

WEST VIRGINIA REPORT CARDS 1997-1998

MESSAGE FROM THE COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT

I'm pleased to report that the learning environment in the schools of Upshur County is positive. This is reflected by the morale and achievement of students. Administrators, teachers, and service personnel, with help from parents and the community, have utilized non-traditional as well as traditional ways of supporting the school system. This has lessened the impact of having no special levy with the resulting deficit in our budget. Cooperation has enabled us to provide the best possible services with the resources that are available.

INFORMATION ABOUT THE COUNTY

County Population (#)	23,640	Public Schools (#):	
Student Enrollment (#)	4,180	Elementary	9
High School Graduates (#)	287	Middle or Jr. High	1
Teachers (#)	293	High Schools	1
Pupil/Teacher Ratio	14.3	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	58	56			
Grade 4	53	59			
Grade 5	59	54			
Grade 6	64	59			
Grade 7	58	62			
Grade 8	62	60			
Grade 9	57	57			
Grade 10	57	60			
Grade 11	54	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 (%)	18.6	21.7	28.9	26.9	22.0
Math Mean Score	491	519	507	533	503
Verbal Mean Score	429	492	541	542	526

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 (%)	57.2	62.1	48.1	59.8	55.4
Composite Score	20.0	20.9	20.7	20.4	19.4

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	22.9	21.9	20.7	22.7	15.3
11th Grade	32.4	22.8	30.0	31.9	23.2

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	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0
11th Grade	9.8	7.3	6.1	8.6	7.4
12th Grade	7.8	10.3	16.1	12.3	10.5
Students with APT Score of 3 or Higher (%):					
10th Grade	NA	NA	NA	0.0	0.0
11th Grade	NA	NA	NA	42.3	47.8
12th Grade	NA	NA	NA	44.4	51.6

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PERSONNEL INFORMATION 1997-1998

Pupil/Administrator Ratio	174.2
Pupil/Teacher Ratio	14.3
Professional Staff:	
Average Years of Experience	17.2
Level of Education (%) -	
Bachelor's Degree	6.4
Bachelor's Degree Plus 15	35.6
Master's Degree	10.7
Master's Degree Plus 15	16.0
Master's Degree Plus 30	11.7
Master's Degree Plus 45	19.6
Doctorate	0.0
Other	0.0

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	99.6	97.8			
Foreign Language	28.4	20.9			
Mathematics	79.3	78.6			
Science	76.1	74.8			
Social Studies	99.3	98.3			
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	21.6	21.4	20.6	19.8	21.0
Attendance Rate (%)	NA	NA	NA	94.3	94.0
Classrooms with Split Grades (#)	0	0	0	0	0
Dropout Rate (%)	NA	NA	NA	2.7	3.0
Enrollment PK-12 (#)	4,370	4,302	4,269	4,265	4,180
Exemption to Pupil/Teacher Ratio (#):					
Requested	0	0	0	0	0
Granted	0	0	0	0	0
Graduates (#)	269	277	241	271	287

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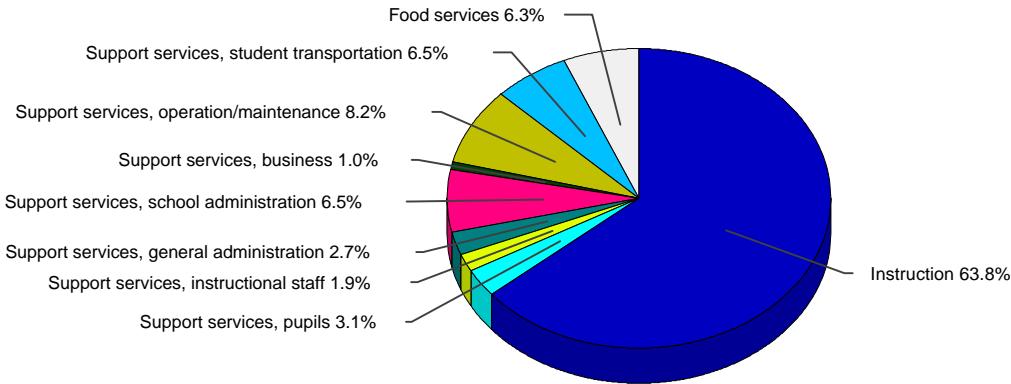
FINANCIAL INFORMATION

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	3.95	5.55
Salary supplement that would be available	\$446.01	\$503.65

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: \$22,862,990.16

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 :

Dr. Richard G. Hoover (57)
Alan Sturm (18)

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>
Gary G. Bonnett	06/30/2002	07.25
Victor DeBarr	06/30/2000	07.25
Martha W. Feola	06/30/2002	07.25
Gary A. Frush, President	06/30/2000	07.25
Donald E. Henderson	06/30/2002	07.25

