

WEST VIRGINIA REPORT CARDS 1997-1998

MESSAGE FROM THE COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT

It is my pleasure to present to you the 1997-1998 Nicholas County Schools Report Card. As your superintendent, I am very proud of our students and the hard work they do in the classroom.

I am also very proud of our teachers and support staff for their efforts to deliver a quality educational program. This hard work is reflected in our many outstanding achievements, including test scores.

As you review and evaluate this Report Card, you will have a better understanding of our total school system. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact your child's teacher, the school principal or my office.

INFORMATION ABOUT THE COUNTY

County Population (#)	27,604	Public Schools (#):	
Student Enrollment (#)	4,882	Elementary	11
High School Graduates (#)	354	Middle or Jr. High	2
Teachers (#)	373	High Schools	2
Pupil/Teacher Ratio	13.3	Vocational Schools	1
		Other	0

STANFORD ACHIEVEMENT TEST, 9TH EDITION TOTAL BASIC SKILLS (PERCENTILE SCORES)

	<u>1996-1997</u>	<u>1997-1998</u>	<u>1998-1999</u>	<u>1999-2000</u>	<u>2000-2001</u>
Grade 3	53	59			
Grade 4	51	58			
Grade 5	50	59			
Grade 6	61	64			
Grade 7	60	55			
Grade 8	58	59			
Grade 9	53	55			
Grade 10	53	55			
Grade 11	52	57			

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SCHOLASTIC APTITUDE TEST (SAT)

	<u>1993-94</u>	<u>1994-95</u>	<u>1995-96</u>	<u>1996-97</u>	<u>1997-98</u>
Test Takers (%)	4.5	3.3	7.6	5.2	4.5
Math Mean Score	564	497	549	513	518
Verbal Mean Score	483	447	557	533	540

AMERICAN COLLEGE TESTING (ACT)

	<u>1993-94</u>	<u>1994-95</u>	<u>1995-96</u>	<u>1996-97</u>	<u>1997-98</u>
Test Takers (%)	60.2	58.9	57.5	55.7	56.2
Composite Score	19.1	19.3	20.0	20.4	19.7

PRELIMINARY SCHOLASTIC APTITUDE TEST (PSAT)

	<u>1993-94</u>	<u>1994-95</u>	<u>1995-96</u>	<u>1996-97</u>	<u>1997-98</u>
Test Takers (%)					
10th Grade	7.2	5.1	6.4	8.9	7.3
11th Grade	12.0	18.3	17.3	16.6	15.8

ADVANCED PLACEMENT TEST (APT) (COLLEGE BOARD)

	<u>1993-94</u>	<u>1994-95</u>	<u>1995-96</u>	<u>1996-97</u>	<u>1997-98</u>
Test Takers (%):					
10th Grade	1.7	0.0	1.5	1.0	0.0
11th Grade	1.9	2.5	2.4	2.4	0.5
12th Grade	2.9	2.3	2.1	0.3	1.4
Students with APT Score of 3 or Higher (%):					
10th Grade	NA	NA	NA	25.0	0.0
11th Grade	NA	NA	NA	22.2	50.0
12th Grade	NA	NA	NA	0.0	0.0

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PERSONNEL INFORMATION 1997-1998

Pupil/Administrator Ratio	177.5
Pupil/Teacher Ratio	13.3
Professional Staff:	
Average Years of Experience	16.7
Level of Education (%) -	
Bachelor's Degree	9.8
Bachelor's Degree Plus 15	32.6
Master's Degree	5.2
Master's Degree Plus 15	8.2
Master's Degree Plus 30	13.9
Master's Degree Plus 45	28.8
Doctorate	0.8
Other	0.8

