

WEST VIRGINIA REPORT CARDS 2001-2002

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:

- **A caring, family-oriented attitude toward our students, staff, and parents.
- **Initiatives in technology utilization, software applications, and long-distance learning.
- **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.
- **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.
- **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.

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 (#)	12,669	Public Schools (#):	
Student Enrollment (#)	2,248	Elementary	1
High School Graduates (#)	121	Middle or Jr. High	1
Teachers (#)	152	High Schools	2
Pupil/Teacher Ratio	14.8	Vocational Schools	0
		Other	1

STANFORD ACHIEVEMENT TEST, 9TH EDITION TOTAL BASIC SKILLS (PERCENTILE SCORES)

	<u>1997-1998</u>	<u>1998-1999</u>	<u>1999-2000</u>	<u>2000-2001</u>	<u>2001-2002</u>
Grade 3	61	53	54	52	58
Grade 4	49	61	44	52	55
Grade 5	56	56	61	49	53
Grade 6	59	69	64	66	55
Grade 7	58	56	64	56	65
Grade 8	54	65	58	63	59
Grade 9	65	58	65	54	67
Grade 10	67	64	61	65	60
Grade 11	67	66	67	59	66

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SCHOLASTIC APTITUDE TEST (SAT)

	<u>1997-98</u>	<u>1998-99</u>	<u>1999-00</u>	<u>2000-01</u>	<u>2001-02</u>
Test Takers (%)	26.2	17.9	21.9	25.0	17.4
Math Mean Score	471	504	498	509	460
Verbal Mean Score	481	514	523	496	485

AMERICAN COLLEGE TESTING (ACT)

	<u>1997-98</u>	<u>1998-99</u>	<u>1999-00</u>	<u>2000-01</u>	<u>2001-02</u>
Test Takers (%)	49.2	48.6	63.3	56.5	66.9
Composite Score	20.1	20.3	20.6	20.0	19.3

PRELIMINARY SCHOLASTIC APTITUDE TEST (PSAT)

	<u>1997-98</u>	<u>1998-99</u>	<u>1999-00</u>	<u>2000-01</u>	<u>2001-02</u>
Test Takers (%)					
10th Grade	15.9	9.9	2.1	13.4	16.1
11th Grade	23.8	21.5	31.9	36.9	36.6

ADVANCED PLACEMENT TEST (APT) (COLLEGE BOARD)

	<u>1997-98</u>	<u>1998-99</u>	<u>1999-00</u>	<u>2000-01</u>	<u>2001-02</u>
Test Takers (%):					
10th Grade	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
11th Grade	3.3	1.4	5.2	2.2	4.2
12th Grade	0.0	0.7	4.4	0.0	0.0
Students with APT Score of 3 or Higher (%):					
10th Grade	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
11th Grade	0.0	50.0	57.1	33.3	16.7
12th Grade	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

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PERSONNEL INFORMATION

Pupil/Administrator Ratio	249.8
Pupil/Teacher Ratio	14.8
Professional Staff:	
Average Years of Experience	15.8
Level of Education (%) -	
Bachelor's Degree	16.9
Bachelor's Degree Plus 15	24.0
Master's Degree	12.0
Master's Degree Plus 15	9.3
Master's Degree Plus 30	16.4
Master's Degree Plus 45	21.3
Doctorate	0.0
Other	0.0

PROGRAM AND CURRICULUM INFORMATION

	<u>1997-1998</u>	<u>1998-1999</u>	<u>1999-2000</u>	<u>2000-2001</u>	<u>2001-2002</u>
Enrollment by Subject Area in Grades 9-12 (%):					
English Language Arts	97.6	97.8	98.1	99.5	98.6
Foreign Language	24.1	19.9	23.5	20.7	22.0
Mathematics	75.7	76.3	81.0	83.6	78.5
Science	73.6	75.6	77.6	83.2	83.8
Social Studies	83.5	85.1	87.3	89.3	89.3
Advanced Placement Courses in High School (%):					
10th Grade	NA	NA	NA	0.0	0.0
11th Grade	NA	NA	NA	16.4	22.9
12th Grade	NA	NA	NA	17.2	0.0

SCHOOL INFORMATION

	<u>1997-98</u>	<u>1998-99</u>	<u>1999-00</u>	<u>2000-01</u>	<u>2001-02</u>
Attendance Rate (%)	94.0	93.5	94.5	94.3	94.5
Average Class Size	20.4	18.3	20.2	18.4	18.5
Classrooms with Split Grades (#)	1	0	1	0	1
Dropout Rate (%)	0.8	0.6	0.8	0.9	0.4
Enrollment PK-12 (#)	2,089	2,141	2,177	2,236	2,248
Exemption to Pupil/Teacher Ratio (#):					
Requested	0	0	0	0	0
Granted	0	0	0	0	0
Graduates (#)	122	140	128	124	121

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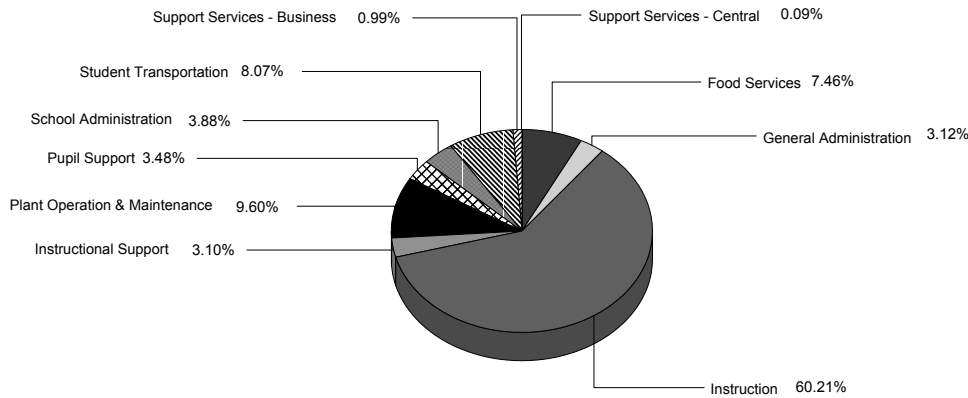
FINANCIAL INFORMATION

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 2001-2002 year.

