

## Yellow Medicine East School District Consolidation

	Before Consolidation 1989-1990			After Consolidation 1997-1998
	Granite Falls 894	Clarkfield 892	Echo 893	Yellow Medicine East 2190
	<b>Enrollment Measures</b>			
Average Daily Membership	928	409	150	<b>1,374</b>
Pupil-Staff Ratio	15.3	13.8	13.1	<b>16.1</b>
Percent Transported	78%	64%	75%	<b>69%</b>
Open Enrollment Students In	0	0	0	<b>57.1</b>
Open Enrollment Students Out	1.7	0	8.0	<b>198.6</b>
School Buildings	2	2	1	<b>4</b>
	<b>Per Pupil Measures</b>			
Operating Expenditures	\$3,984	\$3,979	\$4,591	<b>\$6,639</b>
Building Construction	\$0	\$0	\$0	<b>\$527</b>
Long Term Debt	\$1,290	\$340	\$0	<b>\$1,340</b>
Adjusted Net Tax Capacity	\$2,570	\$3,015	\$3,907	<b>\$3,387</b>

<b>Regional Trends -- Region 6W</b>		
	1989-1990	1997-1998
Pupil-Staff Ratio	13.2	14.0
Percent Transported	68%	79%
Operating Expenditures	\$4,038	\$6,016
Building Construction	\$0	\$527
Long Term Debt	\$338	\$4,163
Adjusted Net Tax Capacity	\$2,215	\$2,829

<b>District Characteristics 1990</b>				
	894	892	893	Total
Population	4,731	2,020	807	<b>7,553</b>
Percentage in Poverty	13.6%	13.1%	82.0%	<b>12.9%</b>
Per Capita Income	\$10,552	\$11,288	\$11,451	<b>\$10,845</b>
Households	1,903	812	315	<b>3,030</b>
% Households with Children Ages 5-17	26.6%	28.1%	26.4%	<b>27.0%</b>
Land Area (sq. mile)	168.9	168.9	76.7	<b>414.5</b>
Population Density	28.0	12.0	10.5	<b>18.2</b>