

WEST VIRGINIA REPORT CARDS 1999-2000

MESSAGE FROM THE COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT

The educational climate of Hardy County Schools is one of high standards, innovative programs, and student achievement. The potential that exists for our students is unlimited. This report card reflects many of our outstanding accomplishments. What may not be reflected in the numbers is the quality of our students, the excellence of our teachers, and the support of our parents and community.

Evidence of the "positives" you will find in Hardy County Schools includes:

**Initiatives in technology utilization, software applications, and long-distance learning.

**School-to-Work programming that is taking on new directions and is designed to focus on meaningful collaboration between the schools and the business community.

**Student achievement, as measured on standardized testing, that continues to meet and exceed state averages.

**Cooperation and collaboration between the school system, community agencies, local and state government, and the business community.

**A school-wide system emphasis on "positive" accomplishments that is establishing the belief that Hardy County has one of the best school systems in the state.

**An expanding student population and growing financial base that is providing a sound foundation for fiscal responsibility, educational stability, and continuous improvement.

**The availability of talented, creative, and dedicated school employees and community leaders who provide an invaluable resource for meeting the needs of all students.

The Hardy County Board of Education welcomes your comments, ideas, and suggestions. Please contact us to learn more about the "positive" education being delivered in Hardy County Schools.



HARDY COUNTY SCHOOLS

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INFORMATION ABOUT THE COUNTY

| | | | |
|---------------------------|--------|---------------------|---|
| County Population (#) | 11,723 | Public Schools (#): | |
| Student Enrollment (#) | 2,177 | Elementary | 1 |
| High School Graduates (#) | 128 | Middle or Jr. High | 1 |
| Teachers (#) | 148 | High Schools | 2 |
| Pupil/Teacher Ratio | 14.7 | Vocational Schools | 0 |
| | | Other | 1 |

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 | 55 | 61 | 53 | 54 | |
| Grade 4 | 53 | 49 | 61 | 44 | |
| Grade 5 | 56 | 56 | 56 | 61 | |
| Grade 6 | 69 | 59 | 69 | 64 | |
| Grade 7 | 55 | 58 | 56 | 64 | |
| Grade 8 | 62 | 54 | 65 | 58 | |
| Grade 9 | 59 | 65 | 58 | 65 | |
| Grade 10 | 57 | 67 | 64 | 61 | |
| Grade 11 | 55 | 67 | 66 | 67 | |

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SCHOLASTIC APTITUDE TEST (SAT)

| | <u>1995-96</u> | <u>1996-97</u> | <u>1997-98</u> | <u>1998-99</u> | <u>1999-00</u> |
|-------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Test Takers (%) | 20.1 | 17.7 | 26.2 | 17.9 | 21.9 |
| Math Mean Score | 521 | 504 | 471 | 504 | 498 |
| Verbal Mean Score | 530 | 500 | 481 | 514 | 523 |

AMERICAN COLLEGE TESTING (ACT)

| | <u>1995-96</u> | <u>1996-97</u> | <u>1997-98</u> | <u>1998-99</u> | <u>1999-00</u> |
|-----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Test Takers (%) | 41.0 | 40.8 | 49.2 | 48.6 | 63.3 |
| Composite Score | 20.5 | 20.1 | 20.1 | 20.3 | 20.6 |

PRELIMINARY SCHOLASTIC APTITUDE TEST (PSAT)

| | <u>1995-96</u> | <u>1996-97</u> | <u>1997-98</u> | <u>1998-99</u> | <u>1999-00</u> |
|-----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Test Takers (%) | | | | | |
| 10th Grade | 34.4 | 11.2 | 15.9 | 9.9 | 2.1 |
| 11th Grade | 31.9 | 38.6 | 23.8 | 21.5 | 31.9 |

ADVANCED PLACEMENT TEST (APT) (COLLEGE BOARD)

| | <u>1995-96</u> | <u>1996-97</u> | <u>1997-98</u> | <u>1998-99</u> | <u>1999-00</u> |
|--|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Test Takers (%): | | | | | |
| 10th Grade | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| 11th Grade | 13.3 | 6.8 | 3.3 | 1.4 | 5.2 |
| 12th Grade | 11.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.7 | 4.4 |
| Students with APT Score of 3 or Higher (%): | | | | | |
| 10th Grade | NA | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| 11th Grade | NA | 0.0 | 0.0 | 50.0 | 57.1 |
| 12th Grade | NA | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |

