

WEST VIRGINIA REPORT CARDS 2000-2001

MESSAGE FROM THE COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT

Lewis County is a centrally-located rural West Virginia county. Among our hills dwell some of our nation's finest people. Their children come to us with expectations of receiving an excellent education and adequate preparation for the future.

Service personnel are simply great. They genuinely care about children. You can still find teachers who love their jobs and the children they teach. Our personnel help shape young lives, build character, instill positive self-worth, and exhibit kindness and caring towards young people.

We have the longest standing levy in West Virginia, which shows strong community support for education. Our system has received over 20 million in School Building Authority funds for beautiful new buildings. We continually strive to have safe busing and the safest schools we can provide.

My own children went to school here and received a wonderful education.



LEWIS COUNTY SCHOOLS

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INFORMATION ABOUT THE COUNTY

County Population (#)	16,919	Public Schools (#):	
Student Enrollment (#)	2,764	Elementary	5
High School Graduates (#)	195	Middle or Jr. High	1
Teachers (#)	208	High Schools	1
Pupil/Teacher Ratio	13.4	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	56	61	61	66	62
Grade 4	57	55	53	62	65
Grade 5	62	61	65	57	57
Grade 6	59	67	58	59	54
Grade 7	50	52	61	56	53
Grade 8	46	60	58	59	57
Grade 9	54	50	61	52	53
Grade 10	52	50	49	54	**
Grade 11	55	51	56	51	58

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SCHOLASTIC APTITUDE TEST (SAT)

	<u>1996-97</u>	<u>1997-98</u>	<u>1998-99</u>	<u>1999-00</u>	<u>2000-01</u>
Test Takers (%)	10.6	9.2	7.3	10.4	4.6
Math Mean Score	498	474	546	519	563
Verbal Mean Score	489	536	539	516	541

AMERICAN COLLEGE TESTING (ACT)

	<u>1996-97</u>	<u>1997-98</u>	<u>1998-99</u>	<u>1999-00</u>	<u>2000-01</u>
Test Takers (%)	50.5	50.0	49.3	57.8	50.3
Composite Score	19.2	19.5	19.7	19.8	19.2

PRELIMINARY SCHOLASTIC APTITUDE TEST (PSAT)

	<u>1996-97</u>	<u>1997-98</u>	<u>1998-99</u>	<u>1999-00</u>	<u>2000-01</u>
Test Takers (%)					
10th Grade	0.4	0.0	0.0	8.6	1.4
11th Grade	23.8	16.4	29.5	11.0	14.9

ADVANCED PLACEMENT TEST (APT) (COLLEGE BOARD)

	<u>1996-97</u>	<u>1997-98</u>	<u>1998-99</u>	<u>1999-00</u>	<u>2000-01</u>
Test Takers (%):					
10th Grade	0.8	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.5
11th Grade	5.7	4.7	3.4	0.0	8.5
12th Grade	4.9	3.9	3.0	0.0	1.9
Students with APT Score of 3 or Higher (%):					
10th Grade	0.0	0.0	100.0	0.0	0.0
11th Grade	50.0	9.1	14.3	0.0	23.5
12th Grade	50.0	50.0	85.7	0.0	25.0

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PERSONNEL INFORMATION

Pupil/Administrator Ratio	184.3
Pupil/Teacher Ratio	13.4
Professional Staff:	
Average Years of Experience	17.7
Level of Education (%) -	
Bachelor's Degree	11.8
Bachelor's Degree Plus 15	22.4
Master's Degree	6.3
Master's Degree Plus 15	13.8
Master's Degree Plus 30	18.1
Master's Degree Plus 45	26.0
Doctorate	1.2
Other	0.4

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	97.6	97.6	98.0	97.3
Foreign Language	23.1	19.1	17.6	17.8	21.0
Mathematics	84.0	86.6	81.8	80.6	82.7
Science	81.0	78.0	72.6	82.0	83.3
Social Studies	85.6	83.1	83.6	82.0	81.8
Advanced Placement Courses in High School (%):					
10th Grade	NA	NA	NA	NA	0.5
11th Grade	NA	NA	NA	NA	11.8
12th Grade	NA	NA	NA	NA	4.5

SCHOOL INFORMATION

	<u>1996-97</u>	<u>1997-98</u>	<u>1998-99</u>	<u>1999-00</u>	<u>2000-01</u>
Attendance Rate (%)	95.2	94.9	94.5	94.5	94.7
Average Class Size	19.7	21.7	22.1	20.6	19.7
Classrooms with Split Grades (#)	0	0	0	0	0
Dropout Rate (%)	1.9	1.9	2.6	1.2	0.9
Enrollment PK-12 (#)	2,842	2,843	2,851	2,790	2,764
Exemption to Pupil/Teacher Ratio (#):					
Requested	0	0	0	0	0
Granted	0	0	0	0	0
Graduates (#)	198	196	219	211	195

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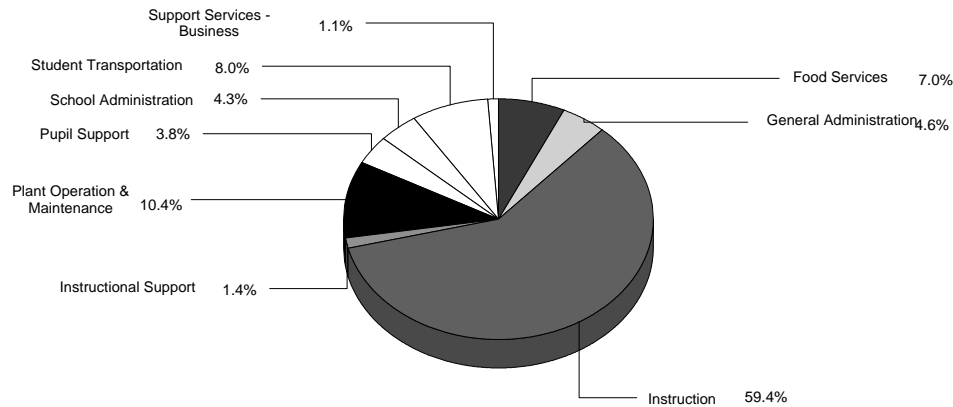
FINANCIAL INFORMATION

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 2000-2001 year.

