On November 25, 1996 the Board of Education established the Northeast Consortium (Resolution No. 799-96) and on March 22, 2000, the Downcounty Consortium (Resolution No. 302-00). Pursuant to the interests of the Board of Education, the superintendent directed MCPS staff to analyze student access to countywide and regional high school interest and criteria-based programs throughout the school district. Based on that analysis, the superintendent directed the development of a regional program delivery model to expand equitable access and reduce scarcity and geographic barriers, with implementation in alignment with implementation of the concurrent high school boundary studies. Beginning In the 2027-2028 school year, MCPS will be organized Into six geographic regions. Each region contains four to five high school clusters and will offer a range of academic programs aligned to student Interests and future opportunities, allowing more students to participate in specialized programs closer to home. Region boundaries were informed by transportation patterns, student demographics, and current program enrollment. Asset mapping was used to identify existing resources across schools, including theme-related Career and Technical Education pathways, fine arts facilities, regional and countywide programs, and less commonly taught language programs.

The Board of Education took action on March 26, 2026 to discontinue the Northeast and Downcounty Consortia school assignment processes effective with current Grade 7 students entering high school in the 2027-2028 school year. Students who are assigned through these Consortia prior to the 2027-2028 school year may continue in their assigned or selected program through graduation. In essence the new regional model will replace the consortia model and will serve students countywide.

CONSORTIUM PLANNING ISSUES

The Downcounty Consortium currently provides a program delivery model for five high schools in the Silver Spring and Wheaton areas. Students living in this area of the county are able to choose which school they wish to attend from the five high schools, based on different academy programs offered at each of the high schools. The Downcounty Consortium choice model is offered at Montgomery Blair, Albert Einstein, John F. Kennedy, Northwood, and Wheaton high schools. Choice patterns are monitored for the impact on projected enrollment and facility utilization.

Elementary and secondary school service area maps are included in Appendix V for the five consortium high schools. The articulation patterns for the schools are shown below in this section. Students who reside in a base area are guaranteed to attend the high school serving that base area, if it is their first choice. As noted at the beginning of Chapter 4, the Downcounty Consortium will be phased out and replaced by the new regional model.

Planning Issue: The Downcounty Consortium includes land-use plans that will add a large number of multi-family housing units in the future. It is anticipated that each of these plans will take 20–30 years to build-out, and the pace of construction will be market driven. The following is a brief description of each plan.

The Eastern Silver Spring Communities Plan is currently in the preliminary recommendations phase. The working draft will be presented to the Planning Board in fall 2026 with final adoption of the plan and sectional map amendment in fall 2027.

The Wheaton Plan: A Georgia Avenue Community Plan recently kicked off. Its preliminary recommendations will be shared in summer 2027 and the plan is slated for fall 2028 approval from the County Council.

The Silver Spring Downtown and Adjacent Communities Plan was adopted June 2022. This plan will allow for an additional 11,000 multifamily high-rise units. Additional information can be found at the following link: *https://montgomeryplanning.org/planning/communities/east-county/silver-spring/silver-spring-downtown-plan/*

Planning Issue: On March 28, 2023, the Board of Education approved the boundary study scope to create the service area for the reopening of Charles W. Woodward High School. The scope of the boundary study included the following high schools: Bethesda Chevy-Chase, Montgomery Blair, Albert Einstein, Walter Johnson, John F. Kennedy, Northwood, Wheaton, and Walt Whitman. The scope also included the following middle schools: Argyle, Eastern, A. Mario Loiederman, Newport Mill, North Bethesda, Parkland, Thomas W. Pyle, Odessa Shannon, Silver Creek, Silver Spring International, Sligo, Takoma Park, Tilden, and Westland. No elementary schools were included in the boundary study.

As part of the adopted FY 2025–2030 CIP, the completion date for the Northwood High School project was delayed one-year due to an extension of the construction timeline. As a result of Northwood High School remaining at Charles W. Woodward High School, its holding facility, for one additional year, the completion date for the reopening of Charles W. Woodward High School is August 2027. On March 19, 2024, the Board of Education adopted a revised timeline for the boundary study.

The Board of Education took action on March 26, 2026 to approve the boundaries which will begin implementation in the 2027-2028 school year, corresponding with the reopening date of Charles W. Woodward HS and completion date of the Northwood High School classroom addition and facility upgrades.