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PERSONNEL INFORMATION

| | |
|-----------------------------------|-------|
| Pupil/Administrator Ratio | 217.7 |
| Pupil/Teacher Ratio | 14.7 |
| Professional Staff: | |
| Average Years of Experience | 17.2 |
| Level of Education (%) - | |
| Bachelor's Degree | 10.8 |
| Bachelor's Degree Plus 15 | 25.8 |
| Master's Degree | 10.3 |
| Master's Degree Plus 15 | 11.9 |
| Master's Degree Plus 30 | 18.6 |
| Master's Degree Plus 45 | 22.2 |
| Doctorate | 0.5 |
| 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 | 99.5 | 97.6 | 97.8 | 98.1 | |
| Foreign Language | 27.4 | 24.1 | 19.9 | 23.5 | |
| Mathematics | 79.1 | 75.7 | 76.3 | 81.0 | |
| Science | 77.4 | 73.6 | 75.6 | 77.6 | |
| Social Studies | 84.6 | 83.5 | 85.1 | 87.3 | |
| Advanced Placement Courses in High School (%): | | | | | |
| 10th Grade | <u>UNDER DEVELOPMENT</u> | | | | |
| 11th Grade | <u>UNDER DEVELOPMENT</u> | | | | |
| 12th Grade | <u>UNDER DEVELOPMENT</u> | | | | |

SCHOOL INFORMATION

| | <u>1995-96</u> | <u>1996-97</u> | <u>1997-98</u> | <u>1998-99</u> | <u>1999-00</u> |
|---------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Attendance Rate (%) | NA | 94.4 | 94.0 | 93.5 | 94.5 |
| Average Class Size | 20.3 | 19.3 | 20.4 | 18.3 | 20.2 |
| Classrooms with Split Grades (#) | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Dropout Rate (%) | NA | 2.0 | 0.8 | 0.6 | 0.8 |
| Enrollment PK-12 (#) | 2,066 | 2,048 | 2,089 | 2,141 | 2,177 |
| Exemption to Pupil/Teacher Ratio (#): | | | | | |
| Requested | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Granted | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Graduates (#) | 134 | 147 | 122 | 140 | 128 |

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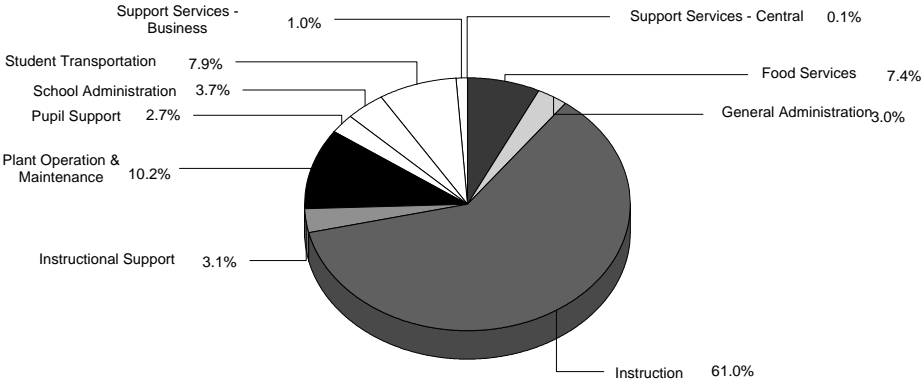
FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Below are the numbers of professional educators and service personnel employed by the county that exceed 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 1999-2000 year.

| | Professional | Service |
|---|--------------|---------|
| Number employed that exceeds number allowed | 1.86 | 1.00 |
| Salary supplement that would be available | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |

The per pupil expenditure, based on 10th month enrollment, for the county is \$5,932.75

The instructional and non-instructional expenditures by classification are given below:



Total County Expenditures: \$12,587,103.30

COUNTY OFFICE INFORMATION

Below are the names of the county superintendent (in italics), assistant superintendents, and the number of training sessions attended in 1999-2000 (in parentheses) as related to their area:

Ronald V. Whetzel (6)

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 1999-2000. An asterisk (*) indicates the board member attended an orientation session during 1999-2000.

| | Term Expires | # Hours |
|--------------------------|--------------|---------|
| Dixie T. Bean, President | 6/30/2000 | 08.00 |
| Philip D. Fertig | 6/30/2002 | 11.00 |
| Ray C. Funkhouser | 6/30/2000 | 16.50 |
| Kenneth L. Pack, Jr. | 6/30/2002 | 08.00 |
| J. Hunter Williams | 6/30/2002 | 07.00 |

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| <u>School</u> | <u>Grade Range</u> | <u>2nd Month Enrollment</u> | <u>Split Grades (#)</u> | <u>Average Class Size</u> | <u>Attendance Rate (%)</u> | <u>Graduates (#)</u> | <u>Dropouts (%)</u> |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| MOOREFIELD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL | PK 0K-04 | 607 | 0 | 21.5 | 95.2 | 0 | 0.0 |
| EAST HARDY EARLY/MIDDLE CHILDHOOD | PK 0K-08 | 576 | 1 | 20.2 | 94.5 | 0 | 0.0 |
| MOOREFIELD MIDDLE SCHOOL | 05-08 | 426 | 0 | 24.5 | 94.9 | 0 | 0.0 |
| EAST HARDY HIGH SCHOOL | 09-12 | 212 | 0 | 16.2 | 92.9 | 44 | 1.9 |
| MOOREFIELD HIGH SCHOOL | 09-12 | 356 | 0 | 19.6 | 93.9 | 84 | 0.6 |
| HARDY COUNTY SCHOOLS | | 2,177 | 1 | 20.2 | 94.5 | 128 | 0.8 |
| WEST VIRGINIA | | 290,936 | 131 | 19.5 | 94.3 | 19,448 | 3.4 |

