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\*\* AVG NUMBER BELONGING. SOURCE <https://gems.opi.mt.gov/school-district-data> \*\*\*SOURCE OF METAL MINES TAX (MMT) <https://gems.opi.mt.gov/finance-data#districts>

**NOTE 2: COLUMBUS HAS A SPECIAL PRIVILEGE WRITTEN INTO THE 1998 NYE IMPACT PLAN THAT ALLOWS ONLY THEM TO INCLUDE STUDENTS OF SMELTER EMPLOYEES IN THEIR NYE MINERAL DEVELOPMENT STUDENT COUNT (SEE PAGES 8-1 & 9-1 OF THE 1998 AM2 NYE IMPACT PLAN) - PC MUST BE ABLE TO ALSO COUNT THE SMELTER!**

- (a) the number of mineral development employees residing within each affected county;
- (b) the number of mineral development employees residing within each affected municipality;
- (c) the number of mineral development students residing in each affected high school district; and
- (d) the number of mineral development students residing in each affected elementary school district.