

Table 12. Public High School Enrollment (Grades 9-12), By Jurisdiction, Actual (2022) & Projected (2023-2032)*

State/Region/Jurisdiction	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032	Peak Year*
MARYLAND	<u>276,229</u>	<u>280,680</u>	284,910	<u>281,940</u>	<u>276,180</u>	<u>274,640</u>	<u>275,450</u>	<u>274,960</u>	<u>277,610</u>	<u>279,030</u>	<u>279,490</u>	<u>2024</u>
Baltimore Region	<u>120,341</u>	<u>122,620</u>	124,130	<u>122,680</u>	<u>120,220</u>	<u>119,120</u>	<u>119,550</u>	<u>119,690</u>	<u>120,850</u>	<u>122,020</u>	<u>122,340</u>	<u>2024</u>
Anne Arundel County	25,581	26,130	26,730	26,410	25,900	25,650	25,610	25,590	25,810	26,160	26,230	2024
Baltimore County	34,656	35,110	35,550	34,700	33,640	32,930	33,060	33,270	33,650	34,310	34,730	2024
Carroll County	8,123	8,220	8,160	8,040	8,010	8,130	8,350	8,510	8,730	8,710	8,720	2030
Harford County	11,703	11,830	11,740	11,600	11,440	11,300	11,460	11,560	11,760	11,920	11,990	2032
Howard County	18,416	18,590	18,780	18,920	18,830	19,160	19,490	19,690	20,070	20,380	20,420	2032
Baltimore City	21,862	22,740	23,170	23,010	22,400	21,950	21,580	21,070	20,830	20,540	20,250	2024
Washington Suburban Region	<u>106,414</u>	<u>108,080</u>	110,620	<u>109,970</u>	<u>107,860</u>	<u>107,600</u>	<u>107,890</u>	<u>107,510</u>	<u>108,730</u>	<u>108,790</u>	<u>108,900</u>	<u>2024</u>
Frederick County	14,668	15,080	15,140	15,020	14,950	14,950	15,150	15,320	15,750	15,740	15,640	2030
Montgomery County	52,119	52,580	54,150	53,780	52,960	52,960	53,170	53,130	53,410	53,460	53,370	2024
Prince George's County	39,627	40,420	41,330	41,170	39,950	39,690	39,570	39,060	39,570	39,590	39,890	2024
Southern Maryland	<u>19,742</u>	<u>19,850</u>	20,070	<u>19,640</u>	<u>19,370</u>	<u>19,410</u>	<u>19,530</u>	<u>19,550</u>	<u>19,600</u>	<u>19,750</u>	<u>19,770</u>	<u>2024</u>
Calvert County	5,049	4,980	4,950	4,970	4,890	4,960	5,060	5,000	5,050	5,160	5,180	2032
Charles County	9,193	9,390	9,540	9,320	9,330	9,350	9,360	9,390	9,340	9,450	9,510	2024
St. Mary's County	5,500	5,480	5,580	5,350	5,150	5,100	5,110	5,160	5,210	5,140	5,080	2024
Western Maryland	<u>10,346</u>	10,450	<u>10,400</u>	<u>10,240</u>	<u>9,980</u>	<u>9,960</u>	<u>9,990</u>	<u>9,900</u>	<u>9,950</u>	<u>9,940</u>	<u>9,880</u>	<u>2023</u>
Allegany County	2,401	2,450	2,440	2,440	2,420	2,380	2,370	2,350	2,320	2,360	2,360	2023
Garrett County	1,063	1,030	1,030	980	950	930	910	870	840	840	830	2022
Washington County	6,882	6,970	6,930	6,820	6,610	6,650	6,710	6,680	6,790	6,740	6,690	2023
Upper Eastern Shore	<u>10,899</u>	10,970	<u>10,800</u>	<u>10,600</u>	<u>10,220</u>	<u>10,020</u>	<u>9,980</u>	<u>9,870</u>	<u>9,890</u>	<u>9,960</u>	<u>10,060</u>	<u>2023</u>
Caroline County	1,775	1,780	1,790	1,740	1,680	1,710	1,660	1,670	1,640	1,590	1,630	2024
Cecil County	4,765	4,770	4,720	4,660	4,490	4,410	4,410	4,390	4,360	4,400	4,440	2023
Kent County	531	520	520	520	530	530	500	480	480	470	470	2022
Queen Anne's County	2,373	2,430	2,350	2,310	2,200	2,120	2,160	2,100	2,190	2,250	2,260	2023
Talbot County	1,455	1,470	1,420	1,370	1,320	1,250	1,250	1,230	1,220	1,250	1,260	2023
Lower Eastern Shore	<u>8,487</u>	<u>8,710</u>	8,890	<u>8,810</u>	<u>8,530</u>	<u>8,530</u>	<u>8,510</u>	<u>8,440</u>	<u>8,590</u>	<u>8,570</u>	<u>8,540</u>	<u>2024</u>
Dorchester County	1,356	1,390	1,380	1,330	1,250	1,240	1,260	1,240	1,290	1,260	1,270	2023
Somerset County	741	780	770	800	740	760	770	760	770	750	740	2025
Wicomico County	4,240	4,390	4,530	4,450	4,330	4,340	4,260	4,250	4,260	4,240	4,260	2024
Worcester County	2,150	2,150	2,210	2,230	2,210	2,190	2,220	2,190	2,270	2,320	2,270	2031
	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032	Peak Year*

*Numbers in bold indicate year(s) with high enrollment.

Source: Maryland Department of Education (2023).

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