The approved boundary study is available on the MCPS website at the following link: *www.montgomeryschoolsmd.org/departments/facilities/boundary-study/*

Due to declining enrollment the Board of Education on March 26, 2026 approved a study for consolidation and closure along with a countywide elementary school boundary study along with any impacted middle schools for implementation in the 2029-2030 school year.

SCHOOLS

To address the urgent space needs at the Downcounty Consortium high schools and Walter Johnson High School, several high school projects were approved, that include an addition and facility upgrades to Northwood High School and the reopening of Charles W. Woodward High School. An FY 2019 appropriation was approved to begin planning that will provide the instructional support spaces needed for 2,260 students at Northwood High School.

An FY 2021 appropriation was approved to begin the architectural design for the Northwood High School project. An FY 2022 appropriation was approved to continue the construction for the reopening of Charles W. Woodward High School. An FY 2023 appropriation was requested for construction cost increases and construction funds for the Northwood High School project and an FY 2023 appropriation was requested for construction cost increases and for the balance of funds for the reopening of the Charles W. Woodward High School projects. While the additional expenditures were approved, due to fiscal constraints, the County Council, in the adopted FY 2023–2028 CIP, delayed the Northwood High School project and the reopening of Charles W. Woodward High School by one year. An FY 2024 appropriation was approved for construction funds and construction cost increases for Northwood High School and construction cost increases for the reopening of Charles W. Woodward High School.

As part of the adopted FY 2025–2030 CIP, the completion date for the Northwood High School project was delayed one-year due to an extension of the construction timeline. Therefore, the completion date for Northwood High School is August 2027. As a result of Northwood High School remaining at Charles W. Woodward High School, its holding facility, for one additional year, the approved completion date for the reopening of Charles W. Woodward High School is August 2027.

Montgomery Blair High School

Capital Project: See text under Consortium Planning Issues.

Albert Einstein High School

Capital Project: See text under Consortium Planning Issues.

Downcounty Consortium Articulation

2025–2026 School Year

Middle Schools articulating to High Schools within the consortium

Mongtomery Blair HS	Albert Einstein HS	John F. Kennedy HS	Northwood HS	Wheaton HS
Eastern MS Silver Spring International MS Takoma Park MS	Newport Mill MS Sligo MS	Argyle MS Parkland MS Odessa Shannon MS	Odessa Shannon MS Silver Spring International MS Sligo MS	A. Mario Loiederman MS Parkland MS

Elementary Schools articulating to Middle Schools within the consortium of High Schools

Argyle MS*	Eastern MS	A. Mario Loiederman MS*	Newport Mill MS	Parkland MS*	Odessa Shannon MS	Silver Spring International MS	Sligo MS	Takoma Park MS
Middle School Magnet Consortium	Montgomery Knolls ES New Hampshire Estates ES Oak View ES Pine Crest ES	Middle School Magnet Consortium	Highland ES Oakland Terrace ES Rock View ES	Middle School Magnet Consortium	Arcola ES Glenallan ES Kemp Mill ES	Forest Knolls ES Highland View ES Rolling Terrace ES Sligo Creek ES	Glen Haven ES Flora M. Singer ES Woodlin ES	East Silver Spring ES Piney Branch ES Takoma Park ES

* Students living in the following elementary school service area are given the choice of one of the Middle School Magnet Consortium (MSMC): Bel Pre, Brookhaven, Georgian Forest, Harmony Hills, Sargent Shriver, Strathmore, Viers Mill, Weller Road, and Wheaton Woods elementary schools.
See Appendix V for multicolored maps of the service areas.

Downcounty Consortium Articulation

High School Base Areas

Montgomery Blair HS	Albert Einstein HS	John F. Kennedy HS	Northwood HS	Wheaton HS
East Silver Spring ES Forest Knolls ES* Montgomery Knolls ES New Hampshire Estates ES Oak View ES Pine Crest ES Piney Branch ES Rolling Terrace ES Sligo Creek ES* (eastern portion of service area) Takoma Park ES	Highland ES Oakland Terrace ES Rock View ES Flora M. Singer ES Woodlin ES	Bel Pre ES Georgian Forest ES Glenallan ES Harmony Hills ES* Strathmore ES	Arcola ES Forest Knolls ES* Glen Haven ES Highland View ES Kemp Mill ES Sligo Creek ES* (western portion of service area)	Brookhaven ES Harmony Hills ES* Sargent Shriver ES Viers Mill ES Weller Road ES Wheaton Woods ES

2025–2026 School Year

* These elementary schools articulate to one middle school, however, articulate to two different high schools.
See Appendix V for multicolored maps of the service areas.

