

# WEST VIRGINIA REPORT CARDS 1997-1998

## MESSAGE FROM THE COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT

Kanawha County Schools is proud of its record of accomplishments as a community pacesetter for high standards and caring connections to bring about student achievement and success. Our mission as a school system is to prepare all students to be productive citizens in tomorrow's world. This mission drives the goals and activities in our quest to become an exemplary organization. We believe that the entire community expects no less and, therefore, is a prime stakeholder in the many benefits to be derived from sharing this vision of education that will enable our young people to excel and be competitive in a global society. Working together with community involvement and support, we can continue to meet the challenges ahead and make a significant difference in the lives of your young people.

## INFORMATION ABOUT THE COUNTY

County Population (#) . . . . .	204,968	Public Schools (#):	
Student Enrollment (#) . . . . .	31,468	Elementary . . . . .	61
High School Graduates (#) . . . . .	2,110	Middle or Jr. High . . . . .	14
Teachers (#) . . . . .	2,144	High Schools . . . . .	9
Pupil/Teacher Ratio . . . . .	14.8	Vocational Schools . . . . .	2
		Other . . . . .	3

## 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	64			
Grade 4	59	61			
Grade 5	60	62			
Grade 6	65	67			
Grade 7	58	60			
Grade 8	57	60			
Grade 9	57	59			
Grade 10	55	58			
Grade 11	57	60			

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