

# WEST VIRGINIA REPORT CARDS 1997-1998

## MESSAGE FROM THE COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT

I am pleased the state has allowed us to include a short message with our report card this year. The Barbour County School System is working diligently in regard to maximizing student learning for the current year and for the future. We have realigned our curriculum with state goals and we are utilizing new techniques, particularly in regard to the instruction of reading. We want every child to be able to read on grade level. We are anxious to see our test scores at the end of the current school term because we believe they will be among the most improved in our state.

If I can be of service to you, please call me at (304) 457-3030. Thank you very much.

## INFORMATION ABOUT THE COUNTY

County Population (#) . . . . .	16,360	Public Schools (#):	
Student Enrollment (#) . . . . .	2,927	Elementary . . . . .	5
High School Graduates (#) . . . . .	204	Middle or Jr. High . . . . .	2
Teachers (#) . . . . .	200	High Schools . . . . .	1
Pupil/Teacher Ratio . . . . .	15.0	Vocational Schools . . . . .	0
		Other . . . . .	1

## 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	47	62			
Grade 4	46	69			
Grade 5	40	57			
Grade 6	52	60			
Grade 7	49	53			
Grade 8	53	56			
Grade 9	48	58			
Grade 10	45	52			
Grade 11	57	57			

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