John F. Kennedy High School
Capital Project: See text under Consortium Planning Issues.

Northwood High School
Planning Issue: See text under Consortium Planning Issues.

Capital Project: To address the urgent space needs in the Downcounty Consortium high schools, an FY 2019 appropriation was approved for planning for additional capacity and the instructional support spaces needed for 2260 students at Northwood High School. An FY 2023 appropriation was requested for construction cost increases and construction funds. While the additional expenditures were approved, due to fiscal constraints, the County Council, in the adopted FY 2023–2028 CIP delayed the completion date for this project by one year. An FY 2024 appropriation was approved for construction funds. As part of the adopted FY 2025–2030 CIP, the completion date for the Northwood High School project was delayed one-year due to an extension of the construction timeline. Therefore, the approved completion date for the addition/facility upgrade at Northwood High School is August 2027.

Wheaton High School
Planning Study: Projections indicate that enrollment will exceed 120 seats by the end of the six-year planning period. Therefore, enrollment will continue to be monitored.

Charles W. Woodward High School
Planning Issue: See text under Consortium Planning Issues.

Eastern Middle School
Planning Issue: See text under Consortium Planning Issues.

Capital Project: A replacement project is approved with a completion date of August 2030 for the building and August 2031 for the site. Students will remain on site in the existing building while the replacement school is being constructed on another part of the existing site.

A. Mario Loiederman Middle School
Planning Issue: See text under Consortium Planning Issues.

Newport Mill Middle School
Planning Study: Issue: See text under Consortium Planning Issues.

Parkland Middle School
Planning Issue: See text under Consortium Planning Issues.

Odessa Shannon Middle School
Planning Issue: See text under Consortium Planning Issues.

Silver Spring International Middle School
Planning Issue: See text under Consortium Planning Issues.

Sligo Middle School
Planning Issue: See text under Consortium Planning Issues.

Capital Project: A renewal and addition project was recommended to be completed in August 2031 however the project was not funded in the six year CIP.

Takoma Park Middle School
Planning Study: Issue: See text under Consortium Planning Issues.

Highland View Elementary School
Capital Project: A classroom addition project was scheduled to be completed August 2027 however the project was removed due to an increased scope. Highland View ES Is now recommended for a replacement project with a completion date of August 2031 however the project funding was shifted out by three years moving the completion date to August 2034.

Piney Branch Elementary School
Capital Project: Facility planning was completed during fiscal year 2025. Based on the ranking with the new CIP prioritization criteria the school was recommended for a replacement project to be completed in August 2031. However the project funding was shifted out by three years moving the completion date to August 2034.

Sligo Creek Elementary School
Capital Project: A replacement project was recommended to be completed in August 2029 however the project was not funded in the six year CIP.

MAJOR CAPITAL PROJECTS

School	Project	Project Status*	Date of Completion
Northwood HS	Classroom addition and Facility upgrades	Approved	August 2027
Eastern MS	Replacement	Approved	August 2030 for the building, August 2031 for the sitework
Highland View ES	Replacement	Delayed	August 2034
Piney Branch ES	Replacement	Delayed	August 2034

Approved—Project has an approved FY 2027 appropriation in the FY 2027–2032 CIP for planning or construction funds.

Delayed—Project completion date has shifted since Board of Education request.

Programmed—Project has expenditures programmed in a future year of the CIP for planning and/or construction funds.

