

WEST VIRGINIA REPORT CARDS 2002-2003

MESSAGE FROM THE COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT

The Raleigh County Report Card is a comprehensive progress report on your local school system.

Information compiled for the Report Card is based on data for the 2002-2003 school year. It provides you, the taxpayer, an opportunity to see very quickly information on program and curriculum, test scores, attendance and dropout rates, enrollment, personnel, and expenditures.

Although we have many goals ahead, we are proud of the programs, projects and activities that are offered to the public school children in Raleigh County. Teachers and service personnel strive daily to provide quality services so that when students leave our school system they will be ready for entry-level work or admission into a technical school or institution of higher learning.

If you have any questions regarding the information contained in the Report Card, we invite you to call the Raleigh County Board of Education Central Office at 304-256-4500.

INFORMATION ABOUT THE COUNTY

County Population (#)	79,220	Public Schools (#):	
Student Enrollment (#)	11,903	Elementary	21
High School Graduates (#)	791	Middle or Jr. High	5
Teachers (#)	840	High Schools	5
Pupil/Teacher Ratio	14.2	Vocational Schools	2
		Other	1

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

	<u>1998-1999</u>	<u>1999-2000</u>	<u>2000-2001</u>	<u>2001-2002</u>	<u>2002-2003</u>
Grade 3	65	65	69	70	70
Grade 4	64	63	64	67	63
Grade 5	64	65	65	66	60
Grade 6	72	69	70	70	64
Grade 7	59	62	59	62	52
Grade 8	59	61	63	60	53
Grade 9	57	62	60	63	53
Grade 10	54	55	59	59	53
Grade 11	59	57	58	61	52



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SCHOLASTIC APTITUDE TEST (SAT)

	<u>1998-99</u>	<u>1999-00</u>	<u>2000-01</u>	<u>2001-02</u>	<u>2002-03</u>
Test Takers (%)	20.5	19.4	15.9	20.1	18.6
Math Mean Score	483	491	487	506	502
Verbal Mean Score	502	504	499	507	517

AMERICAN COLLEGE TESTING (ACT)

	<u>1998-99</u>	<u>1999-00</u>	<u>2000-01</u>	<u>2001-02</u>	<u>2002-03</u>
Test Takers (%)	49.0	55.3	50.2	54.9	58.7
Composite Score	19.5	19.6	19.3	19.7	19.6

PRELIMINARY SCHOLASTIC APTITUDE TEST (PSAT)

	<u>1998-99</u>	<u>1999-00</u>	<u>2000-01</u>	<u>2001-02</u>	<u>2002-03</u>
Test Takers (%)					
10th Grade	5.5	6.1	7.3	7.1	5.9
11th Grade	22.1	13.9	16.1	21.1	16.5

ADVANCED PLACEMENT TEST (APT) (COLLEGE BOARD)

	<u>1998-99</u>	<u>1999-00</u>	<u>2000-01</u>	<u>2001-02</u>	<u>2002-03</u>
Test Takers (%):					
10th Grade	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1
11th Grade	3.6	0.0	3.7	4.2	4.2
12th Grade	3.8	0.0	2.9	4.3	4.5
Students with APT Score of 3 or Higher (%):					
10th Grade	100.0	0.0	100.0	0.0	0.0
11th Grade	34.3	0.0	34.3	43.2	34.3
12th Grade	82.9	0.0	48.0	50.0	69.4

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PERSONNEL INFORMATION

Pupil/Administrator Ratio	121.5
Pupil/Teacher Ratio	14.2
Professional Staff:	
Average Years of Experience	18.1
Level of Education (%) -	
Bachelor's Degree	8.4
Bachelor's Degree Plus 15	37.3
Master's Degree	4.6
Master's Degree Plus 15	7.8
Master's Degree Plus 30	12.1
Master's Degree Plus 45	29.5
Doctorate	0.2
Other	0.0

PROGRAM AND CURRICULUM INFORMATION

	<u>1998-1999</u>	<u>1999-2000</u>	<u>2000-2001</u>	<u>2001-2002</u>	<u>2002-03</u>
Enrollment by Subject Area in Grades 9-12 (%):					
English Language Arts	97.9	97.9	97.7		
Foreign Language	31.0	30.7	33.3		
Mathematics	84.5	85.4	84.3		
Science	77.9	78.4	79.0		
Social Studies	80.8	82.7	79.9		
Advanced Placement Courses in High School (%):					
10th Grade	NA	NA	0.1		0.1
11th Grade	NA	NA	24.1		27.6
12th Grade	NA	NA	19.7		27.9

