

WEST VIRGINIA REPORT CARDS 2001-2002

MESSAGE FROM THE COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT

This report card is given to parents and the general public in an effort to provide insight into the educational process for the children of Pocahontas County. It is no way intended as the only measure of the educational quality of the school system but provides an indication of strengths and weaknesses as presented through statistical reporting.

We base our premise on the fact that "All Children Can Learn" and ask you to continue as an active part of this very important process.

INFORMATION ABOUT THE COUNTY

County Population (#)	9,131	Public Schools (#):	
Student Enrollment (#)	1,444	Elementary	2
High School Graduates (#)	94	Middle or Jr. High	1
Teachers (#)	105	High Schools	1
Pupil/Teacher Ratio	14.2	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	44	60	62	68	64
Grade 4	53	52	58	62	64
Grade 5	48	54	54	56	62
Grade 6	54	53	61	50	57
Grade 7	54	52	50	54	50
Grade 8	58	57	58	55	54
Grade 9	44	57	57	47	50
Grade 10	51	54	58	59	52
Grade 11	56	55	54	55	60



POCAHONTAS COUNTY SCHOOLS

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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 (%)	4.6	10.1	19.5	11.4	10.6
Math Mean Score	000	563	471	477	543
Verbal Mean Score	000	555	528	516	575

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 (%)	45.0	53.5	65.9	58.0	58.5
Composite Score	20.0	20.3	20.9	19.6	20.1

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	5.2	4.0	2.6	0.0	2.0
11th Grade	20.0	23.2	31.2	27.9	35.1

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	4.8	2.0	0.0	0.0	6.2
12th Grade	4.3	2.9	0.0	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	60.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	50.0
12th Grade	20.0	33.3	0.0	0.0	0.0

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PERSONNEL INFORMATION

Pupil/Administrator Ratio	136.6
Pupil/Teacher Ratio	14.2
Professional Staff:	
Average Years of Experience	17.0
Level of Education (%) -	
Bachelor's Degree	16.2
Bachelor's Degree Plus 15	25.9
Master's Degree	11.1
Master's Degree Plus 15	5.9
Master's Degree Plus 30	7.4
Master's Degree Plus 45	31.1
Doctorate	2.2
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	99.5	99.1	98.6	99.0	97.6
Foreign Language	25.9	27.3	26.2	29.9	26.5
Mathematics	73.4	75.8	82.5	81.8	81.6
Science	76.9	81.3	86.3	80.5	89.7
Social Studies	81.8	82.7	83.7	78.6	80.4
Advanced Placement Courses in High School (%):					
10th Grade	NA	NA	NA	0.0	0.0
11th Grade	NA	NA	NA	13.5	12.4
12th Grade	NA	NA	NA	16.1	13.6

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	94.0	94.6	93.4	93.3
Average Class Size	18.2	15.7	15.5	16.8	17.4
Classrooms with Split Grades (#)	0	0	0	0	0
Dropout Rate (%)	2.5	2.6	3.4	2.4	3.5
Enrollment PK-12 (#)	1,505	1,480	1,447	1,408	1,444
Exemption to Pupil/Teacher Ratio (#):					
Requested	0	0	0	0	0
Granted	0	0	0	0	0
Graduates (#)	109	99	82	88	94

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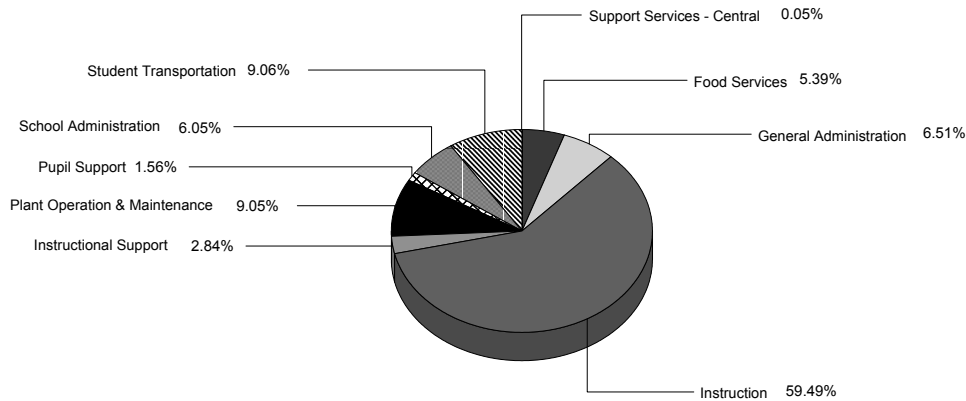
FINANCIAL INFORMATION