Projected Enrollment and Space Availability

Effects of the Adopted FY2027 Capital Budget and the FY2027-2032 Capital Improvements Program

Schools		Official 25-26	Projections 26-27	27-28	28-29	29-30	30-31	31-32	2035	2040
Montgomery Blair HS	Program Capacity	2889	2889	2889	2889	2889	2889	2889	2889	2889
	Enrollment	**3196**	**3132**	**2578**	**2526**	**2581**	**2599**	**2584**	**2600**	**2600**
	Available Space	*(307)*	*(243)*	*311*	*363*	*308*	*290*	*305*	*289*	*289*
	Comments	See Text								
Albert Einstein HS	Program Capacity	1598	1598	1598	1598	1598	1598	1598	1598	1598
	Enrollment	**1917**	**1911**	**1486**	**1472**	**1442**	**1436**	**1444**	**1450**	**1450**
	Available Space	*(319)*	*(313)*	*112*	*126*	*156*	*162*	*154*	*148*	*148*
	Comments	See Text								
John F. Kennedy HS	Program Capacity	2186	2186	2186	2186	2186	2186	2186	2186	2186
	Enrollment	**1788**	**1755**	**1784**	**1765**	**1822**	**1831**	**1819**	**1830**	**1830**
	Available Space	*398*	*431*	*402*	*421*	*364*	*355*	*367*	*356*	*356*
	Comments	See Text								
Northwood HS	Program Capacity	1524	1524	2260	2260	2260	2260	2260	2260	2260
	Enrollment	**1538**	**1538**	**1749**	**1704**	**1751**	**1766**	**1737**	**1740**	**1740**
	Available Space	*(14)*	*(14)*	*511*	*556*	*509*	*494*	*523*	*520*	*520*
	Comments	See Text		Building Complete						
Wheaton HS	Program Capacity	2220	2220	2220	2220	2220	2220	2220	2220	2220
	Enrollment	**2689**	**2649**	**2631**	**2488**	**2331**	**2365**	**2340**	**2350**	**2350**
	Available Space	*(469)*	*(429)*	*(411)*	*(268)*	*(111)*	*(145)*	*(120)*	*(130)*	*(130)*
	Comments	See Text								
Argyle MS	Program Capacity	888	888	888	888	888	888	888	888	888
	Enrollment	**843**	**824**	**805**	**793**	**778**	**750**	**741**	**760**	**760**
	Available Space	*45*	*64*	*83*	*95*	*110*	*138*	*147*	*128*	*128*
	Comments	See Text								
Eastern MS	Program Capacity	1012	1012	1012	1012	1012	1112	1112	1112	1112
	Enrollment	**953**	**934**	**748**	**757**	**743**	**713**	**687**	**700**	**700**
	Available Space	*59*	*78*	*264*	*255*	*269*	*399*	*425*	*412*	*412*
	Comments	See Text	Planning for MCP				Building Complete			
A. Mario Loiederman MS	Program Capacity	969	969	969	969	969	969	969	969	969
	Enrollment	**985**	**983**	**715**	**687**	**694**	**693**	**683**	**685**	**685**
	Available Space	*(16)*	*(14)*	*254*	*282*	*275*	*276*	*286*	*284*	*284*
	Comments	See Text								
Newport Mill MS	Program Capacity	812	812	812	812	812	812	812	812	812
	Enrollment	**681**	**674**	**805**	**783**	**779**	**744**	**727**	**730**	**730**
	Available Space	*131*	*138*	*7*	*29*	*33*	*68*	*85*	*82*	*82*
	Comments	See Text								
Parkland MS	Program Capacity	1207	1207	1207	1207	1207	1207	1207	1207	1207
	Enrollment	**1186**	**1145**	**767**	**848**	**831**	**787**	**746**	**745**	**745**
	Available Space	*21*	*62*	*440*	*359*	*376*	*420*	*461*	*462*	*462*
	Comments	See Text								
Odessa Shannon MS	Program Capacity	881	881	881	881	881	881	881	881	881
	Enrollment	**766**	**756**	**598**	**593**	**581**	**559**	**555**	**560**	**560**
	Available Space	*115*	*125*	*283*	*288*	*300*	*322*	*326*	*321*	*321*
	Comments	See Text								
Silver Spring International MS	Program Capacity	1173	1173	1173	1173	1173	1173	1173	1173	1173
	Enrollment	**952**	**905**	**663**	**687**	**682**	**668**	**654**	**660**	**660**
	Available Space	*221*	*268*	*510*	*486*	*491*	*505*	*519*	*513*	*513*
	Comments	See Text								
Sligo MS	Program Capacity	926	926	926	926	926	926	926	926	926
	Enrollment	**700**	**691**	**953**	**921**	**912**	**875**	**854**	**860**	**860**
	Available Space	*226*	*235*	*(27)*	*5*	*14*	*51*	*72*	*66*	*66*
	Comments	See Text								
Takoma Park MS	Program Capacity	1257	1257	1257	1257	1257	1257	1257	1257	1257
	Enrollment	**1197**	**1208**	**1151**	**1155**	**1145**	**1114**	**1088**	**1100**	**1100**
	Available Space	*60*	*49*	*106*	*102*	*112*	*143*	*169*	*157*	*157*
	Comments	See Text								