SCHOOL INFORMATION

	<u>1998-99</u>	<u>1999-00</u>	<u>2000-01</u>	<u>2001-02</u>	<u>2002-03</u>
Attendance Rate (%)	93.1	94.0	93.5		93.6
Average Class Size	19.2	19.1	18.7		
Classrooms with Split Grades (#)	2	1	2		1
Dropout Rate (%)	3.2	3.0	3.1	0.0	2.1
Enrollment PK-12 (#)	12,519	12,234	11,998	0	11,903
Exemption to Pupil/Teacher Ratio (#):					
Requested	0	0	0	0	0
Granted	0	0	0	0	0
Graduates (#)	835	798	848	683	791

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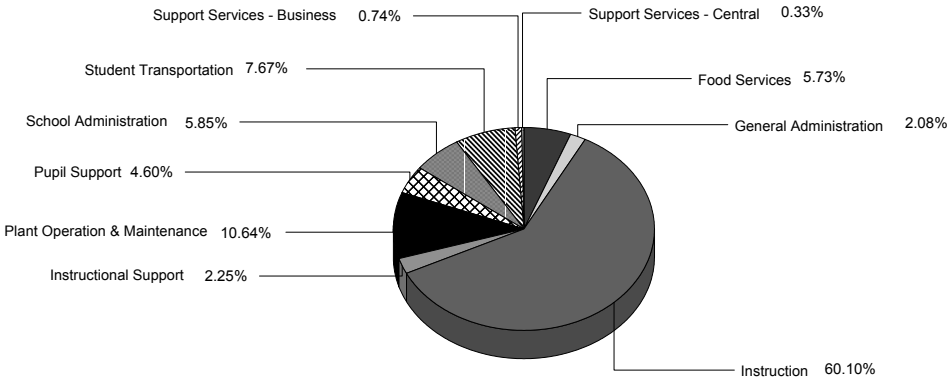
FINANCIAL INFORMATION

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 2002-2003 year.

	Professional	Service
Number employed that exceeds number allowed	50.30	38.72
Salary supplement that would be available	\$2,266.52	\$1,729.05

The per pupil expenditure, based on 10th month enrollment, for the county is \$7,613.78

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



Total County Expenditures: \$89,933,040.01

COUNTY OFFICE INFORMATION

Below are the names of the county superintendent (in italics), assistant superintendents, and the number of training sessions attended in 2002-2003 (in parentheses) as related to their area:

Charlotte Hutchens (15)
 David Severt (9)
 Janet Lilly (16)
 Racine Thompson (18)

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 2002-2003. An asterisk (*) indicates the board member attended an orientation session during 2002-2003.

	Term Expires	# Hours
Kim B. Cooper	6/30/2006	15.75
Margaret K. Scott	6/30/2006	06.00
Richard V. Snuffer II	6/30/2004	13.50
Lester H. Vaught, President	6/30/2004	13.75
Patricia A. Waddell	6/30/2006	17.50

