



West Virginia Board of Education 2025-2026

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County Approval Status and Accreditation

To ensure each county board of education provides a thorough and efficient education for its students, the West Virginia Board of Education (WVBE) annually reviews county scorecards and efficiency profiles provided by the Office of Accountability. County statuses are reviewed and determined based on multiple measures of student performance and county operational efficiency.

The WVBE annually reviews the information submitted by the West Virginia Department of Education (WVDE) and issues approval statuses to each county board of education. As part of the West Virginia Accountability System (WVAS), outlined in WVBE Policy 2322: West Virginia System of Support and Accountability, county status is comprised of two accountability measures:

County Operational Effectiveness Indicators of Efficiency

- » Counties will receive a *Meets Requirements* or *Needs Assistance* rating on each of the 11 efficiency indicators.
- » A rating of **Needs Assistance** indicates the county, with assistance from the WVDE, must develop an action plan and monitor the plan's implementation.
- » Further corrective action may be taken based on the county's progress or lack of progress.

Efficiency Indicators

- » Career Technical Education
- » Child Nutrition
- » County Board of Education Member (CBEM) Effectiveness
- » ESEA Programs
- » Facilities
- » Finance

- » Personnel
- » Special Education
- » State Required Data Collections
- » Transportation
- » Universal Pre-K Readiness

West Virginia Balanced Scorecard Indicators of Student Performance and Success

- » In 2025, counties will be identified as **On Watch, Support**, or **Intensive Support** for each indicator based on three consecutive years of data.
- » A county-level indicator that **Does Not Meet Standard** is designated as **On Watch**.
- » A county-level indicator that **Does Not Meet Standard** and does not show improvement for **TWO** consecutive years will result in the county being designated **Support** for that indicator.
- » A county-level indicator that **Does Not Meet Standard** and does not show improvement for **THREE** consecutive years will result in the county being designated *Intensive Support* for that indicator.
- » For the ELA and Math Achievement indicators, improvement is defined as being **Partially Meets Standard** or above in the corresponding progress indicator. For all other indicators, improvement is defined as progress on an indicator from one year to the next.
- » Any indicator not listed as **On Watch, Support,** or **Intensive Support** received **Partially Meets Standard** or above and is considered **Fully Approved**.

Balanced Scorecard Indicators

- » ELA Achievement
- » Math Achievement
- » ELA Progress
- » Math Progress
- » English Learners Progress
- » Attendance

- » Behavior
- » Graduation Rate 4-Year
- » Graduation Rate 5-Year
- » On-Track to Graduation
- » Post-Secondary Achievement

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Barbour	Met requirements for all indicators.	No On Watch indicators identified.	Attendance On-Track to Graduation	· Math Achievement	
Berkeley	Special Education	No On Watch indicators identified.	· Attendance	Math AchievementPost-SecondaryAchievement	
Boone*	CBEM EffectivenessFacilitiesFinanceTransportation	AttendanceMath Progress	No Support indicators identified.	Math Achievement On-Track to Graduation	
Braxton	Met requirements for all indicators.	· Math Achievement	No Support indicators identified.	No <i>Intensive Support</i> indicators identified.	
Brooke	Met requirements for all indicators.	No On Watch indicators identified.	Attendance On-Track to Graduation	No <i>Intensive Support</i> indicators identified.	
Cabell	• Transportation	No On Watch indicators identified.	· Attendance	• On-Track to Graduation	

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	Calhoun	• ESEA Programs	No On Watch indicators identified.	• On-Track to Graduation	No Intensive Support indicators identified.
	Clay	Met requirements for all indicators.	· Attendance · Math Progress	No Support indicators identified.	· Math Achievement
	Doddridge	Met requirements for all indicators.	• ELA Progress	No <i>Support</i> indicators identified.	No <i>Intensive Support</i> indicators identified.
	Fayette	Met requirements for all indicators.	• On-Track to Graduation	No <i>Support</i> indicators identified.	· Math Achievement
	Gilmer	Met requirements for all indicators.	• Attendance	No <i>Support</i> indicators identified.	No <i>Intensive Support</i> indicators identified.
	Grant	Transportation	• Attendance	No Support indicators identified.	No <i>Intensive Support</i> indicators identified.

