SOUTHAMPTON 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 Southampton County Public Schools.

STUDENTS

Enrollment since 2008-2009 is projected to be down.

Southampton had 2,736 students in 2008-2009.

Southampton is projected to have 2,708 students in 2019-2020.

- 18% of all school-age children lived in poverty in 2017 compared to 13% statewide.
- 49% of all students were provided free or reduced-price lunch in 2018-2019 compared to 45% 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 Southampton have decreased compared to enrollment since 2008-2009.

In 2017-2018, there were:

- 33 Fewer teachers and instructors
- 9 Fewer support staff
- 2 Fewer school counselors and librarians
- 9 Fewer teacher aides
- 2 More principals and assistant principals

51 Fewer staff compared to
56 Fewer 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 Southampton County Public Schools, adjusting for inflation.

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

Total funding for operations*

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Did you know....

- that a one-cent increase in Southampton's property tax rate can raise about $137,700?
- 0% of Virginia Preschool Initiative slots with state funding in Southampton went unfilled in 2018-2019, which means 0 eligible kids missed out on preschool?
- that, in 2017-2018, Southampton invested 68.0% above what is required by localities in the state's primary funding formula?

*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.