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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	0K-06	248	0	17.5	92.8	0	0.0
BRADLEY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	PK 0K-06	594	1	19.6	94.1	0	0.0
CENTRAL ELEMENTARY	0K-06	212	0	19.0	93.3	0	0.0
CLEAR FORK DISTRICT ELEMENTARY	PK 0K-06	180	0	16.8	93.6	0	0.0
COAL CITY ELEMENTARY	PK 0K-06	394	0	20.5	94.0	0	0.0
CRAB ORCHARD ELEMENTARY	0K-06	390	0	20.3	94.0	0	0.0
CRANBERRY-PROSPERITY ELEMENTARY	PK 0K-06	319	0	19.2	94.3	0	0.0
CRESCENT ELEMENTARY	0K-06	310	0	21.1	94.4	0	0.0
DANIELS ELEMENTARY	0K-06	299	0	19.5	94.8	0	0.0
FAIRDALE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	PK 0K-05	464	0	21.1	93.9	0	0.0
GHENT ELEMENTARY	PK 0K-06	284	0	17.9	94.6	0	0.0
HOLLYWOOD ELEMENTARY	0K-06	261	0	19.2	95.2	0	0.0
INSTITUTE ELEMENTARY	PK 0K-06	150	0	16.9	94.4	0	0.0
LESTER ELEMENTARY	PK 0K-06	187	0	17.2	94.7	0	0.0
MABSCOTT ELEMENTARY	PK 0K-06	277	0	16.8	93.5	0	0.0
MAXWELL HILL ELEMENTARY	0K-06	272	0	18.1	94.9	0	0.0
STANAFORD ELEMENTARY	PK 0K-06	331	0	20.2	95.0	0	0.0
SHADY SPRING ELEMENTARY	PK 0K-06	470	0	22.0	94.6	0	0.0
SOPHIA-SOAK CREEK ELEMENTARY	0K-06	311	0	19.3	94.2	0	0.0
MARSH FORK ELEMENTARY	PK 0K-06	279	0	17.5	93.9	0	0.0
STRATTON ELEMENTARY	PK 0K-06	242	0	13.5	93.3	0	0.0
TRAP HILL MIDDLE SCHOOL	06-08	343	0	26.5	93.2	0	0.0
PARK JUNIOR HIGH	07-09	383	0	17.3	94.0	0	0.3
SHADY SPRING JUNIOR HIGH	07-09	558	0	20.1	93.7	0	0.0
INDEPENDENCE JR HIGH	07-09	532	0	19.2	93.8	0	0.0
BECKLEY-STRATTON JUNIOR HIGH	07-09	760	0	17.0	92.4	0	0.0
INDEPENDENCE HIGH SCHOOL	09-12	531	0	20.3	93.0	174	3.6
LIBERTY HIGH SCHOOL	09-12	452	0	20.1	93.1	98	2.7
MARSH FORK HIGH	07-12	202	0	13.1	93.1	35	1.5
SHADY SPRING HIGH	09-12	487	0	19.8	93.8	147	2.1
WOODROW WILSON HIGH SCHOOL	09-12	1,072	0	19.8	94.0	329	3.2
RALEIGH COUNTY SCHOOLS		11,903	1	18.0	93.6	791	2.1
WEST VIRGINIA		282,192	78	19.6	94.4	16,842	2.5

