

Table 12. Public High School Enrollment (Grades 9-12), By Jurisdiction, Actual (2024) & Projected (2025-2034)*

State/Region/Jurisdiction	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032	2033	2034	Peak Year*
MARYLAND	<u>277,989</u>	<u>276,530</u>	<u>274,780</u>	<u>274,090</u>	<u>274,190</u>	<u>275,160</u>	<u>279,510</u>	<u>281,960</u>	<u>282,410</u>	<u>285,870</u>	285,880	<u>2034</u>
Baltimore Region	<u>120,762</u>	<u>119,450</u>	<u>117,770</u>	<u>116,890</u>	<u>116,980</u>	<u>117,120</u>	<u>119,220</u>	<u>120,690</u>	<u>120,840</u>	<u>121,980</u>	122,110	<u>2034</u>
Anne Arundel County	26,381	26,220	26,190	25,850	25,840	25,880	26,090	26,240	26,080	26,400	26,410	2034
Baltimore County	34,310	33,740	33,250	33,000	32,340	32,290	32,700	33,120	33,230	33,590	33,850	2024
Carroll County	8,085	8,160	8,090	8,190	8,410	8,610	8,850	8,940	8,980	8,970	8,960	2032
Harford County	11,553	11,410	11,350	11,180	11,450	11,540	11,760	12,060	11,950	12,120	12,070	2033
Howard County	18,428	18,480	18,430	18,660	18,990	19,180	19,650	19,900	20,090	20,220	20,040	2033
Baltimore City	22,005	21,440	20,460	20,010	19,950	19,620	20,170	20,430	20,510	20,680	20,780	2024
Washington Suburban Region	<u>107,735</u>	<u>108,020</u>	<u>108,600</u>	<u>108,980</u>	<u>109,150</u>	<u>110,030</u>	<u>111,810</u>	<u>112,640</u>	<u>112,660</u>	114,420	<u>114,100</u>	<u>2033</u>
Frederick County	15,101	15,120	15,080	15,180	15,430	15,750	16,370	16,730	16,950	17,220	17,200	2033
Montgomery County	52,150	52,110	52,620	52,610	52,540	52,980	53,700	53,760	53,410	54,000	53,900	2033
Prince George's County	40,484	40,790	40,900	41,190	41,180	41,300	41,740	42,150	42,300	43,200	43,000	2033
Southern Maryland	<u>19,614</u>	<u>19,350</u>	<u>19,300</u>	<u>19,290</u>	<u>19,360</u>	<u>19,500</u>	<u>19,670</u>	<u>19,920</u>	<u>20,000</u>	<u>20,260</u>	20,560	<u>2034</u>
Calvert County	4,837	4,840	4,760	4,780	4,790	4,710	4,720	4,710	4,640	4,630	4,710	2025
Charles County	9,436	9,250	9,360	9,370	9,380	9,540	9,660	9,910	10,110	10,420	10,570	2034
St. Mary's County	5,341	5,260	5,180	5,140	5,190	5,250	5,290	5,300	5,250	5,210	5,280	2024
Western Maryland	<u>10,372</u>	<u>10,310</u>	<u>10,210</u>	<u>10,160</u>	<u>10,140</u>	<u>10,090</u>	<u>10,180</u>	<u>10,220</u>	<u>10,370</u>	<u>10,570</u>	10,590	<u>2034</u>
Allegany County	2,417	2,420	2,410	2,360	2,330	2,280	2,240	2,270	2,270	2,380	2,400	2025
Garrett County	1,020	980	960	930	910	890	880	850	850	830	830	2024
Washington County	6,935	6,910	6,840	6,870	6,900	6,920	7,060	7,100	7,250	7,360	7,360	2033
Upper Eastern Shore	<u>10,640</u>	<u>10,430</u>	<u>10,140</u>	<u>10,080</u>	<u>9,960</u>	<u>9,890</u>	<u>9,940</u>	<u>9,930</u>	<u>9,910</u>	<u>10,000</u>	<u>10,020</u>	<u>2024</u>
Caroline County	1,766	1,720	1,660	1,660	1,660	1,670	1,660	1,610	1,630	1,650	1,640	2024
Cecil County	4,630	4,580	4,490	4,480	4,380	4,350	4,350	4,340	4,340	4,360	4,390	2024
Kent County	511	490	480	480	460	450	450	440	440	450	460	2024
Queen Anne's County	2,298	2,260	2,170	2,150	2,180	2,170	2,220	2,230	2,210	2,240	2,180	2024
Talbot County	1,435	1,380	1,340	1,310	1,280	1,250	1,260	1,310	1,290	1,300	1,350	2024
Lower Eastern Shore	<u>8,866</u>	8,970	<u>8,760</u>	<u>8,690</u>	<u>8,600</u>	<u>8,530</u>	<u>8,690</u>	<u>8,560</u>	<u>8,630</u>	<u>8,640</u>	<u>8,500</u>	<u>2025</u>
Dorchester County	1,337	1,320	1,280	1,280	1,250	1,240	1,290	1,220	1,270	1,280	1,260	2024
Somerset County	777	810	770	790	780	810	820	810	780	750	720	2030
Wicomico County	4,525	4,550	4,470	4,410	4,350	4,330	4,390	4,410	4,460	4,460	4,440	2025
Worcester County	2,227	2,290	2,240	2,210	2,220	2,150	2,190	2,120	2,120	2,150	2,080	2025
	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032	2033	2034	Peak Year*

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

Source: Maryland Department of Education (2024).

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