

# WEST VIRGINIA REPORT CARDS 1998-1999

## MESSAGE FROM THE COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT

The mission of the Upshur County Schools is to provide a quality education through a safe, student-centered learning environment in a respectful, caring atmosphere. It is the mutual responsibility of students, staff, parents, and other community members to be committed to and accountable for student mastery of essential skills, which will lead to success in life.

Upshur County has passed a special levy that will help the county fulfill its mission. Administrators, teachers, and service personnel, with help from parents and community, have utilized non-traditional as well as traditional ways of supporting the school system. 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 (#) . . . . .	4,094	Elementary . . . . .	9
High School Graduates(#) . . . . .	278	Middle or Jr. High . . . . .	1
Teachers (#) . . . . .	295	High Schools . . . . .	1
Pupil/Teacher Ratio . . . . .	14.0	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	64		
Grade 4	53	59	55		
Grade 5	59	54	57		
Grade 6	64	59	51		
Grade 7	58	62	57		
Grade 8	62	60	64		
Grade 9	57	57	57		
Grade 10	57	60	60		
Grade 11	54	57	61		



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