

# WEST VIRGINIA REPORT CARDS 1997-1998

## MESSAGE FROM THE COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT

Gilmer County Schools continue their journey toward the 21st century with improvements in curriculum, instruction, facilities, and technology. High Schools That Work (HSTW) and School-to-Work (STW) initiatives are resulting in a K-12 system which is responsive to student needs while raising expectations for all students. Teachers are analyzing student strengths and weaknesses and providing prescriptive interventions in all basic skill areas. Substantial School Building Authority grant funding has provided opportunities for renovation and new facilities projects. WV SUCCESS (Student Utilization of Computers in Curriculum for the Enhancement of Scholastic Skills), WV BS/CE (Basic Skills/Computer Education), STW and substantial local investments have provided our schools with leading-edge technology.

Our schools enjoy tremendous parental, business, and community support. I invite you to visit Gilmer County's public schools and share in one of central West Virginia's best-kept secrets.



## GILMER COUNTY SCHOOLS

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## INFORMATION ABOUT THE COUNTY

County Population (#) . . . . .	7,184	Public Schools (#):	
Student Enrollment (#) . . . . .	1,261	Elementary . . . . .	4
High School Graduates (#) . . . . .	81	Middle or Jr. High . . . . .	0
Teachers (#) . . . . .	81	High Schools . . . . .	1
Pupil/Teacher Ratio . . . . .	15.8	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	59	60			
Grade 4	59	63			
Grade 5	58	68			
Grade 6	67	74			
Grade 7	54	64			
Grade 8	54	59			
Grade 9	52	58			
Grade 10	51	53			
Grade 11	54	57			