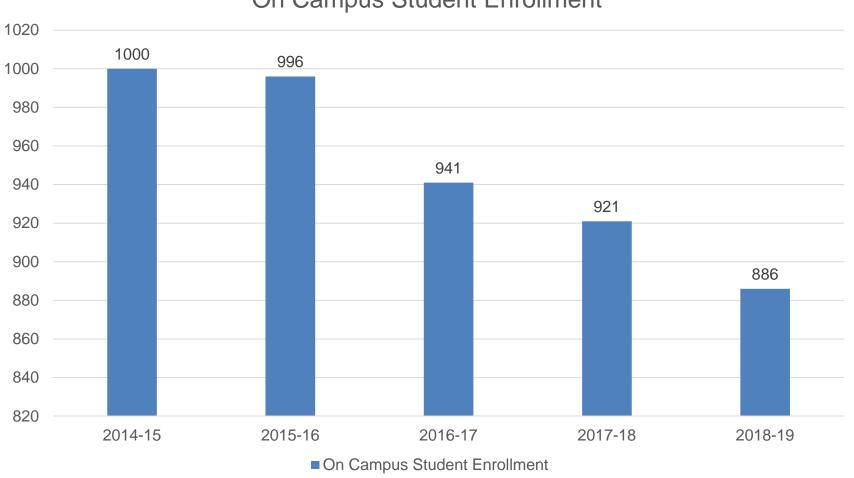
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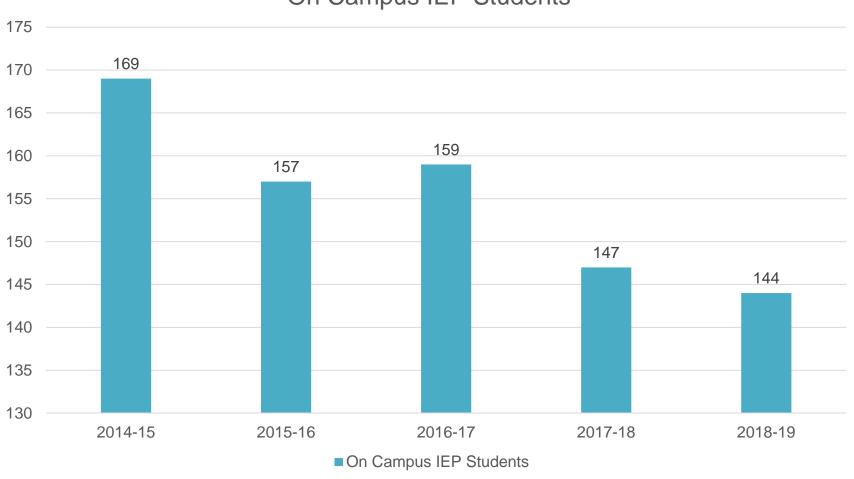
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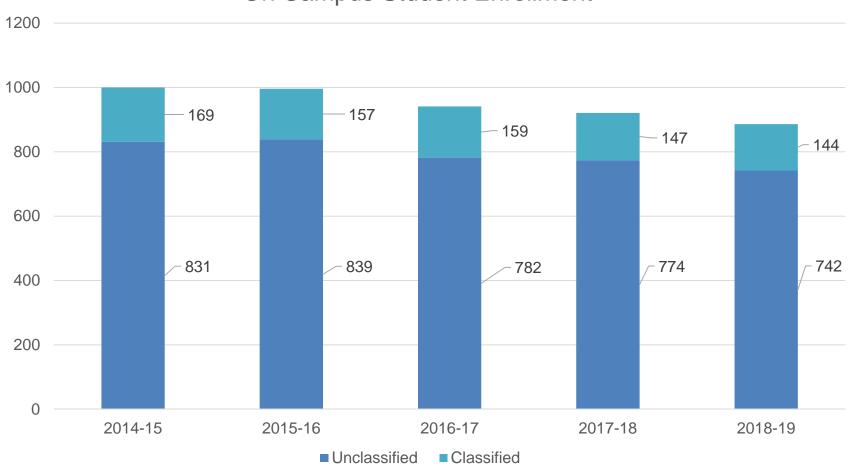
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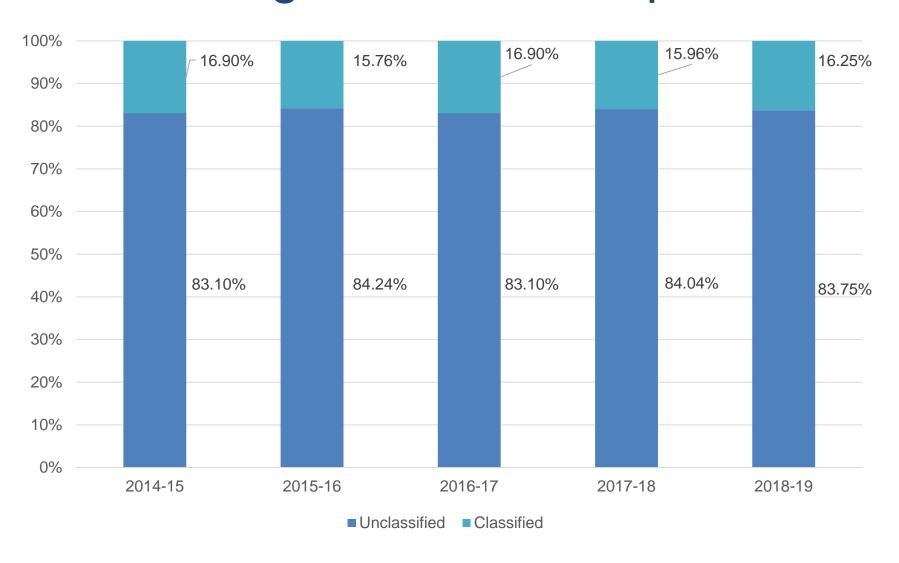
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Percentage of Student Population



