

Table 11. Cumulative Percent Change in Public Middle School Enrollment (Grades 6-8) from Actual (2018) & Projected (2019-2028)

State/Region/Jurisdiction	2018- 2019	2018- 2020	2018- 2021	2018- 2022	2018- 2023	2018- 2024	2018- 2025	2018- 2026	2018- 2027	2018- 2028
MARYLAND	<u>2.6%</u>	<u>3.9%</u>	<u>3.5%</u>	<u>2.4%</u>	<u>1.6%</u>	<u>0.9%</u>	<u>0.5%</u>	<u>1.0%</u>	<u>1.8%</u>	<u>1.5%</u>
Baltimore Region	<u>2.6%</u>	<u>4.1%</u>	<u>3.6%</u>	<u>2.4%</u>	<u>1.3%</u>	<u>0.8%</u>	<u>0.6%</u>	<u>1.3%</u>	<u>2.4%</u>	<u>1.9%</u>
Anne Arundel County	3.6%	6.0%	7.3%	7.5%	7.9%	7.1%	6.8%	7.2%	8.2%	8.5%
Baltimore County	2.7%	5.6%	5.6%	4.8%	3.2%	2.3%	2.3%	3.2%	4.2%	4.0%
Carroll County	-0.6%	-2.6%	-4.8%	-5.9%	-4.0%	-5.2%	-6.5%	-7.7%	-4.1%	-3.8%
Harford County	2.1%	1.4%	-0.6%	-3.0%	-4.0%	-4.6%	-4.6%	-4.0%	-2.9%	-4.8%
Howard County	3.7%	5.7%	6.1%	6.6%	7.7%	8.3%	8.2%	9.8%	12.1%	12.7%
Baltimore City	1.6%	2.5%	-0.3%	-4.7%	-9.1%	-9.4%	-9.8%	-8.6%	-9.6%	-11.7%
Washington Suburban Region	<u>2.9%</u>	<u>4.1%</u>	<u>4.2%</u>	<u>3.3%</u>	<u>2.4%</u>	<u>1.6%</u>	<u>1.2%</u>	<u>1.9%</u>	<u>2.6%</u>	<u>2.4%</u>
Frederick County	3.0%	2.4%	1.5%	1.6%	2.2%	1.0%	-0.7%	-1.6%	-0.3%	-0.6%
Montgomery County	2.7%	4.3%	4.5%	3.3%	2.5%	1.9%	2.0%	2.5%	2.8%	1.9%
Prince George's County	3.2%	4.5%	4.8%	3.7%	2.3%	1.3%	0.9%	2.4%	3.3%	4.1%
Southern Maryland	<u>2.2%</u>	<u>2.9%</u>	<u>2.2%</u>	<u>1.7%</u>	<u>3.1%</u>	<u>2.6%</u>	<u>2.0%</u>	<u>1.7%</u>	<u>2.5%</u>	<u>2.8%</u>
Calvert County	1.1%	0.3%	-1.3%	0.3%	0.5%	1.1%	-2.4%	-2.7%	-4.3%	-3.2%
Charles County	3.2%	4.3%	4.1%	2.1%	5.3%	4.5%	4.8%	2.7%	4.0%	4.9%
St. Mary's County	1.6%	3.1%	2.6%	2.6%	2.1%	1.1%	1.6%	4.3%	6.5%	5.1%
Western Maryland	<u>0.9%</u>	<u>0.1%</u>	<u>-1.8%</u>	<u>-2.2%</u>	<u>-1.7%</u>	<u>-2.2%</u>	<u>-2.0%</u>	<u>-2.8%</u>	<u>-2.8%</u>	<u>-4.5%</u>
Allegany County	3.1%	3.1%	4.2%	2.5%	2.5%	-0.2%	-0.2%	-3.9%	-5.0%	-7.2%
Garrett County	-2.8%	-6.1%	-7.3%	-8.4%	-5.0%	-7.3%	-7.3%	-7.3%	-5.0%	-2.8%
Washington County	0.7%	0.1%	-3.0%	-2.8%	-2.6%	-2.0%	-1.8%	-1.6%	-1.6%	-3.9%
Upper Eastern Shore	<u>2.4%</u>	<u>2.5%</u>	<u>0.8%</u>	<u>-1.7%</u>	<u>-2.7%</u>	<u>-3.4%</u>	<u>-6.6%</u>	<u>-8.0%</u>	<u>-7.4%</u>	<u>-4.8%</u>
Caroline County	5.6%	4.1%	1.8%	-0.5%	0.3%	-2.0%	-5.0%	-3.5%	-3.5%	-3.5%
Cecil County	1.8%	2.6%	-0.2%	-2.2%	-3.9%	-4.1%	-10.0%	-10.9%	-11.4%	-6.1%
Kent County	3.4%	-3.8%	1.0%	-1.4%	-3.8%	-6.3%	-8.7%	-8.7%	-13.5%	-15.9%
Queen Anne's County	1.0%	2.1%	0.4%	-1.2%	-3.4%	-2.9%	-4.6%	-6.8%	-2.9%	-2.3%
Talbot County	2.5%	3.4%	3.4%	-2.5%	-0.5%	-2.5%	0.5%	-5.4%	-3.4%	-1.5%
Lower Eastern Shore	<u>3.7%</u>	<u>7.8%</u>	<u>6.7%</u>	<u>4.3%</u>	<u>1.3%</u>	<u>-0.3%</u>	<u>-0.6%</u>	<u>-0.4%</u>	<u>1.0%</u>	<u>-0.6%</u>
Dorchester County	4.3%	6.1%	4.3%	-2.1%	-6.6%	-3.0%	2.4%	7.0%	7.0%	1.5%
Somerset County	2.1%	3.7%	5.3%	5.3%	0.5%	3.7%	3.7%	5.3%	5.3%	2.1%
Wicomico County	4.9%	10.1%	8.5%	5.3%	1.7%	-2.5%	-4.2%	-4.8%	-1.2%	-0.6%
Worcester County	1.3%	6.0%	5.3%	6.7%	6.7%	4.7%	2.7%	0.7%	-0.7%	-3.3%

Source: Maryland Department of Education (2018).

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