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PERSONNEL INFORMATION

School	Pupil/Teacher Ratio	Pupil/Adm. Ratio	Professional Staff Experience (Yr)	Professional Staff Level of Education (%)							
				Bach	Bach +15	Master	Master +15	Master +30	Master +45	Doc.	Other
BEAVER ELEMENTARY	13.1	248.0	17.0	15.8	36.8	5.3	0.0	10.5	31.6	0.0	0.0
BRADLEY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	18.0	594.0	16.5	9.1	30.3	9.1	12.1	18.2	21.2	0.0	0.0
CENTRAL ELEMENTARY	11.8	212.0	14.1	11.1	44.4	5.6	16.7	5.6	16.7	0.0	0.0
CLEAR FORK DISTRICT ELEMENTARY	12.4	180.0	10.9	13.3	40.0	6.7	20.0	0.0	20.0	0.0	0.0
COAL CITY ELEMENTARY	16.4	394.0	17.0	20.8	37.5	0.0	8.3	8.3	25.0	0.0	0.0
CRAB ORCHARD ELEMENTARY	17.0	390.0	18.3	0.0	52.2	4.3	21.7	13.0	8.7	0.0	0.0
CRANBERRY-PROSPERITY ELEMENTARY	15.2	319.0	19.3	9.5	23.8	4.8	0.0	9.5	52.4	0.0	0.0
CRESCENT ELEMENTARY	15.5	310.0	22.1	0.0	35.0	5.0	5.0	15.0	40.0	0.0	0.0
DANIELS ELEMENTARY	15.0	299.0	17.2	15.0	40.0	0.0	10.0	15.0	20.0	0.0	0.0
FAIRDALE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	18.6	464.0	17.1	4.0	44.0	0.0	4.0	4.0	44.0	0.0	0.0
GHENT ELEMENTARY	14.9	284.0	18.5	10.5	42.1	15.8	0.0	5.3	26.3	0.0	0.0
HOLLYWOOD ELEMENTARY	14.5	261.0	23.9	0.0	27.8	0.0	0.0	5.6	66.7	0.0	0.0
INSTITUTE ELEMENTARY	12.5	150.0	16.9	16.7	25.0	0.0	8.3	0.0	50.0	0.0	0.0
LESTER ELEMENTARY	12.9	187.0	14.6	26.7	13.3	0.0	13.3	6.7	40.0	0.0	0.0
MABSCOTT ELEMENTARY	14.6	277.0	21.1	0.0	47.4	0.0	5.3	5.3	42.1	0.0	0.0
MAXWELL HILL ELEMENTARY	17.0	272.0	24.8	0.0	37.5	0.0	0.0	6.3	56.3	0.0	0.0
STANAFORD ELEMENTARY	15.8	331.0	14.0	4.8	57.1	4.8	4.8	4.8	23.8	0.0	0.0
SHADY SPRING ELEMENTARY	16.8	470.0	19.6	3.6	32.1	3.6	10.7	17.9	32.1	0.0	0.0
SOPHIA-SOAK CREEK ELEMENTARY	16.4	311.0	20.1	5.3	21.1	5.3	10.5	21.1	36.8	0.0	0.0
MARSH FORK ELEMENTARY	13.3	279.0	18.0	9.5	42.9	0.0	0.0	9.5	38.1	0.0	0.0
STRATTON ELEMENTARY	9.3	242.0	14.7	7.7	42.3	0.0	7.7	3.8	38.5	0.0	0.0
TRAP HILL MIDDLE SCHOOL	15.2	171.5	19.8	0.0	56.5	13.0	4.3	13.0	13.0	0.0	0.0
PARK JUNIOR HIGH	12.6	191.5	17.1	3.2	32.3	12.9	12.9	6.5	32.3	0.0	0.0
SHADY SPRING JUNIOR HIGH	16.7	279.0	18.7	20.6	50.0	5.9	2.9	11.8	8.8	0.0	0.0
INDEPENDENCE JR HIGH	16.9	266.0	18.8	3.0	54.5	6.1	9.1	9.1	15.2	3.0	0.0
BECKLEY-STRATTON JUNIOR HIGH	14.9	253.3	17.1	9.8	31.4	5.9	9.8	27.5	15.7	0.0	0.0
INDEPENDENCE HIGH SCHOOL	16.9	265.5	21.4	3.1	43.8	6.3	3.1	9.4	34.4	0.0	0.0
LIBERTY HIGH SCHOOL	14.1	226.0	20.6	0.0	37.5	0.0	15.6	31.3	15.6	0.0	0.0
MARSH FORK HIGH	9.9	101.0	11.8	28.6	33.3	4.8	19.0	0.0	14.3	0.0	0.0
SHADY SPRING HIGH	15.0	243.5	21.0	0.0	33.3	3.0	6.1	15.2	39.4	3.0	0.0
WOODROW WILSON HIGH SCHOOL	15.4	268.0	23.3	5.7	35.7	4.3	4.3	17.1	32.9	0.0	0.0
RALEIGH COUNTY SCHOOLS	14.2	121.5	18.1	8.4	37.3	4.6	7.8	12.1	29.5	0.2	0.0
WEST VIRGINIA	14.1	161.9	18.4	11.1	31.3	6.0	9.5	13.5	28.0	0.3	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
PARK JUNIOR HIGH	99.1	30.8	99.1	99.1	99.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.9	0.0	1.7	0.0	0.0	97.4
SHADY SPRING JUNIOR HIGH	100.0	32.9	99.4	100.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.3	20.1	11.3	1.3	11.3	21.4	0.0	28.3
INDEPENDENCE JR HIGH	99.4	24.8	100.0	99.4	99.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.1	23.3	15.3	29.4	17.8	6.7	0.0	1.2
BECKLEY-STRATTON JUNIOR HIGH	100.0	10.6	100.0	100.0	99.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.1	13.6	18.1	24.3	18.9	10.7	0.0	10.3
INDEPENDENCE HIGH SCHOOL	99.1	26.4	78.1	79.8	73.6	0.0	27.6	33.5	0.0	25.0	16.7	16.7	8.3	0.0	0.0	33.3
LIBERTY HIGH SCHOOL	98.7	16.1	80.1	83.3	81.7	0.0	16.7	13.1	0.0	0.8	0.0	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	98.3
MARSH FORK HIGH	87.9	17.4	74.5	78.5	73.2	0.0	6.3	8.1	0.0	2.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	97.7
SHADY SPRING HIGH	99.0	18.3	80.4	87.8	81.5	0.0	26.3	33.1	0.0	22.2	0.0	0.0	11.1	0.0	0.0	66.7
WOODROW WILSON HIGH SCHOOL	98.9	55.1	81.8	84.7	76.0	0.3	37.8	29.9	0.0	0.0	33.3	0.0	8.3	8.3	0.0	50.0
RALEIGH COUNTY SCHOOLS	98.4	30.8	84.2	86.8	81.9	0.1	27.6	27.9	3.3	12.9	10.6	12.4	10.9	8.1	0.0	41.8
WEST VIRGINIA	98.0	27.8	86.7	86.0	87.1	0.1	9.2	14.2	5.5	19.9	11.2	15.0	15.4	6.8	0.4	25.9