PROGRAM AND CURRICULUM INFORMATION

	<u>1996-1997</u>	<u>1997-1998</u>	<u>1998-1999</u>	<u>1999-2000</u>	<u>2000-2001</u>
Enrollment by Subject Area in Grades 9-12 (%):					
English Language Arts	99.8	98.7			
Foreign Language	21.2	21.0			
Mathematics	78.4	80.7			
Science	78.3	77.3			
Social Studies	84.5	84.0			
Advanced Placement Courses in High School (%):					
10th Grade					
11th Grade					<u>UNDER DEVELOPMENT</u>
12th Grade					

SCHOOL INFORMATION

	<u>1993-94</u>	<u>1994-95</u>	<u>1995-96</u>	<u>1996-97</u>	<u>1997-98</u>
Average Class Size	20.5	21.1	21.0	20.6	20.6
Attendance Rate (%)	NA	NA	NA	94.6	93.9
Classrooms with Split Grades (#)	6	6	3	0	1
Dropout Rate (%)	NA	NA	NA	2.0	2.6
Enrollment PK-12 (#)	5,154	5,118	5,091	5,024	4,882
Exemption to Pupil/Teacher Ratio (#):					
Requested	0	0	0	0	0
Granted	0	0	0	0	0
Graduates (#)	379	367	353	388	354

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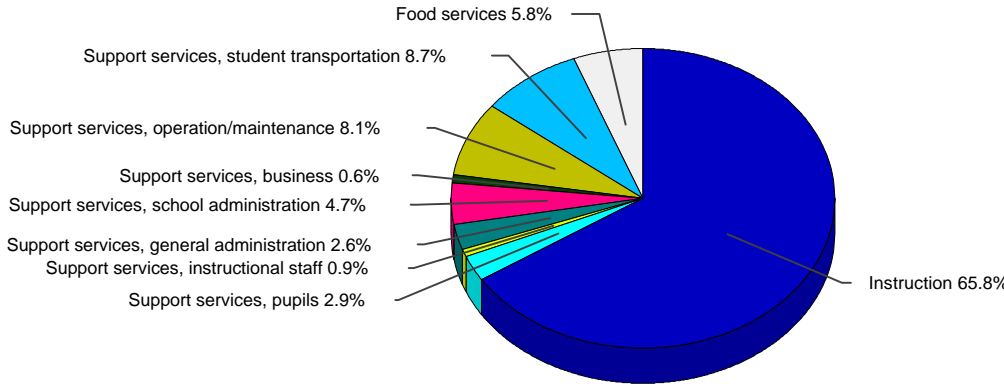
FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Below are the number of professional educators and service personnel employed by the county that exceeds the number allowed by the public school support plan and the amount of salary supplement that would be available per state authorized employee if all expenditures for such excess employees were converted to annual salaries for state authorized professional educators and service personnel. Due to increased personnel requirements, supplements are not presented for school systems that experienced an increase in enrollment for the 1997-1998 year.

	<u>Professional</u>	<u>Service</u>
Number employed that exceeds number allowed	.41	18.62
Salary supplement that would be available	\$37.44	\$1,478.61

The per pupil expenditure, based on 10th month enrollment, for the county is \$0.00

The instructional and non-instructional expenditures by classification are given below :



Total County Expenditures: \$28,215,369.34

COUNTY OFFICE INFORMATION

Below are the names of the county superintendent (in italics), assistant superintendents, and the number of training sessions attended in 1997-1998 (in parentheses) as related to their area :

William K. Grizzell (25)
James Marsh (5)

COUNTY BOARD INFORMATION

Below are the names of county board members, their term expiration date, and the total number of hours of required training they received during 1997-1998. An asterisk (*) indicates the board member attended an orientation session during 1997-1998.