	Professional	Service
Number employed that exceeds number allowed	1.60	3.55
Salary supplement that would be available	\$0.00	\$0.00

The per pupil expenditure, based on 10th month enrollment, for the county is \$6,653.91

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



Total County Expenditures: \$14,117,915.56

COUNTY OFFICE INFORMATION

Below are the names of the county superintendent (in italics), assistant superintendents, and the number of training sessions attended in 2001-2002 (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 2001-2002. An asterisk (*) indicates the board member attended an orientation session during 2001-2002.

	Term Expires	# Hours
Philip D. Fertig	6/30/2002	15.50
Ray C. Funkhouser	6/30/2004	15.00
Kenneth L. Pack, Jr.	6/30/2002	14.50
Max E. Park	6/30/2004	11.50
J. Hunter Williams, President	6/30/2002	7.00

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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>
MOOREFIELD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	PK 0K-04	595	0	21.2	95.4	0	0.0
EAST HARDY EARLY/MIDDLE SCHOOL	PK 0K-08	588	1	20.0	94.3	0	0.0
MOOREFIELD MIDDLE SCHOOL	05-08	478	0	24.4	94.0	0	0.0
EAST HARDY HIGH SCHOOL	09-12	223	0	15.2	93.9	44	0.4
MOOREFIELD HIGH SCHOOL	09-12	364	0	14.9	94.7	77	0.8
HARDY COUNTY SCHOOLS		2,248	1	18.5	94.5	121	0.4
WEST VIRGINIA		282,587	93	19.3	94.4	17,147	2.5

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>+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	15.4	595.0	14.0	11.4	27.3	11.4	9.1	9.1	31.8	0.0	0.0
EAST HARDY EARLY/MIDDLE SCHOOL	14.5	588.0	16.8	15.6	15.6	26.7	15.6	15.6	11.1	0.0	0.0
MOOREFIELD MIDDLE SCHOOL	15.6	478.0	15.8	13.9	33.3	5.6	0.0	25.0	22.2	0.0	0.0
EAST HARDY HIGH SCHOOL	12.4	223.0	16.6	26.1	21.7	13.0	17.4	13.0	8.7	0.0	0.0
MOOREFIELD HIGH SCHOOL	15.1	364.0	14.4	24.1	24.1	0.0	3.4	20.7	27.6	0.0	0.0
HARDY COUNTY SCHOOLS	14.8	249.8	15.8	16.9	24.0	12.0	9.3	16.4	21.3	0.0	0.0
WEST VIRGINIA	14.2	165.5	18.3	9.7	27.9	5.9	9.1	14.6	31.8	0.7	0.2

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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
EAST HARDY HIGH SCHOOL	100.0	26.5	85.2	83.4	94.2	0.0	48.5	0.0	5.6	5.6	24.1	13.0	22.2	11.1	13.0	5.6
MOOREFIELD HIGH SCHOOL	97.8	19.3	74.3	84.1	86.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.3	19.3	13.8	16.5	27.5	11.9	0.9	2.8
HARDY COUNTY SCHOOLS	98.6	22.0	78.5	83.8	89.3	0.0	22.9	0.0	6.7	14.7	17.2	15.3	25.8	11.7	4.9	3.7
WEST VIRGINIA	97.8	28.2	85.8	85.1	87.7	0.2	8.7	13.0	5.8	21.0	12.3	16.6	15.4	7.7	1.1	20.0

COLLEGE-ENTRANCE TESTING INFORMATION

School	-----TEST TAKERS (%)-----							-----COLLEGE-ENTRANCE TEST SCORES-----			
	--Advanced Placement Test--			---PSAT---				---ACT---	----SAT-----		12th Grade Test Takers with
	10th	11th	12th	10th	11th	SAT	ACT	Composite	Math	Verbal	APT Score of 3 or Higher (%)
EAST HARDY HIGH SCHOOL	0.0	9.1	0.0	17.5	43.9	25.0	77.3	19.3	474	485	0.0
MOOREFIELD HIGH SCHOOL	0.0	0.0	0.0	15.3	30.3	13.0	61.0	19.2	445	485	0.0
HARDY COUNTY SCHOOLS	0.0	4.2	0.0	16.1	36.6	17.4	66.9	19.3	460	485	0.0
WEST VIRGINIA	0.3	5.0	8.0	8.5	22.2	20.2	61.0	20.3	515	525	45.3

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

<u>School</u>	<u>03</u>	<u>04</u>	<u>05</u>	<u>06</u>	<u>07</u>	<u>08</u>	<u>09</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>11</u>
MOOREFIELD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	59	56	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
EAST HARDY EARLY/MIDDLE SCHOOL	58	55	48	53	67	56	--	--	--
MOOREFIELD MIDDLE SCHOOL	--	--	56	57	63	60	--	--	--
EAST HARDY HIGH SCHOOL	--	--	--	--	--	--	71	70	66
MOOREFIELD HIGH SCHOOL	--	--	--	--	--	--	65	54	65
HARDY COUNTY SCHOOLS	58	55	53	55	65	59	67	60	66
WEST VIRGINIA	66	65	64	65	61	62	60	61	62

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