



MONTGOMERY COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

At a Glance

Our school system

- 151,289 students
- Largest school system in Maryland
- 17th largest school system in the United States
- 2010 Malcolm Baldrige National Quality Award recipient
- Students from 157 countries speaking 138 languages
- 202 schools
 - 132 elementary schools
 - 38 middle schools
 - 25 high schools
 - 1 career and technology center
 - 5 special schools
 - 1 charter school

Our students

- Demographics
 - 32.0 percent White
 - 27.4 percent Hispanic/Latino
 - 21.4 percent Black or African American
 - 14.4 percent Asian
 - < 5.0 percent Two or more races
 - < 5.0 percent American Indian or Alaskan Native
 - < 5.0 percent Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander
- Enrollment
 - Pre-K (including Head Start): 3,835
 - Elementary (K–5): 70,028
 - Middle (6–8): 32,467
 - High (9–12): 45,277
- Services
 - 13.3% participate in English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL)
 - 11.7% receive special education services
 - 34.3% participate in Free and Reduced-price Meals System (FARMS)
 - 43.3% have ever received FARMS
- Attendance
 - Grades 1–5 : 95.0%
 - Grades 6–8: 95.0%
 - Grades 9–12: 94.7%

- ❑ Performance
 - 87.4% graduation rate
 - 67.3% AP participation rate for class of 2012
 - 1648 average combined SAT score for class of 2013
 - 36 National Blue Ribbon Schools
 - More than \$288 million in scholarships for class of 2013

Our employees

- ❑ 22,597 employees
- ❑ 12,110 teachers
- ❑ 87.5 percent of teachers have a master's degree or equivalent
- ❑ 97.2 percent of core academic subjects are taught by teachers who are Highly Qualified

Transportation and meals

- ❑ 1,267 buses transport more than 100,000 students
- ❑ 15 million meals served

System resources

- ❑ \$2.23 billion FY 2014 Operating Budget
- ❑ Funding sources
 - Montgomery County: 65.7%
 - State education aid: 27.2%
 - Federal government grants: 3.0%
 - Enterprise funds: 2.6%
 - Fees, other sources: 1.4%
 - Special revenue fund: 0.1%
- ❑ Expenditures by category
 - Instruction: 80.4%
 - School support: 14.6%
 - Systemwide support: 2.3%
 - Food services/other: 2.7%

- ❑ \$251.6 million FY 2015 Capital Budget
- ❑ \$1.74 billion six-year Capital Improvements Program (FY 2015–2020)



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