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Greenbrier	• CBEM Effectiveness	Math AchievementPost-SecondaryAchievement	• Attendance	No <i>Intensive Support</i> indicators identified.
Hampshire	Met requirements for all indicators.	No On Watch indicators identified.	No Support indicators identified.	No <i>Intensive Support</i> indicators identified.
Hancock	CBEM Effectiveness Finance Transportation	No On Watch indicators identified.	No Support indicators identified.	Post-Secondary Achievement
Hardy	Transportation	· Math Achievement	No Support indicators identified.	No <i>Intensive Support</i> indicators identified.
Harrison	Met requirements for all indicators.	• Attendance	No Support indicators identified.	No <i>Intensive Support</i> indicators identified.
Jackson	Transportation	No On Watch indicators identified.	No Support indicators identified.	No <i>Intensive Support</i> indicators identified.

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Jefferson	Transportation	No On Watch indicators identified.	• English Learner Progress	Post-Secondary Achievement
Kanawha	Transportation	• On-Track to Graduation	• Attendance	No <i>Intensive Support</i> indicators identified.
Lewis	• ESEA Programs • Finance	• ELA Achievement	Attendance Math Achievement	No <i>Intensive Support</i> indicators identified.
Lincoln	Met requirements for all indicators.	 Graduation Rate 4-Year Math Achievement On-Track to Graduation	• Attendance	No <i>Intensive Support</i> indicators identified.
Logan*	CBEM EffectivenessChild NutritionFacilitiesTransportation	No On Watch indicators identified.	AttendancePost-SecondaryAchievement	Math Achievement On-Track to Graduation
Marion	Met requirements for all indicators.	 Post-Secondary Achievement 	No Support indicators identified.	No <i>Intensive Support</i> indicators identified.

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	Marshall	Met requirements for all indicators.	No On Watch indicators identified.	• Attendance	No <i>Intensive Support</i> indicators identified.	
_	Mason	Met requirements for all indicators.	· Math Achievement	No Support indicators identified.	No <i>Intensive Support</i> indicators identified.	
	McDowell	• Special Education	• ELA Achievement	• Attendance	Math AchievementMath ProgressOn-Track to Graduation	
_	Mercer	Met requirements for all indicators.	· Attendance	No Support indicators identified.	No <i>Intensive Support</i> indicators identified.	
	Mineral	• ESEA Programs	No On Watch indicators identified.	• Math Achievement	No <i>Intensive Support</i> indicators identified.	
-	Mingo*	CBEM Effectiveness Facilities	AttendanceOn-Track to Graduation	• Math Achievement	No <i>Intensive Support</i> indicators identified.	

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Monongalia	Met requirements for all indicators.	 Post-Secondary Achievement 	No Support indicators identified.	No Intensive Support indicators identified.	
Monroe	Met requirements for all indicators.	AttendanceMath Achievement	No <i>Support</i> indicators identified.	No <i>Intensive Support</i> indicators identified.	
Morgan	Met requirements for all indicators.	 Post-Secondary Achievement 	• Attendance	No Intensive Support indicators identified.	
Nicholas*	CBEM Effectiveness Transportation	• On-Track to Graduation	Attendance Math Achievement	No Intensive Support indicators identified.	
Ohio	Met requirements for all indicators.	No On Watch indicators identified.	No Support indicators identified.	No <i>Intensive Support</i> indicators identified.	
Pendelton	Met requirements for all indicators.	No On Watch indicators identified.	 Post-Secondary Achievement 	No <i>Intensive Support</i> indicators identified.	

