

WEST VIRGINIA REPORT CARDS 1999-2000

MESSAGE FROM THE COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT

It is my pleasure to present to you the Nicholas County Schools Report Card. As your superintendent, I am very proud of our students and the hard work they do in the classroom.

I am also very proud of our teachers and support staff for their efforts to deliver a quality educational program. This hard work is reflected in our many outstanding achievements, including test scores.

As you review and evaluate this Report Card, you will have a better understanding of our total school system. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact your child's teacher, the school principal, or my office.

INFORMATION ABOUT THE COUNTY

County Population (#)	27,604	Public Schools (#):	
Student Enrollment (#)	4,575	Elementary	11
High School Graduates (#)	300	Middle or Jr. High	2
Teachers (#)	346	High Schools	2
Pupil/Teacher Ratio	13.0	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	53	59	59	61	
Grade 4	51	58	57	61	
Grade 5	50	59	58	59	
Grade 6	61	64	66	65	
Grade 7	60	55	51	61	
Grade 8	58	59	53	55	
Grade 9	53	55	57	59	
Grade 10	53	55	57	58	
Grade 11	52	57	57	60	



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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 (%)	7.6	5.2	4.5	4.6	5.7
Math Mean Score	549	513	518	555	554
Verbal Mean Score	557	533	540	573	526

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 (%)	57.5	55.7	56.2	51.5	61.7
Composite Score	20.0	20.4	19.7	19.8	19.7

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	6.4	8.9	7.3	7.6	5.3
11th Grade	17.3	16.6	15.8	15.6	11.9

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	1.5	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
11th Grade	2.4	2.4	0.5	0.3	0.0
12th Grade	2.1	0.3	1.4	1.3	0.0
Students with APT Score of 3 or Higher (%):					
10th Grade	NA	25.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
11th Grade	NA	22.2	50.0	0.0	0.0
12th Grade	NA	0.0	0.0	40.0	0.0

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PERSONNEL INFORMATION

Pupil/Administrator Ratio	140.3
Pupil/Teacher Ratio	13.0
Professional Staff:	
Average Years of Experience	18.6
Level of Education (%) -	
Bachelor's Degree	6.4
Bachelor's Degree Plus 15	29.5
Master's Degree	5.7
Master's Degree Plus 15	6.9
Master's Degree Plus 30	16.4
Master's Degree Plus 45	34.0
Doctorate	0.5
Other	0.5

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	99.8	98.7	97.9	98.1	
Foreign Language	21.2	21.0	16.8	19.0	
Mathematics	78.4	80.7	79.3	84.2	
Science	78.3	77.3	81.7	85.2	
Social Studies	84.5	84.0	81.7	82.8	
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	94.6	93.9	94.4	94.5
Average Class Size	21.0	20.6	20.6	21.2	20.4
Classrooms with Split Grades (#)	3	0	1	1	1
Dropout Rate (%)	NA	2.0	2.6	2.4	2.0
Enrollment PK-12 (#)	5,091	5,024	4,882	4,761	4,575
Exemption to Pupil/Teacher Ratio (#):					
Requested	0	0	0	0	0
Granted	0	0	0	0	0
Graduates (#)	353	388	354	373	300

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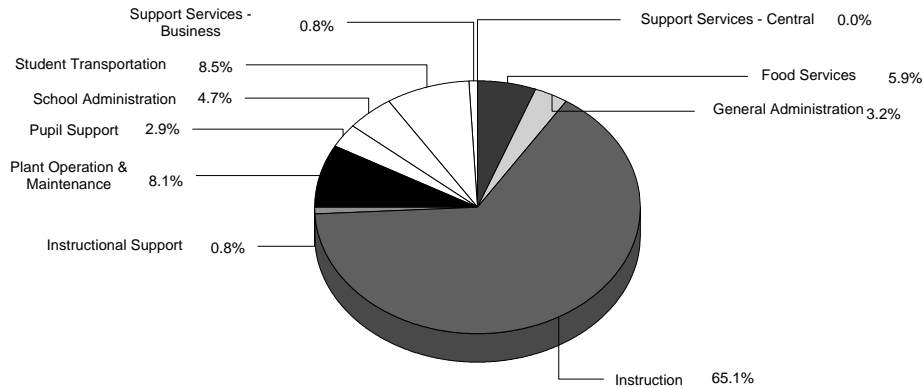
FINANCIAL INFORMATION

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	5.83	26.01
Salary supplement that would be available	\$603.44	\$2,316.44

The per pupil expenditure, based on 10th month enrollment, for the county is \$6,964.75

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



Total County Expenditures: \$31,053,384.73

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:

William K. Grizzell (24)
Jim Marsh (7)

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
Sue Andersen	6/30/2000	09.75
Jim Cox	6/30/2002	16.75
Jim Fitzwater	6/30/2002	14.75
Karen Roberts, President	6/30/2000	09.75
Lyle Spencer	6/30/2002	14.25