Schools			Official 25-26	Projections 26-27	27-28	28-29	29-30	30-31	31-32
Arcola ES	CSR	Program Capacity	638	638	638	638	638	638	638
		Enrollment	**729**	**691**	**688**	**659**	**640**	**628**	**620**
		Available Space	*(91)*	*(53)*	*(50)*	*(21)*	*(2)*	*10*	*18*
		Comments							
Bel Pre ES	CSR	Program Capacity	636	636	636	636	636	636	636
Grades (pre-K-2)		**Enrollment**	**540**	**538**	**528**	**529**	**520**	**510**	**506**
Paired With		Available Space	*96*	*98*	*108*	*107*	*116*	*126*	*130*
Strathmore ES		Comments							
Brookhaven ES	CSR	Program Capacity	451	451	451	451	451	451	451
		Enrollment	**409**	**389**	**384**	**371**	**376**	**371**	**369**
		Available Space	*42*	*62*	*67*	*80*	*75*	*80*	*82*
		Comments							
East Silver Spring ES	CSR	Program Capacity	568	568	568	568	568	568	568
		Enrollment	**516**	**523**	**537**	**545**	**538**	**529**	**530**
		Available Space	*52*	*45*	*31*	*23*	*30*	*39*	*38*
		Comments							
Forest Knolls ES	CSR	Program Capacity	534	534	534	534	534	534	534
		Enrollment	**471**	**486**	**488**	**467**	**462**	**458**	**450**
		Available Space	*63*	*48*	*46*	*67*	*72*	*76*	*84*
		Comments							
Georgian Forest ES	CSR	Program Capacity	631	631	631	631	631	631	631
		Enrollment	**623**	**612**	**614**	**593**	**561**	**547**	**503**
		Available Space	*8*	*19*	*17*	*38*	*70*	*84*	*128*
		Comments							
Glen Haven ES	CSR	Program Capacity	572	572	572	572	572	572	572
		Enrollment	**500**	**473**	**479**	**474**	**474**	**474**	**476**
		Available Space	*72*	*99*	*93*	*98*	*98*	*98*	*96*
		Comments							
Glenallan ES	CSR	Program Capacity	766	766	766	766	766	766	766
		Enrollment	**679**	**659**	**647**	**630**	**617**	**595**	**608**
		Available Space	*87*	*107*	*119*	*136*	*149*	*171*	*158*
		Comments							
Harmony Hills ES	CSR	Program Capacity	742	742	742	742	742	742	742
		Enrollment	**609**	**596**	**569**	**532**	**501**	**494**	**498**
		Available Space	*133*	*146*	*173*	*210*	*241*	*248*	*244*
		Comments							
Highland ES	CSR	Program Capacity	563	563	563	563	563	563	563
		Enrollment	**494**	**484**	**478**	**476**	**473**	**467**	**460**
		Available Space	*69*	*79*	*85*	*87*	*90*	*96*	*103*
		Comments							
Highland View ES	CSR	Program Capacity	333	333	333	333	333	333	333
		Enrollment	**311**	**304**	**299**	**282**	**266**	**267**	**269**
		Available Space	*22*	*29*	*34*	*51*	*67*	*66*	*64*
		Comments	See Text					Planning for MCP	
Kemp Mill ES	CSR	Program Capacity	463	463	463	463	463	463	463
		Enrollment	**399**	**382**	**379**	**374**	**367**	**355**	**349**
		Available Space	*64*	*81*	*84*	*89*	*96*	*108*	*114*
		Comments							
Montgomery Knolls ES	CSR	Program Capacity	690	690	690	690	690	690	690
Grades (HS–2)		**Enrollment**	**437**	**423**	**425**	**434**	**428**	**420**	**418**
Paired With		Available Space	*253*	*267*	*265*	*256*	*262*	*270*	*272*
Pine Crest ES		Comments							
New Hampshire Estates ES	CSR	Program Capacity	498	498	498	498	498	498	498
Grades (HS–2)		**Enrollment**	**441**	**440**	**428**	**419**	**414**	**406**	**403**
Paired With		Available Space	*57*	*58*	*70*	*79*	*84*	*92*	*95*
Oak View ES		Comments							
Oak View ES	CSR	Program Capacity	345	345	345	345	345	345	345
Grades (3–5)		**Enrollment**	**423**	**428**	**417**	**421**	**421**	**421**	**421**
Paired With		Available Space	*(78)*	*(83)*	*(72)*	*(76)*	*(76)*	*(76)*	*(76)*
New Hampshire ES		Comments							

