Rachel Carson Elementary School - #159

Principal: Mr. Lawrence D. Chep
Community Supt: Dr. LaVerne G. Kimball
School Hours: 8:50 - 3:05

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2010–2011 Official School Enrollment (See note below.) = 872

% Female	% Male	% AM	% AS	% BL	% HI	% PI	% WH	% MU	% ESOL	% FARMS	% SPED
51.3	48.7	0.0	10.7	6.2	15.5	0.0	63.8	3.9	11.8	16.1	9.4

	Number	Percent
Total SPED Enrollment	82	
In home school	73	89.0
Not in home school	9	11.0
SPED students living in attendance area	101	
Not in home school	28	27.7

2010–2011 Students Receiving Special Education Services (as of 10/31/2010)

% Female	% Male	% AM	% AS	% BL	% HI	% PI	% WH	% MU	% ESOL	% FARMS
35.4	64.6	0.0	3.7	4.9	29.3	0.0	58.5	3.7	15.9	28.0

2010–2011 Total MCPS Elementary Students Receiving Special Education Services = 6,757

% Female	% Male	% AM	% AS	% BL	% HI	% PI	% WH	% MU	% ESOL	% FARMS
29.4	70.6	0.1	8.9	23.2	30.7	0.1	32.8	4.2	23.0	39.7

Least Restrictive Environment (as of 10/31/2010)

Disability	In >= 80% (LRE A)		In < 40% (LRE C)	
	N	%	N	%
Intellectual Disability				
Hearing Impairment				
Deaf				
Speech/Language	25	73.5	0	0.0
Visual Impairment				
Emotional Disability				
Orthopedic Impairment				
Health Impairment	15	100.0	0	0.0
Learning Disabilities	24	100.0	0	0.0
Multiple Disabilities				
Deaf/Blindness				
Autism	1	50.0	1	50.0
Traumatic Brain Injury				
Developmental Delay	1	7.1	0	0.0

Note. Data only reflects the Least Restrictive Environment codes reported to the Maryland State Department of Education.

Home School of Students Receiving Special Education Services**

Rachel Carson ES	73
Brown Station ES	3
Jones Lane ES	2
Fields Road ES	1
Ronald McNair ES	1
Stone Mill ES	1
Travilah ES	1

Students in Attendance Area Sent to Schools Outside Attendance Area**

Dufief ES	3
Jones Lane ES	3
Thurgood Marshall ES	3
Ashburton ES	2
Fields Road ES	2
Germantown ES	2
Carl Sandburg Center	2
Lucy V. Barnsley ES	1
Flower Valley ES	1
Fox Chapel ES	1
Great Seneca Creek ES	1
Longview	1
S. Christa McAuliffe ES	1
Rock Creek Valley ES	1
Stone Mill ES	1
Waters Landing ES	1
Watkins Mill ES	1
Whetstone ES	1

TerraNova Comprehensive Test of Basic Skills Second Edition (TN/2) (SPED)*

Subtest	Number Tested	% >= 50th NCE
Reading	22	45.5
Language	22	50.0
Mathematics	22	54.5
Language Mechanics	22	45.5
Mathematics Computation	22	72.7
Composite Index	22	50.0

Maryland School Assessments (SPED)*

Grade	Reading			Mathematics		
	Number Tested	Number Proficient	Percent Proficient	Number Tested	Number Proficient	Percent Proficient
3	17	11	64.7	17	13	76.4
4	15	10	66.6	15	8	53.3
5	24	19	79.2	24	15	62.5

Other Participation

SPED Attendance Rate* = 95.3%
SPED Mobility Rate (Entrants + Withdrawals)* = 12.0%

Special Education Suspensions*

Number of Incidents	Number of Students	Rate
7	4	3.4

Number of Special Education Teachers

4.5

Number of Special Education Paraeducators

4.2

Special Education Services

Elementary Home School Model

* 2009–2010 School Year Data

** Top 20 schools listed.

Note: Data not reported for fewer than five students. Enrollment figures reflect new USDE race codes with MSDE abbreviations: American Indian or Alaskan Native (AM) Asian (AS); Black or African American (BL); Hispanic/Latino (HI); Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander (PI); White (WH); Two or More (Multiple) Races (MU).