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SCHOOL INFORMATION

<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>
BEAVER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	0K-06	141	0	NA	95.7	0	0.0
BIRCH RIVER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	PK 0K-06	155	0	NA	94.8	0	0.0
CHERRY RIVER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	PK 0K-06	332	0	18.0	92.9	0	0.0
CRAIGSVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	PK 0K-06	319	0	18.2	94.8	0	0.0
DIXIE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	0K-06	97	1	15.0	94.9	0	0.0
GLADE CREEK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	0K-06	129	0	19.5	96.2	0	0.0
MT LOOKOUT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	PK 0K-06	156	0	19.3	95.8	0	0.0
MT NEBO ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	0K-06	136	0	NA	95.1	0	0.0
SUMMERSVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	PK 0K-06	456	0	20.1	95.7	0	0.0
ZELA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	0K-06	166	0	17.9	94.8	0	0.0
PANTHER CREEK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	PK 0K-06	329	0	NA	95.4	0	0.0
RICHWOOD JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL	07-09	436	0	21.8	92.8	0	0.7
SUMMERSVILLE JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL	07-09	715	0	22.6	95.5	0	1.1
NICHOLAS COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL	10-12	612	0	19.8	94.0	187	3.1
RICHWOOD HIGH SCHOOL	10-12	396	0	19.2	92.1	113	3.3
NICHOLAS COUNTY SCHOOLS		4,575	1	20.4	94.5	300	2.0
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>
BEAVER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	11.7	282.0	17.7	7.1	28.6	7.1	0.0	14.3	42.9	0.0	0.0
BIRCH RIVER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	11.1	310.0	11.1	31.3	31.3	0.0	0.0	31.3	6.3	0.0	0.0
CHERRY RIVER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	12.1	332.0	17.3	6.9	31.0	0.0	17.2	24.1	20.7	0.0	0.0
CRAIGSVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	13.0	319.0	15.7	0.0	52.0	0.0	8.0	20.0	20.0	0.0	0.0
DIXIE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	8.4	194.0	12.1	7.1	57.1	0.0	14.3	0.0	21.4	0.0	0.0
GLADE CREEK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	12.3	258.0	22.4	0.0	50.0	0.0	0.0	8.3	41.7	0.0	0.0
MT LOOKOUT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	14.9	312.0	19.4	8.3	25.0	8.3	0.0	8.3	50.0	0.0	0.0
MT NEBO ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	11.8	272.0	17.5	0.0	15.4	15.4	23.1	7.7	38.5	0.0	0.0
SUMMERSVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	13.6	304.0	21.0	2.8	22.2	5.6	5.6	22.2	38.9	2.8	0.0
ZELA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	12.8	332.0	16.3	6.7	26.7	6.7	6.7	20.0	33.3	0.0	0.0
PANTHER CREEK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	15.7	329.0	15.6	4.5	50.0	9.1	4.5	13.6	18.2	0.0	0.0
RICHWOOD JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL	15.3	290.7	19.2	6.1	24.2	9.1	6.1	15.2	39.4	0.0	0.0
SUMMERSVILLE JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL	16.4	476.7	21.0	2.0	30.0	4.0	10.0	16.0	36.0	2.0	0.0
NICHOLAS COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL	13.8	408.0	19.4	6.0	22.0	8.0	2.0	12.0	48.0	0.0	2.0
RICHWOOD HIGH SCHOOL	14.7	264.0	19.0	9.4	25.0	6.3	3.1	15.6	37.5	0.0	3.1
NICHOLAS COUNTY SCHOOLS	13.0	140.3	18.6	6.4	29.5	5.7	6.9	16.4	34.0	0.5	0.5
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	
RICHWOOD JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL	100.0	9.0	98.6	99.3	99.3	Under Development			Under Development
SUMMERSVILLE JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL	98.2	0.0	97.8	98.7	98.2	Under Development			Under Development
NICHOLAS COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL	98.8	27.0	81.4	82.0	75.6	Under Development			Under Development
RICHWOOD HIGH SCHOOL	96.2	21.2	75.4	77.0	79.0	Under Development			Under Development
NICHOLAS COUNTY SCHOOLS	98.1	19.0	84.2	85.2	82.8	Under Development			Under Development
WEST VIRGINIA	97.8	28.8	85.0	82.1	88.7	Under Development			Under Development

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		
NICHOLAS COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.3	11.7	7.5	61.0	19.8	538	513	0.0	
RICHWOOD HIGH SCHOOL	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	12.1	2.7	62.8	19.5	000	000	0.0	
NICHOLAS COUNTY SCHOOLS	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.3	11.9	5.7	61.7	19.7	554	526	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
BEAVER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	74	68	53	59	--	--	--	--	--
BIRCH RIVER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	26	50	27	54	--	--	--	--	--
CHERRY RIVER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	58	51	54	54	--	--	--	--	--
CRAIGSVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	55	55	60	49	--	--	--	--	--
DIXIE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	53	68	60	44	--	--	--	--	--
GLADE CREEK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	73	67	67	63	--	--	--	--	--
MT LOOKOUT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	73	70	71	80	--	--	--	--	--
MT NEBO ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	66	71	80	80	--	--	--	--	--
SUMMERSVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	67	65	70	73	--	--	--	--	--
ZELA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	55	67	52	69	--	--	--	--	--
PANTHER CREEK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	60	58	54	73	--	--	--	--	--
RICHWOOD JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL	--	--	--	--	55	53	56	--	--
SUMMERSVILLE JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL	--	--	--	--	65	57	61	--	--
NICHOLAS COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	61	62
RICHWOOD HIGH SCHOOL	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	55	58
NICHOLAS COUNTY SCHOOLS	61	61	59	65	61	55	59	58	60
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.