Schools			Official 25-26	Projections 26-27	27-28	28-29	29-30	30-31	31-32		
Oakland Terrace ES		Program Capacity	600	600	600	600	600	600	600		
		Enrollment	**500**	**498**	**500**	**471**	**469**	**460**	**450**		
		Available Space	*100*	*102*	*100*	*129*	*131*	*140*	*150*		
		Comments									
Pine Crest ES	CSR	Program Capacity	667	667	667	667	667	667	667		
Grades (3–5)		**Enrollment**	**487**	**508**	**484**	**492**	**492**	**492**	**492**		
Paired With		Available Space	*180*	*159*	*183*	*175*	*175*	*175*	*175*		
Montgomery Knolls ES		Comments									
Piney Branch ES	CSR	Program Capacity	621	621	621	621	621	621	621		
Grades (3–5)		**Enrollment**	**545**	**535**	**534**	**553**	**553**	**553**	**553**		
Paired With		Available Space	*76*	*86*	*87*	*68*	*68*	*68*	*68*		
Takoma Park ES		Comments	See Text					Planning for MCP			
Rock View ES	CSR	Program Capacity	604	604	604	604	604	604	604		
		Enrollment	**599**	**583**	**581**	**567**	**550**	**532**	**535**		
		Available Space	*5*	*21*	*23*	*37*	*54*	*72*	*69*		
		Comments									
Rolling Terrace ES	CSR	Program Capacity	683	683	683	683	683	683	683		
		Enrollment	**636**	**628**	**620**	**604**	**590**	**588**	**577**		
		Available Space	*47*	*55*	*63*	*79*	*93*	*95*	*106*		
		Comments									
Sargent Shriver ES	CSR	Program Capacity	643	643	643	643	643	643	643		
		Enrollment	**693**	**661**	**635**	**612**	**603**	**599**	**604**		
		Available Space	*(50)*	*(18)*	*8*	*31*	*40*	*44*	*39*		
		Comments									
Flora M. Singer ES	CSR	Program Capacity	585	585	585	585	585	585	585		
		Enrollment	**642**	**654**	**643**	**632**	**629**	**612**	**615**		
		Available Space	*(57)*	*(69)*	*(58)*	*(47)*	*(44)*	*(27)*	*(30)*		
		Comments									
Sligo Creek ES		Program Capacity	731	731	731	731	731	731	731		
		Enrollment	**657**	**650**	**651**	**653**	**646**	**650**	**627**		
		Available Space	*74*	*81*	*80*	*78*	*85*	*81*	*104*		
		Comments									
Strathmore ES	CSR	Program Capacity	449	449	449	449	449	449	449		
Grades (3–5)		**Enrollment**	**434**	**428**	**427**	**434**	**434**	**434**	**434**		
Paired With		Available Space	*15*	*21*	*22*	*15*	*15*	*15*	*15*		
Bel Pre ES		Comments									
Takoma Park ES	CSR	Program Capacity	607	607	607	607	607	607	607		
Grades (pre-K–2)		**Enrollment**	**564**	**525**	**558**	**556**	**546**	**533**	**531**		
Paired With		Available Space	*43*	*82*	*49*	*51*	*61*	*74*	*76*		
Piney Branch ES		Comments									
Viers Mill ES	CSR	Program Capacity	740	740	740	740	740	740	740		
		Enrollment	**541**	**525**	**555**	**560**	**557**	**545**	**549**		
		Available Space	*199*	*215*	*185*	*180*	*183*	*195*	*191*		
		Comments									
Weller Road ES	CSR	Program Capacity	756	756	756	756	756	756	756		
		Enrollment	**667**	**661**	**654**	**648**	**634**	**628**	**620**		
		Available Space	*89*	*95*	*102*	*108*	*122*	*128*	*136*		
		Comments									
Wheaton Woods ES	CSR	Program Capacity	652	652	652	652	652	652	652		
		Enrollment	**559**	**563**	**566**	**563**	**558**	**558**	**554**		
		Available Space	*93*	*89*	*86*	*89*	*94*	*94*	*98*		
		Comments									
Woodlin ES	CSR	Program Capacity	570	570	570	570	570	570	570		
		Enrollment	**640**	**648**	**648**	**642**	**628**	**612**	**615**		
		Available Space	*(70)*	*(78)*	*(78)*	*(72)*	*(58)*	*(42)*	*(45)*		
		Comments									
Cluster Information		HS Utilization	107%	105%	92%	89%	89%	90%	89%	89%	89%
		HS Enrollment	11128	10985	10228	9955	9927	9997	9924	9970	9970
		MS Utilization	91%	89%	79%	79%	78%	75%	73%	74%	74%
		MS Enrollment	8263	8120	7205	7224	7145	6903	6735	6800	6800
		ES Utilization	91%	89%	89%	88%	86%	85%	84%		
		ES Enrollment	15745	15495	15416	15193	14947	14738	14636		

