BUCKINGHAM COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

This profile shows the most recent data available going into the 2019-2020 school year and highlights demographics, staffing, and funding for Buckingham County Public Schools.

STUDENTS

Enrollment since 2008-2009 is projected to be up.

- Buckingham had 1,954 students in 2008-2009.
- Buckingham is projected to have 2,014 students in 2019-2020.
- 21% of all school-age children lived in poverty in 2017 compared to 13% statewide.
- 69% of all students were provided free or reduced-price lunch in 2013-2014 compared to 41% statewide.
- 13% of all students had a disability eligible to receive IDEA services in 2018-2019 compared to 13% statewide.

STAFFING

Overall, staffing levels for Buckingham have decreased compared to enrollment since 2008-2009. In 2017-2018, there were:

- 30 Fewer teachers and instructors
- 7 More support staff
- 2 Fewer school counselors and librarians
- 10 More teacher aides
- 2 Fewer principals and assistant principals

18 Fewer staff compared to 26 More students

May not sum due to rounding

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

FUNDING

State direct aid has fallen sharply per student for Buckingham County Public Schools, adjusting for inflation.

Compared to 2008-2009, the state's share of total funding has decreased.

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<th>Year</th>
<th>Total Funding (FY19 dollars)</th>
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<td>2008-2009</td>
<td>$26.2 million</td>
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<td>2017-2018</td>
<td>$23.9 million</td>
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-19%

Did you know....

- that a one-cent increase in Buckingham's property tax rate can raise about $142,200?
- 0% of Virginia Preschool Initiative slots with state funding in Buckingham went unfilled in 2018-2019, which means 0 eligible kids missed out on preschool?
- that, in 2017-2018, Buckingham invested 25.4% above what is required by localities in the state's primary funding formula?

0% 50% 100% 150% 200% 250%

Buckingham 25.4%
State average 113.3%

*Operations does not include debt service, capital outlay, and expenses for programs that are not locality specific. Pre-K is included in 2017-2018, but not in 2008-2009.