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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>
ACADEMY PRIMARY SCHOOL	K -- 02	346	0	0	23.8	94.7	0	0.0
BUCKHANNON UPSHUR INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL	03 -- 05	313	0	0	24.1	94.7	0	0.0
CENTRAL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	01 -- 05	123	0	0	22.3	95.2	0	0.0
FRENCH CREEK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	K -- 05	246	0	0	20.8	94.3	0	0.0
HODGESVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	K -- 05	136	0	0	21.6	95.3	0	0.0
ROCK CAVE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	K -- 05	117	0	0	17.6	94.5	0	0.0
TENNERTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	K -- 05	276	0	0	21.3	95.6	0	0.0
WASHINGTON DISTRICT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	K -- 05	102	0	0	16.6	94.3	0	0.0
UNION ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	K -- 05	240	0	0	19.4	95.7	0	0.0
BUCKHANNON UPSHUR MIDDLE SCHOOL	06 -- 08	997	0	0	19.8	93.7	0	0.4
BUCKHANNON UPSHUR HIGH SCHOOL	09 -- 12	1,284	0	0	22.5	92.6	287	4.4
UPSHUR COUNTY SCHOOLS		4,180	0	0	21.0	94.0	287	3.0
WEST VIRGINIA		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>Master +15</u>		<u>Master +30</u>		<u>Master +45</u>		<u>Doc.</u>	<u>Other</u>
				<u>Bach</u>	<u>+15</u>	<u>Master</u>	<u>+15</u>	<u>Master</u>	<u>+30</u>	<u>Master</u>	<u>+45</u>		
ACADEMY PRIMARY SCHOOL	18.8	346.0	14.9	15.0	20.0	20.0	25.0	5.0	15.0	0.0	0.0		
BUCKHANNON UPSHUR INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL	20.1	313.0	18.0	5.9	29.4	29.4	23.5	11.8	0.0	0.0	0.0		
CENTRAL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	17.6	123.0	18.6	0.0	50.0	12.5	12.5	0.0	25.0	0.0	0.0		
FRENCH CREEK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	16.4	246.0	13.6	0.0	68.8	6.3	12.5	0.0	12.5	0.0	0.0		
HODGESVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	17.0	136.0	11.2	11.1	44.4	22.2	0.0	0.0	22.2	0.0	0.0		
ROCK CAVE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	13.0	117.0	13.9	20.0	30.0	10.0	0.0	40.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
TENNERTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	14.5	276.0	17.3	0.0	30.0	0.0	45.0	10.0	15.0	0.0	0.0		
WASHINGTON DISTRICT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	12.8	102.0	16.2	11.1	22.2	11.1	0.0	22.2	33.3	0.0	0.0		
UNION ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	15.0	240.0	16.6	11.8	23.5	5.9	11.8	5.9	41.2	0.0	0.0		
BUCKHANNON UPSHUR MIDDLE SCHOOL	14.7	332.3	18.4	4.1	28.4	16.2	17.6	12.2	21.6	0.0	0.0		
BUCKHANNON UPSHUR HIGH SCHOOL	17.4	428.0	18.2	6.1	43.9	3.7	11.0	14.6	20.7	0.0	0.0		
UPSHUR COUNTY SCHOOLS	14.3	174.2	17.2	6.4	35.6	10.7	16.0	11.7	19.6	0.0	0.0		
WEST VIRGINIA	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>
	<u>English</u> <u>Lang. Arts</u>	<u>Foreign</u> <u>Language</u>	<u>Math</u>	<u>Science</u>	<u>Social</u> <u>Studies</u>	<u>10th</u>	<u>11th</u>	<u>12th</u>	
BUCKHANNON UPSHUR HIGH SCHOOL	97.8	20.9	78.6	74.8	98.3	Under Development			Under Development
UPSHUR COUNTY SCHOOLS WEST VIRGINIA	97.8 98.0	20.9 30.1	78.6 85.1	74.8 80.8	98.3 89.0				

COLLEGE-ENTRANCE TESTING INFORMATION

<u>School</u>	-----TEST TAKERS (%)-----							-----COLLEGE-ENTRANCE TEST SCORES-----				
	Advanced Placement Test			----PSAT----				---ACT---	-----SAT-----		12th Grade Test Takers with	
	<u>10th</u>	<u>11th</u>	<u>12th</u>	<u>10th</u>	<u>11th</u>	<u>SAT</u>	<u>ACT</u>	<u>Composite</u>	<u>Math</u>	<u>Verbal</u>	<u>APT Score of 3 or Higher(%)</u>	
BUCKHANNON UPSHUR HIGH SCHOOL	0.0	7.4	10.5	15.3	23.2	22.0	55.4	19.4	503	526	51.6	
UPSHUR COUNTY SCHOOLS WEST VIRGINIA	0.0 0.1	7.4 3.5	10.5 5.6	15.3 9.0	23.2 23.8	22.0 17.0	55.4 53.5	19.4 20.1	503 513	526 525	51.6 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>
BUCKHANNON UPSHUR INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL	53	60	54						
CENTRAL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	60	56	44						
FRENCH CREEK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	65	54	52						
HODGESVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	57	52	66						
ROCK CAVE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	54	68	64						
TENNERTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	67	58	49						
WASHINGTON DISTRICT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	46	59	52						
UNION ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	48	61	57						
BUCKHANNON UPSHUR MIDDLE SCHOOL				59	62	60			
BUCKHANNON UPSHUR HIGH SCHOOL							57	60	57
UPSHUR COUNTY SCHOOLS	56	59	54	59	62	60	57	60	57
WEST VIRGINIA	62	61	60	65	59	60	58	57	58