

# PEEKSKILL'S FUTURE DEPENDS ON EQUITABLE FUNDING FOR OUR PUBLIC SCHOOLS

## Fully funded schools fuel a brighter and stronger community!

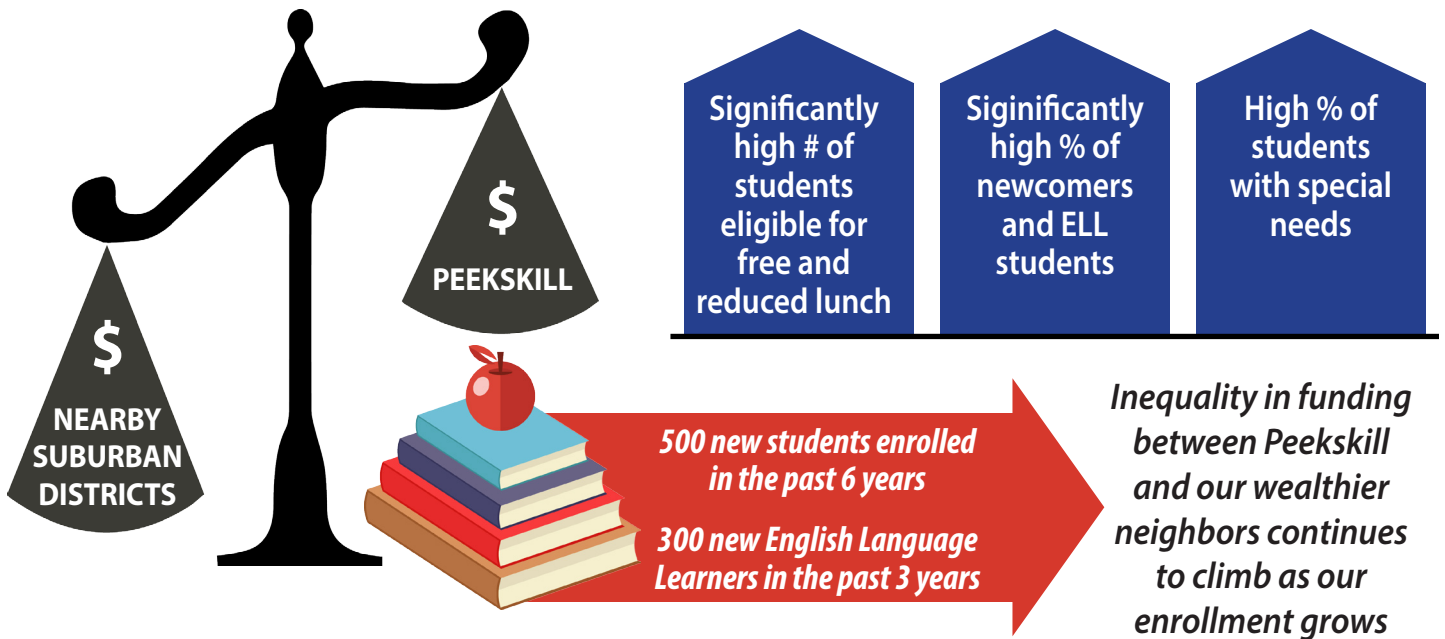
**"The quality of a child's education should not be a function of where that child resides."**

- Inequality in NY School Funding Report  
January 2014



*New York State's failure to provide appropriate funding impacts extracurricular opportunities, college-ready courses, access to supportive services for kids with special and social/emotional needs, and the ability to adequately staff for educational programs.*

## Compared to our surrounding suburban school districts, Peekskill needs to do MORE with LESS:



## What Can YOU Do? TELL YOUR STATE LEGISLATORS AND GOV. CUOMO to insure that all students have equal opportunities to succeed!



Demand that NYS fully fund foundation aid in a fair and equitable fashion



Fully fund full-time preschool for all eligible children



Provide additional revenue for our increasing English Language Learners

**Restore Foundation Aid for the 2020/2021 school year  
in the amount of \$11,376,041 to Peekskill!**

*Peekskill's cumulative lost aid since 2007: \$69,302,417*