

Table 1. Summary of Historical and Projected Public School Enrollment for Maryland

Enrollment by School Type for Selected Years

School	Actual 2008	Actual 2013	Actual 2018	Projected 2023	Projected 2028	Peak Year	Peak Total
Total Enrollment (K-12)	816,963	835,957	865,491	891,360	895,450	2028	895,450
Elementary (K-5)	362,424	395,542	402,282	396,220	404,990	2028	404,990
Middle (6-8)	187,150	186,971	201,817	204,970	204,930	2020	209,770
High (9-12)	267,389	253,444	261,392	290,170	285,530	2024	292,480

Change in Enrollment by School Type for Selected Years

School	2008 to 2013	2013 to 2018	2018 to 2023	2023 to 2028	2018 to 2028	Peak to 2028
Total Enrollment (K-12)	18,994	29,534	25,869	4,090	29,959	0
Elementary (K-5)	33,118	6,740	-6,062	8,770	2,708	0
Middle (6-8)	-179	14,846	3,153	-40	3,113	4,840
High (9-12)	-13,945	7,948	28,778	-4,640	24,138	6,950

Percent Change in Enrollment by School Type for Selected Years

School	2008 to 2013	2013 to 2018	2018 to 2023	2023 to 2028	2018 to 2028	Peak to 2028
Total Enrollment (K-12)	2.3%	3.5%	3.0%	0.5%	3.5%	0.0%
Elementary (K-5)	9.1%	1.7%	-1.5%	2.2%	0.7%	0.0%
Middle (6-8)	-0.1%	7.9%	1.6%	0.0%	1.5%	2.4%
High (9-12)	-5.2%	3.1%	11.0%	-1.6%	9.2%	2.4%

Source: Maryland Department of Education (2008, 2013 and 2018).

Enrollment numbers are rounded to nearest tenth.

Projections (2019-2028) prepared by the Maryland Department of Planning.