	Professional	Service
Number employed that exceeds number allowed	12.55	1.42
Salary supplement that would be available	\$2,229.58	\$233.62

The per pupil expenditure, based on 10th month enrollment, for the county is \$7,053.32

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



Total County Expenditures: \$18,755,045.42

COUNTY OFFICE INFORMATION

Below are the names of the county superintendent (in italics), assistant superintendents, and the number of training sessions attended in 2000-2001 (in parentheses) as related to their area:

Joseph L. Mace (9)
Gabriel J. Devono (9)

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 2000-2001. An asterisk (*) indicates the board member attended an orientation session during 2000-2001.

	Term Expires	# Hours
Cline Craig	6/30/2004	07.50
James R. Gaston	6/30/2002	19.25
William A. Parker, President	6/30/2004	08.00
Linda L. Pertz	6/30/2002	12.75
Robert L. Stultz	6/30/2002	08.75

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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>
ALUM BRIDGE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	0K-04	78	0	14.5	94.7	0	0.0
POLK CREEK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	0K-04	105	0	18.7	95.8	0	0.0
ROANOKE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	PK 0K-04	152	0	13.8	94.6	0	0.0
PETERSON-CENTRAL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	PK 0K-04	439	0	18.5	94.9	0	0.0
JANE LEW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	PK 0K-04	302	0	19.6	94.8	0	0.0
ROBERT L. BLAND MIDDLE SCHOOL	05-08	838	0	23.0	94.4	0	0.2
LEWIS COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL	09-12	850	0	20.6	94.8	195	1.2
LEWIS COUNTY SCHOOLS		2,764	0	19.7	94.7	195	0.9
WEST VIRGINIA		286,248	116	19.4	94.1	18,452	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>
ALUM BRIDGE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	10.5	78.0	13.6	25.0	25.0	8.3	25.0	0.0	16.7	0.0	0.0
POLK CREEK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	16.4	105.0	16.2	23.1	15.4	0.0	23.1	23.1	15.4	0.0	0.0
ROANOKE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	10.4	152.0	12.8	20.0	30.0	0.0	25.0	15.0	10.0	0.0	0.0
PETERSON-CENTRAL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	13.9	439.0	16.4	5.7	25.7	5.7	8.6	22.9	31.4	0.0	0.0
JANE LEW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	14.6	302.0	17.5	8.7	26.1	8.7	13.0	13.0	30.4	0.0	0.0
ROBERT L. BLAND MIDDLE SCHOOL	14.6	419.0	19.8	16.9	20.0	10.8	12.3	10.8	29.2	0.0	0.0
LEWIS COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL	14.9	425.0	19.9	4.7	23.4	4.7	14.1	26.6	25.0	0.0	1.6
LEWIS COUNTY SCHOOLS	13.4	184.3	17.7	11.8	22.4	6.3	13.8	18.1	26.0	1.2	0.4
WEST VIRGINIA	13.8	163.7	18.0	9.6	27.6	6.1	9.6	15.4	30.7	0.7	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 FOR STUDENTS IN GRADE 9 (%)-----							
	English Lang. Arts	Foreign Language	Math	Science	Social Studies	10th	11th	12th	Business/ Market	Engineer/ Tech	Fine Arts/ Humanities	Health Serv	Human Serv	Sci/ NRes	Other	Not Reported
LEWIS COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL	97.3	21.0	82.7	83.3	81.8	0.5	11.8	4.5	5.5	32.1	18.1	0.8	0.8	7.6	29.5	5.5
LEWIS COUNTY SCHOOLS	97.3	21.0	82.7	83.3	81.8	0.5	11.8	4.5	5.5	32.1	18.1	0.8	0.8	7.6	29.5	5.5
WEST VIRGINIA	97.8	28.0	85.5	83.3	87.9	0.3	8.7	13.6	7.8	24.3	14.1	18.6	16.9	8.9	0.7	8.8

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	
LEWIS COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL	0.5	8.4	2.0	1.4	14.9	4.6	50.3	19.2	563	541	25.0
LEWIS COUNTY SCHOOLS	0.5	8.5	1.9	1.4	14.9	4.6	50.3	19.2	563	541	25.0
WEST VIRGINIA	0.1	4.2	6.5	8.6	22.3	16.2	58.1	20.2	512	527	47.4

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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
ALUM BRIDGE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	67	74	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
POLK CREEK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	65	83	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
ROANOKE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	71	79	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
PETERSON-CENTRAL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	57	59	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
JANE LEW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	64	60	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
ROBERT L. BLAND MIDDLE SCHOOL	--	--	57	54	53	57	--	--	--
LEWIS COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL	--	--	--	--	--	--	53	--	58
LEWIS COUNTY SCHOOLS	62	65	57	54	53	57	53	**	58
WEST VIRGINIA	66	64	63	66	61	62	60	61	62

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