

ESMEC

Eastern Shore of Maryland Educational Consortium

*Fact Sheet

for Maryland's Eastern Shore
Public Schools

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Enrollment

Eastern Shore School Systems	Total	Pre-K	African American	%	White	%	Hispanic	%	Other	%	Special Education	%	ELL (formerly LEP)	%	+Free and Reduced Meals	%
Caroline	5,829	312	848	15%	3,624	62%	842	14%	515	9%	593	10%	429	7%	2,835	49%
Cecil	15,307	623	1,450	10%	11,633	76%	1,107	7%	1,117	7%	2,403	16%	303	2%	6,080	40%
Dorchester	4,785	236	1,940	41%	2,008	42%	424	9%	413	9%	469	10%	183	4%	3,014	63%
Kent	1,912	112	436	23%	1,160	61%	166	9%	150	8%	268	14%	70	4%	986	52%
Queen Anne's	7,749	248	454	6%	6,109	79%	673	9%	513	7%	860	11%	284	4%	1,812	23%
Somerset	2,930	199	1,346	46%	1,140	39%	259	9%	185	6%	440	15%	106	4%	1,977	67%
Talbot	4,674	278	740	16%	2,652	58%	914	20%	368	8%	480	10%	438	9%	2,252	48%
Wicomico	15,513	616	5,486	37%	6,203	42%	1,566	10%	1,694	11%	1,718	11%	1,114	7%	8,309	54%
Worcester	6,810	402	1,255	19%	4,491	66%	490	7%	574	8%	788	12%	139	2%	2,649	39%
Eastern Shore	64,995*	3,026	13,955	21%	39,020	60%	6,441	10%	5,529	9%	8,019	12%	3,066	5%	29,914	46%

* Prekindergarten numbers included

TOTAL NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES: 10,331

TOTAL NUMBER OF SCHOOLS: 129

TRANSPORTATION:

Miles Driven = 12,096,387

MEALS SERVED:

Breakfast, Lunches and Supper = 10,407,053

HEALTH ROOM VISITS: 614,974

Source: Maryland State Department of Education; Prepared by Office of Finance & Administration – Final Calculation for Major State Aid Programs for FY 2020 dated June 6, 2019

+To be eligible for a free meal for a child, as an example, a family of four would need a combined yearly income of less than \$33,475 and to be eligible for a reduced meal, a family of four would need a combined yearly income between \$33,475 and \$47,638.