Demographic Characteristics of Schools

Schools	2025-2026								2024-2025
	Total Enrollment	Two or more races %	Black or Afr. Amer. %	Asian%	Hispanic %	White %	FARMS%*	ELD%*	Mobility Rate%***
Montgomery Blair HS	3196	4.8%	24.6%	10.6%	37.3%	22.6%	42.6%	19.3%	11.4%
Albert Einstein HS	1917	5.0%	17.2%	6.9%	46.0%	24.6%	41.7%	21.0%	11.0%
John F. Kennedy HS	1788	1.5%	22.5%	4.8%	66.6%	4.4%	54.0%	36.0%	19.4%
Northwood HS	1538	3.1%	23.7%	3.8%	57.0%	12.1%	55.5%	27.1%	21.6%
Wheaton HS	2689	2.8%	19.7%	9.4%	58.2%	9.7%	56.2%	24.5%	12.2%
Argyle MS	843	3.7%	27.2%	7.0%	53.5%	8.5%	59.4%	28.6%	14.5%
Eastern MS	953	4.8%	19.6%	10.6%	47.2%	17.6%	58.1%	21.7%	9.7%
A. Mario Loiederman MS	985	4.2%	11.7%	3.5%	65.2%	15.3%	56.9%	32.8%	11.1%
Newport Mill MS	681	3.8%	12.6%	6.2%	58.4%	18.4%	48.2%	27.3%	11.6%
Parkland MS	1186	3.5%	21.0%	11.1%	56.6%	7.6%	56.3%	25.9%	8.0%
Odessa Shannon MS	766	2.3%	21.7%	5.4%	65.4%	4.8%	52.1%	38.5%	21.7%
Silver Spring International MS	952	5.7%	22.6%	2.9%	42.5%	25.9%	45.6%	23.1%	13.5%
Sligo MS	700	6.0%	21.3%	6.3%	39.1%	27.0%	48.4%	23.4%	12.7%
Takoma Park MS	1197	6.3%	33.5%	10.3%	17.8%	31.8%	35.0%	12.0%	9.2%
Arcola ES	729	1.4%	23.2%	4.0%	65.2%	6.0%	54.5%	49.4%	36.0%
Bel Pre ES	540	3.7%	26.3%	5.9%	55.7%	8.1%	54.6%	43.9%	38.6%
Brookhaven ES	409	2.7%	20.8%	9.5%	63.3%	3.4%	54.3%	38.4%	21.7%
East Silver Spring ES	516	5.8%	53.1%	2.9%	21.1%	16.9%	53.1%	21.9%	26.8%
Forest Knolls ES	471	5.5%	20.0%	6.2%	41.8%	26.5%	41.2%	18.9%	21.0%
Georgian Forest ES	623	0.0%	17.3%	2.9%	73.5%	5.0%	57.0%	49.8%	43.1%
Glen Haven ES	500	4.6%	21.0%	5.4%	55.2%	13.6%	59.2%	34.2%	20.2%
Glenallan ES	679	7.8%	23.0%	9.4%	50.5%	8.8%	57.3%	30.9%	27.2%
Harmony Hills ES	609	0.0%	9.5%	2.0%	85.1%	2.6%	64.2%	62.4%	23.6%
Highland ES	494	1.6%	6.3%	5.3%	80.2%	6.5%	55.9%	47.6%	19.0%
Highland View ES	311	5.8%	31.5%	3.9%	33.1%	25.7%	56.9%	28.3%	15.0%
Kemp Mill ES	399	0.0%	11.8%	0.0%	83.7%	3.5%	66.2%	56.9%	23.9%
Montgomery Knolls ES	437	5.0%	23.3%	2.7%	49.7%	19.0%	57.2%	23.1%	19.5%
New Hampshire Estates ES	441	0.0%	19.3%	1.6%	72.8%	5.2%	66.9%	52.8%	31.9%
Oak View ES	423	3.5%	14.9%	1.9%	60.5%	19.1%	47.8%	46.1%	15.3%
Oakland Terrace ES	500	7.8%	14.0%	3.2%	38.6%	36.2%	27.0%	15.4%	11.5%
Pine Crest ES	487	7.0%	20.7%	5.1%	41.1%	25.7%	49.1%	29.4%	6.3%
