

WEST VIRGINIA REPORT CARDS 1997-1998

MESSAGE FROM THE COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT

Wetzel County Schools has a tradition of excellence for its students. Scoring in the upper quarter of state testing programs is evidence that our motto, "Learning for All," drives teachers to have high expectations for students. The four high schools serve their communities by providing a focal point for social interaction as well as for learning. Families are important in Wetzel County. Several programs seek to encourage the partnership of parents with the school in providing excellent educational opportunities for all children. A Parent Center staffed with educators serves as a resource for parents who seek assistance with parenting or with educational problems. Students excel in co-curricular activities, such as TSA and FFA, as is evidenced by their success in state and national contests. Extra-curricular programs allow students to develop team work skills as well as to hone their own athletic abilities through interscholastic competition.

INFORMATION ABOUT THE COUNTY

County Population (#)	18,688	Public Schools (#):	
Student Enrollment (#)	3,792	Elementary	4
High School Graduates (#)	253	Middle or Jr. High	0
Teachers (#)	256	High Schools	4
Pupil/Teacher Ratio	15.1	Vocational Schools	0
		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	63	63			
Grade 4	62	67			
Grade 5	59	59			
Grade 6	65	67			
Grade 7	61	61			
Grade 8	58	64			
Grade 9	59	63			
Grade 10	62	59			
Grade 11	58	64			

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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 (%)	11.8	5.0	4.5	11.3	13.4
Math Mean Score	465	498	557	517	528
Verbal Mean Score	421	476	563	507	518

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 (%)	55.0	55.0	62.6	64.5	59.3
Composite Score	19.8	19.6	19.2	19.8	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	5.6	5.7	18.3	8.1	11.6
11th Grade	32.4	31.6	45.6	46.1	35.7

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	0.4	0.4	0.0	0.0
11th Grade	13.3	13.4	22.4	14.6	1.4
12th Grade	15.1	15.2	13.7	14.3	12.6
Students with APT Score of 3 or Higher (%):					
10th Grade	NA	NA	NA	0.0	0.0
11th Grade	NA	NA	NA	10.3	75.0
12th Grade	NA	NA	NA	17.6	12.5

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PERSONNEL INFORMATION 1997-1998

Pupil/Administrator Ratio	187.3
Pupil/Teacher Ratio	15.1
Professional Staff:	
Average Years of Experience	17.3
Level of Education (%) -	
Bachelor's Degree	5.5
Bachelor's Degree Plus 15	31.3
Master's Degree	5.8
Master's Degree Plus 15	11.3
Master's Degree Plus 30	13.1
Master's Degree Plus 45	32.6
Doctorate	0.3
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	99.6			
Foreign Language	33.6	31.2			
Mathematics	96.0	96.6			
Science	83.2	84.3			
Social Studies	90.8	97.7			
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		19.6	19.5	19.5	19.3	19.6
Attendance Rate (%)		NA	NA	NA	94.3	95.1
Classrooms with Split Grades (#)		0	0	0	0	0
Dropout Rate (%)		NA	NA	NA	2.3	1.0
Enrollment PK-12 (#)	3,795	3,807	3,822	3,840	3,792	
Exemption to Pupil/Teacher Ratio (#):						
Requested		0	0	0	0	0
Granted		0	0	0	0	0
Graduates (#)	262	242	243	231	253	

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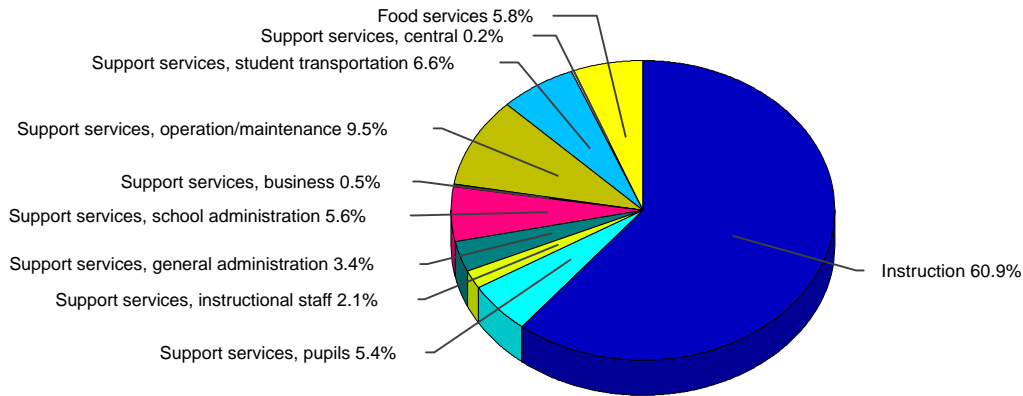
FINANCIAL INFORMATION

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	5.00	.00
Salary supplement that would be available	\$622.30	\$.00

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: \$21,915,085.06

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. Martha Dean (28)
Paul Barcus (25)

