

WEST VIRGINIA REPORT CARDS 1999-2000

MESSAGE FROM THE COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT

"Cabell County Public Schools will produce men and women who passionately embrace the unlimited power of education by fully developing the unique gifts, talents, and potential of the individual student, assuring that each will adapt, excel, and continuously lead as a citizen of the world."

This mission statement captures the essence of Cabell County's commitment to excellence in education. The mission statement is the heart of the county's Strategic Plan, designed collaboratively by community members and school personnel. The Strategic Plan defines the focus for the county: continuous improvement and increased student achievement for all students. Measurable objectives challenge parents, educators, and community to work together to assure that our students graduate with the skills necessary to be successful in the world.

Higher standards and expectations are demanded from all of us. Continually enhancing the skills of our teachers, providing staff development based on exemplary practices, embracing parent involvement as essential, building on students' strengths, committing to each and every student reading on or above grade level, and connecting what students learn to the "real world" are all critical components to achieving our mission. We are proud of our board of education members, our teachers, our administrators, our support personnel, and our students and we welcome the opportunity to share Cabell County's vision. Together we have begun the journey to the top and the peak of excellence is in sight!



CABELL COUNTY SCHOOLS

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INFORMATION ABOUT THE COUNTY

County Population (#)	96,178	Public Schools (#):	
Student Enrollment (#)	12,812	Elementary	21
High School Graduates (#)	888	Middle or Jr. High	6
Teachers (#)	975	High Schools	2
Pupil/Teacher Ratio	13.1	Vocational Schools	1
		Other	2

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	57	59	65	68	
Grade 4	58	59	59	63	
Grade 5	61	59	61	62	
Grade 6	63	62	60	65	
Grade 7	58	61	60	63	
Grade 8	60	61	63	66	
Grade 9	55	58	59	63	
Grade 10	55	56	62	61	
Grade 11	55	55	60	66	