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Pleasants	Met requirements for all indicators.	· Math Achievement	No Support indicators identified.	No <i>Intensive Support</i> indicators identified.	
Pocahontas	· Special Education	No On Watch indicators identified.	No <i>Support</i> indicators identified.	• Attendance	
Preston	· Transportation	· Math Achievement	No <i>Support</i> indicators identified.	No Intensive Support indicators identified.	
Putnam	· Transportation	No On Watch indicators identified.	No <i>Support</i> indicators identified.	No Intensive Support indicators identified.	
Raleigh	Met requirements for all indicators.	No On Watch indicators identified.	• Attendance	No <i>Intensive Support</i> indicators identified.	
Randolph	FinanceTransportation	• ELA Achievement	· Math Progress	· Math Achievement	

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Ritchie	• ESEA Programs • Transportation	No On Watch indicators identified.	No Support indicators identified.	No <i>Intensive Support</i> indicators identified.
Roane	• Finance	· Math Achievement	No <i>Support</i> indicators identified.	No <i>Intensive Support</i> indicators identified.
Summers	· CTE	AttendanceELA AchievementMath AchievementOn-Track to Graduation	No <i>Support</i> indicators identified.	No <i>Intensive Support</i> indicators identified.
Taylor	Met requirements for all indicators.	No On Watch indicators identified.	• Math Achievement	No Intensive Support indicators identified.
Tucker	Transportation	No On Watch indicators identified.	• Math Progress	· Math Achievement
Tyler*	· CBEM Effectiveness	No On Watch indicators identified.	No Support indicators identified.	No Intensive Support indicators identified.

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Upshur*	CBEM Effectiveness Finance	· On-Track to Graduation	Attendance Math Achievement	No <i>Intensive Support</i> indicators identified.
Wayne	Transportation	· Attendance	No Support indicators identified.	No Intensive Support indicators identified.
Webster	Met requirements for all indicators.	• Math Progress	• Math Achievement	• Attendance
Wetzel	Met requirements for all indicators.	No On Watch indicators identified.	• Attendance	No <i>Intensive Support</i> indicators identified.
Wirt	Met requirements for all indicators.	AttendanceOn-Track to Graduation	No Support indicators identified.	No <i>Intensive Support</i> indicators identified.
Wood	Met requirements for all indicators.	AttendanceEnglish Learner ProgressOn-Track to Graduation	No Support indicators identified.	No Intensive Support indicators identified.
Wyoming	· Transportation	AttendanceMath Achievement	No Support indicators identified.	No <i>Intensive Support</i> indicators identified.

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CHARTER	Needs Assistance Indicators	On Watch Indicators	Support Indicators	Intensive Support Indicators
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Clarksburg Classical Academy	Charter Public Schools are accountable for West Virginia Balanced Scorecard Indicators of Student Performance and Success. County Operational Effectiveness Indicators of Efficiency do not apply.	• ELA Achievement	No Support indicators identified.**	No <i>Intensive Support</i> indicators identified.†
Eastern Panhandle Preparatory Academy		· Attendance	No Support indicators identified.	No <i>Intensive Support</i> indicators identified.†
Virtual Prep Academy of West Virginia		AttendanceOn-Track to Graduation	ELA AchievementMath Achievement	No <i>Intensive Support</i> indicators identified.†
WIN Academy		The testing data reported for WIN Academy did not meet cell size requirements and is therefore excluded.		
West Virginia Academy		No On Watch indicators identified.	No Support indicators identified.	No <i>Intensive Support</i> indicators identified.
West Virginia Virtual Academy		Math AchievementOn-Track to Graduation	• ELA Achievement	No <i>Intensive Support</i> indicators identified.†

^{*}The WVBE voted to immediately intervene in the operation of these counties as per W. Va. Code §18-2E-5 and has therefore issued a non-approval status until acceptable progress is demonstrated.

^{**}No Support indicators can be identified until there are two years of reported data for public charter schools.

[†] No Intensive Support indicators can be identified until there are three years of reported data for public charter schools.



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