	<u>Term Expires</u>	<u># Hours</u>
Sue Andersen	06/30/2000	11.25
Robert B. Bailey	06/30/2002	07.00
Dr. James Cox	06/30/2002	07.00
Jim Fitzwater	06/30/2002	08.25
Karen Roberts, President	06/30/2000	07.00

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SCHOOL INFORMATION

<u>School</u>	<u>Grade Range</u>	<u>2nd Month Enrollment</u>	<u>Split Grades (#)</u>	<u>Classrooms exempted from Pupil/Tch. Ratio</u>	<u>Average Class Size</u>	<u>Attendance Rate (%)</u>	<u>Graduates (#)</u>	<u>Dropouts (%)</u>
BEAVER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	K -- 06	167	0	0	19.0	93.7	0	0.0
BIRCH RIVER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	K -- 06	165	0	0	23.3	95.1	0	0.0
CHERRY RIVER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	K -- 06	372	0	0	21.9	92.5	0	0.0
CRAIGSVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	K -- 06	343	0	0	19.8	93.7	0	0.0
DIXIE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	K -- 06	117	1	0	19.2	97.6	0	0.0
GLADE CREEK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	K -- 06	160	0	0	22.3	95.5	0	0.0
MT LOOKOUT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	K -- 06	141	0	0	18.8	95.8	0	0.0
MT NEBO ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	K -- 06	144	0	0	19.7	94.5	0	0.0
SUMMERSVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	K -- 06	532	0	0	21.5	95.2	0	0.0
ZELA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	K -- 06	157	0	0	26.2	94.2	0	0.0
PANTHER CREEK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	K -- 06	339	0	0	22.0	95.3	0	0.0
RICHWOOD JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL	07 -- 09	445	0	0	21.5	92.2	0	0.7
SUMMERSVILLE JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL	07 -- 09	688	0	0	20.5	95.1	0	0.6
NICHOLAS COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL	10 -- 12	694	0	0	19.2	92.8	228	4.3
RICHWOOD HIGH SCHOOL	10 -- 12	418	0	0	19.4	91.0	126	4.4
NICHOLAS COUNTY SCHOOLS WEST VIRGINIA		4,882	1	0	20.6	93.9	354	2.6
		301,314	206	0	21.1	93.9	20,127	2.9

PERSONNEL INFORMATION

<u>School</u>	<u>Pupil/Teacher Ratio</u>	<u>Pupil/Adm. Ratio</u>	<u>Professional Staff Experience (Yr)</u>	----- Professional Staff Level of Education (%) -----							
				<u>Bach</u>	<u>Bach +15</u>	<u>Master</u>	<u>Master +15</u>	<u>Master +30</u>	<u>Master +45</u>	<u>Doc.</u>	<u>Other</u>
BEAVER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	13.4	334.0	14.9	15.4	46.2	7.7	0.0	15.4	15.4	0.0	0.0
BIRCH RIVER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	12.2	330.0	12.4	14.3	28.6	14.3	7.1	28.6	7.1	0.0	0.0
CHERRY RIVER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	12.2	372.0	14.3	9.4	43.8	0.0	12.5	15.6	18.8	0.0	0.0
CRAIGSVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	14.3	343.0	15.4	4.0	60.0	4.0	8.0	12.0	12.0	0.0	0.0
DIXIE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	11.1	234.0	10.5	9.1	63.6	0.0	0.0	9.1	18.2	0.0	0.0
GLADE CREEK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	13.9	320.0	17.2	0.0	66.7	0.0	0.0	16.7	16.7	0.0	0.0
MT LOOKOUT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	14.1	282.0	17.3	18.2	18.2	9.1	0.0	9.1	45.5	0.0	0.0
MT NEBO ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	12.0	288.0	13.5	7.7	30.8	7.7	7.7	15.4	30.8	0.0	0.0
SUMMERSVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	14.6	354.7	19.2	2.6	21.1	10.5	10.5	15.8	36.8	2.6	0.0
ZELA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	13.7	314.0	15.1	8.3	25.0	16.7	16.7	16.7	16.7	0.0	0.0
PANTHER CREEK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	14.7	339.0	13.9	16.7	41.7	8.3	8.3	0.0	25.0	0.0	0.0
RICHWOOD JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL	15.9	296.7	17.9	18.2	27.3	0.0	3.0	15.2	36.4	0.0	0.0
SUMMERSVILLE JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL	15.0	458.7	18.4	5.8	30.8	1.9	9.6	19.2	26.9	3.8	1.9
NICHOLAS COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL	15.4	462.7	17.4	9.8	19.6	3.9	7.8	13.7	41.2	2.0	2.0
RICHWOOD HIGH SCHOOL	14.8	278.7	18.5	15.2	21.2	6.1	12.1	6.1	36.4	0.0	3.0
NICHOLAS COUNTY SCHOOLS WEST VIRGINIA	13.3	177.5	16.7	9.8	32.6	5.2	8.2	13.9	28.8	0.8	0.8
	14.5	176.3	17.7	8.0	31.5	6.2	10.8	15.9	26.9	0.5	0.1