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	2.34	13.40
Salary supplement that would be available	\$808.26	\$4,872.23

The per pupil expenditure, based on 10th month enrollment, for the county is \$7,350.74

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



Total County Expenditures: \$10,503,879.07

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:

James B. Phares (8)
 Alice Irvine (3)
 Roger L. Trusler (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
Diane Buzzard	6/30/2002	10.00
Kermit A. Friel, President*	6/30/2004	37.50
Bernard King	6/30/2004	12.75
Ruth W. Taylor*	6/30/2002	37.75
Kenneth E. Vance*	6/30/2002	22.25

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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>
HILLSBORO ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	PK 0K-05	91	0	NA	95.2	0	0.0
GREEN BANK ELEMENTARY-MIDDLE SCHOOL	PK 0K-08	333	0	17.6	94.8	0	1.3
MARLINTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	PK 0K-04	328	0	18.4	94.2	0	0.0
MARLINTON MIDDLE SCHOOL	05-08	273	0	22.1	92.8	0	0.0
POCAHONTAS COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL	09-12	419	0	15.1	91.5	94	5.0
POCAHONTAS COUNTY SCHOOLS		1,444	0	17.4	93.3	94	3.5
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>
HILLSBORO ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	11.0	162.5	13.3	15.4	0.0	15.4	0.0	15.4	53.8	0.0	0.0
GREEN BANK ELEMENTARY-MIDDLE SCHOOL	12.8	220.5	18.6	9.4	40.6	6.3	6.3	3.1	31.3	3.1	0.0
MARLINTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	15.3	328.0	16.1	4.2	33.3	16.7	8.3	4.2	33.3	0.0	0.0
MARLINTON MIDDLE SCHOOL	15.7	273.0	12.2	21.7	26.1	21.7	4.3	8.7	17.4	0.0	0.0
POCAHONTAS COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL	14.8	209.5	18.9	27.0	21.6	5.4	8.1	10.8	24.3	2.7	0.0
POCAHONTAS COUNTY SCHOOLS	14.2	136.6	17.0	16.2	25.9	11.1	5.9	7.4	31.1	2.2	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
POCAHONTAS COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL	97.6	26.5	81.6	89.7	80.4	0.0	12.4	13.6	4.2	16.0	5.9	1.7	5.0	8.4	0.8	58.0
POCAHONTAS COUNTY SCHOOLS	97.6	26.5	81.6	89.7	80.4	0.0	12.4	13.6	4.2	16.0	5.9	1.7	5.0	8.4	0.8	58.0
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 APT Score of 3 or Higher (%)
	10th	11th	12th	10th	11th	SAT	ACT	Composite	Math	Verbal		
POCAHONTAS COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL	0.0	6.2	0.0	2.0	35.1	10.6	58.5	20.1	543	575	0.0	
POCAHONTAS COUNTY SCHOOLS	0.0	6.2	0.0	2.0	35.1	10.6	58.5	20.1	543	575	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>
HILLSBORO ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	**	**	**	--	--	--	--	--	--
GREEN BANK ELEMENTARY-MIDDLE SCHOOL	67	74	62	59	56	59	--	--	--
MARLINTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	63	59	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
MARLINTON MIDDLE SCHOOL	--	--	64	56	45	52	--	--	--
POCAHONTAS COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL	--	--	--	--	--	--	50	52	60
POCAHONTAS COUNTY SCHOOLS	64	64	62	57	50	54	50	52	60
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.