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> |
| MOOREFIELD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL | 16.3 | 607.0 | 16.5 | 6.5 | 28.3 | 10.9 | 6.5 | 10.9 | 37.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| EAST HARDY EARLY/MIDDLE CHILDHOOD | 14.2 | 576.0 | 16.6 | 15.7 | 19.6 | 23.5 | 11.8 | 19.6 | 9.8 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| MOOREFIELD MIDDLE SCHOOL | 14.9 | 426.0 | 17.8 | 8.1 | 29.7 | 2.7 | 10.8 | 24.3 | 24.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| EAST HARDY HIGH SCHOOL | 11.4 | 212.0 | 16.2 | 11.5 | 30.8 | 7.7 | 30.8 | 7.7 | 11.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| MOOREFIELD HIGH SCHOOL | 15.6 | 356.0 | 18.8 | 7.1 | 28.6 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 32.1 | 28.6 | 3.6 | 0.0 |
| HARDY COUNTY SCHOOLS | 14.7 | 217.7 | 17.2 | 10.8 | 25.8 | 10.3 | 11.9 | 18.6 | 22.2 | 0.5 | 0.0 |
| WEST VIRGINIA | 13.9 | 171.7 | 17.6 | 9.5 | 28.0 | 6.1 | 9.9 | 15.8 | 29.6 | 0.8 | 0.3 |

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PROGRAM AND CURRICULUM INFORMATION

| School | -----ENROLLMENT BY SUBJECT AREA IN GRADES 9-12 (%)----- | | | | | ADVANCED PLACEMENT IN HIGH SCHOOL COURSES (%) | | | CAREER CLUSTER INFORMATION |
|------------------------|---|---------------------|------|---------|-------------------|---|------|------|----------------------------|
| | English Lang. Arts | Foreign Language | Math | Science | Social Studies | 10th | 11th | 12th | |
| EAST HARDY HIGH SCHOOL | 100.0 | 21.1 | 82.6 | 80.3 | 88.3 | Under Development | | | Under Development |
| MOOREFIELD HIGH SCHOOL | 96.9 | 24.9 | 79.9 | 76.0 | 86.7 | | | | |
| HARDY COUNTY SCHOOLS | 98.1 | 23.5 | 81.0 | 77.6 | 87.3 | | | | |
| WEST VIRGINIA | 97.8 | 28.8 | 85.0 | 82.1 | 88.7 | | | | |

COLLEGE-ENTRANCE TESTING INFORMATION

| School | -----TEST TAKERS (%)----- | | | | | | | -----COLLEGE-ENTRANCE TEST SCORES----- | | | | |
|------------------------|-----------------------------|------|------|------------|------|------|------|--|--------------|--------|---|--|
| | --Advanced Placement Test-- | | | ---PSAT--- | | | | ---ACT--- | ----SAT----- | | 12th Grade Test Takers with APT Score of 3 or Higher (%) | |
| | 10th | 11th | 12th | 10th | 11th | SAT | ACT | Composite | Math | Verbal | | |
| EAST HARDY HIGH SCHOOL | 0.0 | 13.7 | 2.2 | 0.0 | 37.3 | 20.5 | 54.5 | 20.4 | 446 | 511 | 0.0 | |
| MOOREFIELD HIGH SCHOOL | 0.0 | 0.0 | 5.6 | 3.1 | 28.6 | 22.6 | 67.9 | 20.7 | 523 | 528 | 0.0 | |
| HARDY COUNTY SCHOOLS | 0.0 | 5.2 | 4.4 | 2.1 | 31.9 | 21.9 | 63.3 | 20.6 | 498 | 523 | 0.0 | |
| WEST VIRGINIA | 0.1 | 3.3 | 5.1 | 8.7 | 23.3 | 17.2 | 56.7 | 20.2 | 511 | 526 | 51.1 | |

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STANFORD ACHIEVEMENT TEST, 9th EDITION PERCENTILE SCORES FOR TOTAL BASIC SKILLS BY GRADE LEVEL

| School | 03 | 04 | 05 | 06 | 07 | 08 | 09 | 10 | 11 |
|-----------------------------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| MOOREFIELD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL | 54 | 45 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| EAST HARDY EARLY/MIDDLE CHILDHOOD | 55 | 40 | 61 | 57 | 66 | 62 | -- | -- | -- |
| MOOREFIELD MIDDLE SCHOOL | -- | -- | 62 | 67 | 63 | 56 | -- | -- | -- |
| EAST HARDY HIGH SCHOOL | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | 66 | 64 | 70 |
| MOOREFIELD HIGH SCHOOL | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | 64 | 60 | 65 |
| HARDY COUNTY SCHOOLS | 54 | 44 | 61 | 64 | 64 | 58 | 65 | 61 | 67 |
| WEST VIRGINIA | 66 | 64 | 63 | 66 | 61 | 62 | 61 | 61 | 61 |

** Percentile scores are not reported when less than five students took the SAT-9.