TAZEWELL 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 Tazewell County Public Schools.

STUDENTS

Enrollment since 2008-2009 is projected to be down.

Tazewell had 6,641 students in 2008-2009.

Tazewell is projected to have 5,307 students in 2019-2020.

- 23% of all school-age children lived in poverty in 2017 compared to 13% statewide.
- 52% of all students were provided free or reduced-price lunch in 2013-2014 compared to 41% statewide.
- 0% of all students were English learners in 2018-2019 compared to 8% statewide.
- 16% of all students had a disability eligible to receive IDEA services in 2018-2019 compared to 13% statewide.

STAFFING

Overall, staffing levels for Tazewell have increased compared to enrollment since 2008-2009.

In 2017-2018, there were

6 Fewer teachers and instructors
25 Fewer support staff
5 Fewer school counselors and librarians
56 More teacher aides
0 More principals and assistant principals

21 More staff compared to 1,059 Fewer students

May not sum due to rounding

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

FUNDING

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

Compared to 2008-2009, the state’s share of total funding has fallen sharply

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- 9%

Did you know ....

- that a one-cent increase in Tazewell's property tax rate can raise about $265,300?
- 0% of Virginia Preschool Initiative slots with state funding in Tazewell went unfilled in 2018-2019, which means 0 eligible kids missed out on preschool?
- that, in 2017-2018, Tazewell invested 43.4% 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.

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