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PROGRAM AND CURRICULUM INFORMATION

<u>School</u>	--ENROLLMENT BY SUBJECT AREA IN GRADES 9-12 (%)--					ADVANCED PLACEMENT IN HIGH SCHOOL COURSES (%)			<u>CAREER CLUSTER INFORMATION</u>
	English Lang. Arts	Foreign Language	Math	Science	Social Studies	10th	11th	12th	
RICHWOOD JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL	97.9	14.6	95.1	97.9	93.8	Under Development			Under Development
SUMMERSVILLE JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL	98.2	0.0	98.2	96.0	98.7				
NICHOLAS COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL	98.5	31.1	76.3	72.8	76.7				
RICHWOOD HIGH SCHOOL	99.5	18.2	73.5	67.3	84.8				
NICHOLAS COUNTY SCHOOLS WEST VIRGINIA	98.7 98.0	21.0 30.1	80.7 85.1	77.3 80.8	84.0 89.0				

COLLEGE-ENTRANCE TESTING INFORMATION

<u>School</u>	-----TEST TAKERS (%)-----								-----COLLEGE-ENTRANCE TEST SCORES-----			
	Advanced Placement Test			----PSAT----		SAT	ACT	---ACT--- ---SAT-----			12th Grade Test Takers with APT Score of 3 or Higher(%)	
10th	11th	12th	10th	11th	Composite			Math	Verbal			
NICHOLAS COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL	0.0	0.0	2.2	12.1	18.4	6.1	56.6	19.7	497	518	0.0	
RICHWOOD HIGH SCHOOL	0.0	1.4	0.0	0.0	11.3	1.6	55.6	19.9	000	000	0.0	
NICHOLAS COUNTY SCHOOLS WEST VIRGINIA	0.0 0.1	0.5 3.5	1.4 5.6	7.3 9.0	15.8 23.8	4.5 17.0	56.2 53.5	19.7 20.1	518 513	540 525	0.0 51.2	

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STANFORD ACHIEVEMENT TEST, 9th EDITION
 PERCENTILE SCORES FOR TOTAL BASIC SKILLS BY GRADE LEVEL

<u>School</u>	<u>03</u>	<u>04</u>	<u>05</u>	<u>06</u>	<u>07</u>	<u>08</u>	<u>09</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>11</u>
BEAVER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	59	51	51	58					
BIRCH RIVER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	39	54	60	51					
CHERRY RIVER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	48	57	47	59					
CRAIGSVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	60	50	54	64					
DIXIE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	70	40	59	73					
GLADE CREEK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	80	68	67	71					
MT LOOKOUT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	69	76	65	68					
MT NEBO ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	70	69	68	64					
SUMMERSVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	64	56	58	72					
ZELA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	54	57	66	62					
PANTHER CREEK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	59	61	71	59					
RICHWOOD JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL					54	61	54		
SUMMERSVILLE JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL					55	58	55		
NICHOLAS COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL								54	58
RICHWOOD HIGH SCHOOL								57	56
NICHOLAS COUNTY SCHOOLS	59	58	59	64	55	59	55	55	57
WEST VIRGINIA	62	61	60	65	59	60	58	57	58