HARRISONBURG CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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

STUDENTS

Enrollment since 2008-2009 is projected to be up.

- 19% of all school-age children lived in poverty in 2017 compared to 13% statewide.
- 71% of all students were provided free or reduced-price lunch in 2013-2014 compared to 41% statewide.
- 31% of all students were English learners in 2018-2019 compared to 8% statewide.
- 10% of all students had a disability eligible to receive IDEA services in 2018-2019 compared to 13% statewide.

Harrisonburg had 4,246 students in 2008-2009.

Harrisonburg is projected to have 6,156 students in 2019-2020.

FUNDING

State direct aid has risen per student for Harrisonburg City Public Schools, adjusting for inflation.

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

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<th>Year</th>
<th>Total funding for operations* (FY19 dollars)</th>
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<td>2008-2009</td>
<td>$67.3 million</td>
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<td>2017-2018</td>
<td>$81.9 million</td>
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Did you know ....

...that a one-cent increase in Harrisonburg’s property tax rate can raise about $405,900?

...0% of Virginia Preschool Initiative slots with state funding in Harrisonburg went unfilled in 2018-2019, which means 0 eligible kids missed out on preschool?

... that, in 2017-2018, Harrisonburg invested 115.3% above what is required by localities in the state’s primary funding formula?

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

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