With 1 primary, 1 elementary, 1 middle, and 1 high school, enrollment in Appomattox County schools has increased. This profile shows key information and trends about the division’s demographics and funding.

**Enrollment has increased.**
- 2,161 in 2009
- 2,204 Projected

**2017-2013 pupil-teacher ratio in 2015**
24% of 3rd graders did not pass SOL reading in 2015

**Students from families that struggle financially face challenges that can make success in the classroom more difficult.**
- 21% of all school-age children lived in poverty in 2014.
- 48% of all students got free or reduced lunch in 2016.
- 4% of high schoolers who should have graduated in 2015 dropped out instead.
- 94% of high schoolers graduated on time in 2015, above the statewide 91% rate.

**Funding**
As the state has cut education funding statewide, per student direct aid has fallen sharply for Appomattox County Public Schools, after adjusting for inflation.

**The state’s share of operations funding for Appomattox County schools has fallen, while the local government’s share has risen.**

**Total funding for operations**
*Operations include regular day school, school food services, summer adult, adult education, and other education, but not non-LEA, non-regular day school, debt service, or capital outlay. Pre-K is included in 2015, but not in 2009.

**Did you know...**
- ... that a one-cent increase in Appomattox’s property tax rate can raise about $126,000?
- ... that Appomattox invested 23.8% above the required local effort for SOQ programs in 2015?

Sources: Virginia Department of Education, U.S. Census Bureau