



**Problem Solving: CPS Utilities**

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Last week our class estimated that CPS spends \$5,250,000 for utilities in all the schools. The actual cost last year was \$7,373,099. How much more does it actually cost than we estimated?



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Last year Winton Montessori spent \$55,545 on electricity. In the new building there will be air conditioning. The cost of electricity will soar 300% when air conditioning is installed. How much might our electrical bill be?



