

Table 5. Cumulative Percent Change in Total Public School Enrollment (Grades K-12), by Jurisdiction, Actual (2019) & Projected (2020-2029)*

State/Region/Jurisdiction	2019-2020	2019-2021	2019-2022	2019-2023	2019-2024	2019-2025	2019-2026	2019-2027	2019-2028	2019-2029
MARYLAND	<u>1.1%</u>	<u>2.1%</u>	<u>2.9%</u>	<u>3.0%</u>	<u>3.2%</u>	<u>3.1%</u>	<u>3.0%</u>	<u>3.1%</u>	<u>3.3%</u>	<u>3.5%</u>
Baltimore Region	<u>1.1%</u>	<u>2.0%</u>	<u>2.6%</u>	<u>2.6%</u>	<u>2.8%</u>	<u>2.7%</u>	<u>2.6%</u>	<u>2.6%</u>	<u>2.8%</u>	<u>2.9%</u>
Anne Arundel County	1.7%	3.0%	4.2%	5.0%	5.6%	5.9%	6.2%	6.5%	6.7%	7.0%
Baltimore County	1.0%	1.7%	2.3%	2.3%	3.0%	3.3%	3.8%	3.8%	4.2%	4.5%
Carroll County	0.3%	0.2%	-0.5%	-0.4%	0.3%	0.8%	1.3%	2.7%	3.9%	5.2%
Harford County	1.1%	1.8%	2.1%	2.3%	1.5%	1.1%	0.4%	0.1%	0.2%	0.1%
Howard County	1.7%	3.5%	4.9%	5.9%	6.8%	7.4%	7.8%	8.5%	9.2%	9.8%
Baltimore City	0.1%	0.7%	0.5%	-0.9%	-2.3%	-3.9%	-5.5%	-7.0%	-7.8%	-8.7%
Washington Suburban Region	<u>1.3%</u>	<u>2.7%</u>	<u>3.9%</u>	<u>4.2%</u>	<u>4.5%</u>	<u>4.6%</u>	<u>4.5%</u>	<u>4.5%</u>	<u>4.6%</u>	<u>4.8%</u>
Frederick County	2.0%	2.4%	3.0%	3.1%	3.5%	3.6%	3.7%	4.2%	4.8%	5.5%
Montgomery County	1.4%	3.0%	4.1%	4.4%	4.7%	4.7%	4.5%	4.4%	4.4%	4.3%
Prince George's County	1.0%	2.6%	4.0%	4.3%	4.6%	4.7%	4.6%	4.7%	4.8%	5.1%
Southern Maryland	<u>0.7%</u>	<u>1.0%</u>	<u>1.5%</u>	<u>1.5%</u>	<u>1.7%</u>	<u>1.8%</u>	<u>2.0%</u>	<u>2.5%</u>	<u>3.1%</u>	<u>3.6%</u>
Calvert County	0.5%	-0.2%	0.2%	0.2%	0.2%	0.1%	0.2%	0.6%	1.4%	1.2%
Charles County	1.0%	1.9%	2.9%	3.3%	3.8%	4.1%	4.4%	5.1%	5.8%	6.6%
St. Mary's County	0.4%	0.7%	0.7%	-0.3%	-0.2%	-0.3%	-0.3%	0.1%	0.5%	1.2%
Western Maryland	<u>0.4%</u>	<u>0.5%</u>	<u>0.3%</u>	<u>0.1%</u>	<u>-0.1%</u>	<u>-0.5%</u>	<u>-0.4%</u>	<u>-0.2%</u>	<u>0.5%</u>	<u>1.1%</u>
Allegany County	0.2%	0.1%	-0.5%	-0.3%	-0.4%	-0.4%	-0.3%	-0.2%	0.2%	0.6%
Garrett County	0.6%	0.6%	1.1%	0.3%	0.3%	-0.2%	0.6%	0.6%	0.9%	1.4%
Washington County	0.4%	0.6%	0.4%	0.2%	-0.1%	-0.6%	-0.6%	-0.3%	0.5%	1.2%
Upper Eastern Shore	<u>0.3%</u>	<u>0.4%</u>	0.9%	<u>0.8%</u>	<u>0.5%</u>	<u>0.3%</u>	<u>-0.2%</u>	<u>-0.1%</u>	<u>0.4%</u>	<u>0.6%</u>
Caroline County	0.4%	0.8%	1.3%	1.9%	0.8%	-0.7%	-1.8%	-2.1%	-2.9%	-4.1%
Cecil County	0.2%	0.6%	1.1%	0.9%	0.9%	0.3%	-0.3%	-0.4%	-0.1%	-0.2%
Kent County	0.5%	-0.6%	-1.7%	-4.5%	-6.7%	-6.2%	-5.6%	-5.1%	-5.1%	-2.8%
Queen Anne's County	0.1%	0.3%	1.0%	0.7%	0.9%	2.1%	1.9%	2.7%	4.7%	5.9%
Talbot County	0.9%	0.2%	0.4%	1.3%	1.3%	0.9%	0.6%	0.2%	0.6%	1.3%
Lower Eastern Shore	<u>1.0%</u>	<u>2.0%</u>	<u>2.4%</u>	<u>2.8%</u>	<u>3.1%</u>	<u>3.0%</u>	<u>2.5%</u>	<u>2.6%</u>	<u>2.7%</u>	<u>3.4%</u>
Dorchester County	1.0%	3.6%	3.2%	4.3%	4.5%	5.9%	6.1%	7.9%	9.7%	11.4%
Somerset County	1.1%	3.0%	1.5%	1.9%	1.1%	1.5%	1.5%	2.2%	2.2%	4.5%
Wicomico County	1.3%	1.9%	2.8%	3.1%	3.5%	3.1%	2.1%	1.7%	1.3%	1.8%
Worcester County	0.6%	0.9%	1.6%	1.2%	1.9%	1.2%	1.2%	1.2%	1.1%	0.8%

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

Source: Maryland Department of Education (2019).

Projections (2020-2029) from the Maryland Department of Planning.