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>
David S. Blair	06/30/2000	07.00
Deborah Ali Hassig	06/30/2002	07.00
Sandra Herrick	06/30/2002	07.00
Dr. Larry E. Martin, President	06/30/2000	18.50
Norman Trowbridge, II	06/30/2002	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>
LONG DRAIN SCHOOL	K -- 08	399	0	0	19.1	93.7	0	0.0
NEW MARTINSVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	K -- 08	1,261	0	0	20.3	95.6	0	0.0
PADEN CITY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	K -- 06	306	0	0	20.5	96.1	0	0.0
SHORT LINE SCHOOL	K -- 08	594	0	0	19.1	94.1	0	0.0
HUNDRED HIGH SCHOOL	09 -- 12	174	0	0	16.5	94.4	42	2.3
MAGNOLIA HIGH SCHOOL	09 -- 12	535	0	0	22.1	96.0	123	1.1
PADEN CITY HIGH SCHOOL	07 -- 12	274	0	0	19.2	95.5	35	1.1
VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL	09 -- 12	249	0	0	16.8	93.8	53	1.6
WETZEL COUNTY SCHOOLS		3,792	0	0	19.6	95.1	253	1.0
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>Bach +15</u>	<u>Master</u>	<u>Master +15</u>	<u>Master +30</u>	<u>Master +45</u>	<u>Doc.</u>	<u>Other</u>
LONG DRAIN SCHOOL	14.6	399.0	15.8	8.8	41.2	2.9	8.8	11.8	26.5	0.0	0.0
NEW MARTINSVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	16.2	315.3	17.8	1.1	24.2	7.7	16.5	20.9	29.7	0.0	0.0
PADEN CITY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	15.9	306.0	14.1	7.4	22.2	3.7	25.9	14.8	25.9	0.0	0.0
SHORT LINE SCHOOL	14.9	297.0	13.8	12.0	40.0	8.0	4.0	8.0	28.0	0.0	0.0
HUNDRED HIGH SCHOOL	13.3	174.0	19.1	5.3	31.6	5.3	10.5	10.5	36.8	0.0	0.0
MAGNOLIA HIGH SCHOOL	16.2	267.5	21.0	2.4	23.8	4.8	2.4	11.9	52.4	2.4	0.0
PADEN CITY HIGH SCHOOL	14.9	274.0	17.5	7.7	30.8	3.8	23.1	11.5	23.1	0.0	0.0
VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL	12.9	199.2	16.1	11.5	30.8	7.7	3.8	3.8	42.3	0.0	0.0
WETZEL COUNTY SCHOOLS	15.1	187.3	17.3	5.5	31.3	5.8	11.3	13.1	32.6	0.3	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>
	English Lang. Arts	Foreign Language	Math	Science	Social Studies	10th	11th	12th	
HUNDRED HIGH SCHOOL	100.0	12.1	99.4	87.3	89.6	Under Development			Under Development
MAGNOLIA HIGH SCHOOL	99.6	38.3	96.2	82.9	99.4				
PADEN CITY HIGH SCHOOL	100.0	27.2	92.9	82.1	98.9				
VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL	99.2	32.5	98.4	86.7	98.8				
WETZEL COUNTY SCHOOLS WEST VIRGINIA	99.6 98.0	31.2 30.1	96.6 85.1	84.3 80.8	97.7 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
	10th	11th	12th	10th	11th	SAT	ACT	Composite	Math	Verbal	APT Score of 3 or Higher(%)	
HUNDRED HIGH SCHOOL	0.0	0.0	7.1	0.0	41.2	0.0	40.5	19.4	000	000	0.0	
MAGNOLIA HIGH SCHOOL	0.0	3.0	18.5	25.8	31.1	22.8	66.7	20.2	545	527	17.4	
PADEN CITY HIGH SCHOOL	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	35.6	11.4	62.9	19.6	000	000	0.0	
VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL	0.0	0.0	11.1	0.0	42.9	3.8	54.7	18.8	000	000	0.0	
WETZEL COUNTY SCHOOLS WEST VIRGINIA	0.0 0.1	1.4 3.5	12.6 5.6	11.6 9.0	35.7 23.8	13.4 17.0	59.3 53.5	19.7 20.1	528 513	518 525	12.5 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>
LONG DRAIN SCHOOL	60	71	48	56	53	60			
NEW MARTINSVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	63	67	63	68	57	68			
PADEN CITY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	73	72	58	74					
SHORT LINE SCHOOL	58	61	53	62	60	52			
HUNDRED HIGH SCHOOL							63	54	66
MAGNOLIA HIGH SCHOOL							66	67	69
PADEN CITY HIGH SCHOOL					76	68	65	58	64
VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL							56	45	52
WETZEL COUNTY SCHOOLS	63	67	59	67	61	64	63	59	64
WEST VIRGINIA	62	61	60	65	59	60	58	57	58