HOOSIC VALLEY CSD Staffing	2017-18	2018-19
Districtwide Staff		
Administrators	6	6
Support Staff (Clerical, B&G, IT)	11	11
Transportation	24	24
Elementary School		
Teachers (Includes Spec Ed)	39	41.7
Teaching Assistants	11	11
Teacher Aides	8	8
Support Staff (Counselor, Psychologist, Social Worker, Nurse, Clerical, B&G)	9.5	9.5
High School		
Teachers (Includes Spec Ed)	40.2	42.7
Teaching Assistants	9	9
Teacher Aides	4	4
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TOTAL	174.2	179.4

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DRAFT 2018-19 Budget with Additions

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Change 1.08%

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2018-19 DRAFT Budget – Revenues

Total	\$ 21,398,623
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2018-19 Roll over Budget with additions increased by \$228,460 or 1.08%

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- Heating Oil, gasoline, and diesel prices are being assessed using a seven year average.
- Elementary & High School Program Review additions are included in the roll over budget.

New York State's Property Tax Cap - the tax cap limits the total levy set by school districts.

Tax Levy Limit* + Coming year exclusions = Maximum Allowable Tax Levy

(*adjusted for economic growth factors)

(Capital Levy Exclusion)

- 2018-19 Maximum Allowable Tax Levy is \$8,819,320
- The total levy can increase by only \$196,978; or 2.285%
- CPI used in the Tax Levy Limit calculation is 2.00%
- Capital levy Exclusion- the levy necessary to support capital local expenditures less Aid payments and Reserves
 used to offset principal and interest.
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State Aid Estimates

Governor's Proposal State Aid Estimates for 2018-19 & Tax Levy Limit

On January 16th, Governor Cuomo presented his proposal for the 2018-19 State Budget. The Governor is proposing an increase of \$769 million in state support for public schools. The year-to-year increase of \$769 million for state education funding, is a 3% increase as compared to the approved 2017-18 state budget.

- The district received state aid estimates under the Executive Budget State Aid Proposal days after the governor's presentations.
- Hoosic Valley CSD's formula state aid will increase overall by approximately \$254,058 (2.30%) due to slight
 increases in Foundation Aid & expense driven aides as a result of the Governor's proposal.
- The district's Foundation Aid will increase under the proposal from \$7,404,963 to \$7,528,786 which is a \$123,823 increase, or 1.6%.
- The district's expense driven aid estimates are based on 2017-18 school year estimates of expenditures and pupil data submitted with aid claims in the fall. Since transportation fuel expenses are down I have been working with State Aid Financial Planning to adjust the estimate to appropriate levels.
- The estimated formula state aid increases of \$254,058 equates to 1.2% of the district's current budget.

 (For example if the district's overall 2018-19 budget increased more than 1.2% the difference would be made up with surplus appropriations for one time expenditures of buses and debt service payments.)

As in any year, we will not know the final aid projections until an agreement on the state budget has occurred.