Rachel Carson Elementary School - #159

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

100 Tschiffely Square Road Gaithersburg, MD 20878
www.montgomeryschoolsmd.org/schools/rachelcarsones/

Office Phone: (301) 840-5333
Fax Number: (301) 840-5366
Cluster Name: Quince Orchard
Receiving Schools: Lakelands Park

2008-2009 Official School Enrollment = 838

% Female	% Male	% Afr Am	% Am Ind	% Asian	% Hisp	% White	% ESOL	% FARMS	% SPED
50.6	49.4	6.6	0.1	13.0	12.5	67.8	12.3	12.2	13.4

2008-2009 Students Receiving Special Education Services (as of 10/31/2008)

% Female	% Male	% Afr Am	% Am Ind	% Asian	% Hisp	% White	% ESOL	% FARMS
38.4	61.6	8.9	0.0	9.8	14.3	67.0	6.3	12.5

2008-2009 Total Elementary School Students Receiving Special Education Services = 6,585

% Female	% Male	% Afr Am	% Am Ind	% Asian	% Hisp	% White	% ESOL	% FARMS
30.5	69.5	26.0	0.4	9.8	23.7	40.1	15.2	34.3

	Number	Percent
Total SpEd Enrollment	112	
In home school	87	77.7
Not in home school	25	22.3
SpEd students living in attendance area	108	
Not in home school	21	19.4

Least Restrictive Environment (as of 10/31/2008)

Disability	In >= 80% (LRE A)		In < 40% (LRE C)	
	N	%	N	%
Mental Retardation	0	0.0	1	100.0
Hearing Impaired				
Deaf				
Speech/Language	37	72.5	1	2.0
Visually Impaired				
Emotionally Disturbed				
Orthopedically Impaired				
Health Impaired	10	58.8	2	11.8
Learning Disabilities	16	88.9	1	5.6
Multiple Disabilities				
Deaf/Blind				
Autism	3	23.1	7	53.8
Traumatic Brain Injury				
Developmental Delay	0	0.0	0	0.0

Home School of Students Receiving Special Education Services **

Rachel Carson ES	87
Diamond ES	7
Brown Station ES	5
Fields Road ES	4
Jones Lane ES	3
Poolesville ES	3
Great Seneca Creek ES	1
Monocacy ES	1
South Lake ES	1

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

Thurgood Marshall ES	6
Dufief ES	5
Diamond ES	3
Carl Sandburg Center	2
Flower Valley ES	1
Germantown ES	1
Strawberry Knoll ES	1
Summit Hall ES	1
Whetstone ES	1

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

Subtest	Number Tested	% >= 50th NCE
Reading	22	54.5
Language	22	40.9
Mathematics	22	59.1
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	20	15	75.0	20	13	65.0
4	19	17	89.5	19	16	84.2
5	27	18	66.6	27	19	70.4

Other Participation

SpEd Attendance Rate * = 95.7%
SpEd Mobility Rate (Entrants + Withdrawals) * = 12.1%

Special Education Suspensions *

Number of Incidents	Number of Students	Rate
4	1	0.9

Number of Special Education Teachers

8.0

Number of Special Education Paraeducators

4.4

Special Education Services

Elementary Learning Center
Elementary Home School Model

*** 2007-2008 School Year Data**

**** Top 20 schools listed.**