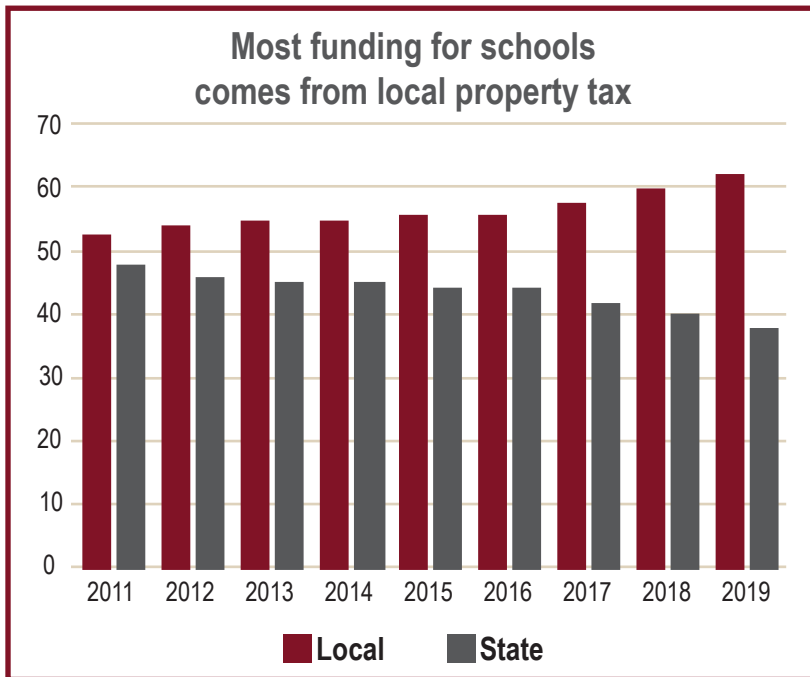




# Northwest ISD Legislative Priorities

*Focus on the future!*

## Who funds public schools?



As property values begin to rise, Texas gradually puts their funding elsewhere, while local taxpayers begin to pay more of a percentage to support and maintain an excellent school system.



### School Finance

Create an adequate and equitable system with local discretion to ensure community's needs are met.



### Academic Accountability

Establish a system that looks beyond the STAAR exam and measures what the community prioritizes, and oppose A-F ratings.



### Transportation

Expedite construction of roads and support funding to accommodate rapid growth.



### School Safety and Security

Support funding for school safety initiatives and flexibility in how funds are used to meet the needs of the NISD community.

## How can I help?



Stay informed and let your state legislators know what you think. For more information on Northwest ISD's legislative priorities and contact information for our local legislators, go to [www.nisdtx.org/legislative](http://www.nisdtx.org/legislative).