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 (%)
INDEPENDENCE HIGH SCHOOL	0.0	0.6	1.7	0.0	22.5	5.2	55.2	19.9	426	474	0.0
LIBERTY HIGH SCHOOL	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.9	6.7	0.0	63.3	18.8	000	000	0.0
MARSH FORK HIGH	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	48.6	18.9	000	000	0.0
SHADY SPRING HIGH	0.0	11.9	6.1	0.0	19.9	15.0	59.9	20.1	514	521	66.7
WOODROW WILSON HIGH SCHOOL	0.3	5.0	6.9	13.8	18.8	35.3	60.8	19.7	506	519	82.6
RALEIGH COUNTY SCHOOLS	0.1	4.2	4.5	5.9	16.5	18.6	58.7	19.6	502	517	69.4
WEST VIRGINIA	0.0	6.6	8.5	8.7	21.4	20.0	63.0	20.3	522	510	44.2

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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	76	54	64	60	--	--	--	--	--
BRADLEY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	69	63	70	62	--	--	--	--	--
CENTRAL ELEMENTARY	45	48	57	51	--	--	--	--	--
CLEAR FORK DISTRICT ELEMENTARY	49	72	42	61	--	--	--	--	--
COAL CITY ELEMENTARY	56	62	52	64	--	--	--	--	--
CRAB ORCHARD ELEMENTARY	71	77	67	64	--	--	--	--	--
CRANBERRY-PROSPERITY ELEMENTARY	62	55	49	77	--	--	--	--	--
CRESCENT ELEMENTARY	79	67	67	72	--	--	--	--	--
DANIELS ELEMENTARY	75	72	69	72	--	--	--	--	--
FAIRDALE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	67	53	51	--	--	--	--	--	--
GHENT ELEMENTARY	83	69	55	69	--	--	--	--	--
HOLLYWOOD ELEMENTARY	80	74	72	67	--	--	--	--	--
INSTITUTE ELEMENTARY	61	60	60	68	--	--	--	--	--
LESTER ELEMENTARY	54	48	34	49	--	--	--	--	--
MABSCOTT ELEMENTARY	63	54	47	56	--	--	--	--	--
MAXWELL HILL ELEMENTARY	85	81	73	71	--	--	--	--	--
STANAFORD ELEMENTARY	65	50	61	65	--	--	--	--	--
SHADY SPRING ELEMENTARY	69	61	65	76	--	--	--	--	--
SOPHIA-SOAK CREEK ELEMENTARY	81	60	54	62	--	--	--	--	--
MARSH FORK ELEMENTARY	72	71	60	71	--	--	--	--	--
STRATTON ELEMENTARY	63	54	64	58	--	--	--	--	--
TRAP HILL MIDDLE SCHOOL	--	--	--	--	53	50	55	--	--
PARK JUNIOR HIGH	--	--	--	--	58	51	50	--	--
SHADY SPRING JUNIOR HIGH	--	--	--	--	54	58	61	--	--
INDEPENDENCE JR HIGH	--	--	--	--	46	51	51	--	--
BECKLEY-STRATTON JUNIOR HIGH	--	--	--	--	54	51	57	--	--
INDEPENDENCE HIGH SCHOOL	--	--	--	--	--	--	**	43	53
LIBERTY HIGH SCHOOL	--	--	--	--	--	--	46	44	39
MARSH FORK HIGH	--	--	--	--	48	43	46	58	41
SHADY SPRING HIGH	--	--	--	--	--	--	**	63	56
WOODROW WILSON HIGH SCHOOL	--	--	--	--	--	--	26	55	57
RALEIGH COUNTY SCHOOLS	70	63	60	64	52	53	53	53	52
WEST VIRGINIA	64	61	59	59	54	55	54	54	57

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