Piney Branch ES	545	7.5%	28.8%	2.9%	20.0%	40.4%	36.9%	17.1%	7.9%
Rock View ES	599	4.7%	12.9%	7.5%	51.9%	22.9%	49.9%	35.9%	17.1%
Rolling Terrace ES	636	2.2%	9.3%	1.1%	82.5%	4.7%	65.7%	61.5%	18.5%
Sargent Shriver ES	693	1.0%	11.3%	5.8%	77.8%	4.2%	74.9%	55.3%	15.9%
Flora M. Singer ES	642	7.3%	15.7%	5.5%	39.3%	32.1%	37.5%	25.5%	13.1%
Sligo Creek ES	657	10.5%	31.1%	5.0%	12.3%	40.9%	24.5%	9.6%	12.7%
Strathmore ES	434	2.3%	28.8%	5.1%	55.8%	7.1%	63.1%	40.6%	18.7%
Takoma Park ES	564	7.1%	29.6%	1.8%	23.4%	37.9%	35.3%	17.6%	9.4%
Viers Mill ES	541	2.6%	11.3%	4.8%	66.9%	14.0%	63.8%	37.7%	14.2%
Weller Road ES	667	1.6%	6.9%	4.6%	81.9%	4.8%	61.6%	46.6%	15.8%
Wheaton Woods ES	559	1.3%	24.5%	4.3%	64.9%	4.7%	58.1%	48.8%	18.1%
Woodlin ES	640	8.6%	31.3%	6.7%	20.6%	32.7%	38.1%	21.4%	15.9%
Elementary Cluster Total	**15745**	**4.2%**	**20.3%**	**4.5%**	**54.3%**	**16.4%**	**52.6%**	**37.1%**	**15.0%**
Elementary County Total	**69536**	**6.0%**	**21.5%**	**12.9%**	**36.3%**	**23.0%**	**40.3%**	**24.7%**	**14.6%**

**Percent of students approved for Free and Reduced-priced Meals Program (FARMS) during the 2025–2026 school year.*

***Percent of English Language Development students (ELD) during the 2025–2026 school year. High School students are served in regional ELD centers.*

****Mobility Rate is the number of entries plus withdrawals during the 2024–2025 school year compared to total enrollment.*

Notes: Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander and American Indian/Alaskan Native categories total less than 1% and were therefore excluded from the table.

Due to federal and state guidelines, demographic characteristics of schools of less than or equal to 5 students per category are reported as 0%.

Program Capacity Table

(School Year 2025–2026)

Schools	Grades Served	Capacity (HS @90% MS@85%)	Total Rooms	Support Rooms	Regular Secondary @25	Regular Elementary @23	CSR Grades 1–2 @18	Pre–K @20	Pre–K @40	HS @20	CSR KIND @18	KIND @22	ELD @15	METS @15	OTHER	Special Education Services: Quad Cluster Based: ELC @10	LANG @12	LFI @10	SCB @6	County & Regional Based: AAC@7	AUT @6	BRIDGE @10	DHOH @7	SESES @10	EXTENSIONS @6	2e @13	PD @7	PEP@6	PEP @12	PEP @18	VISION (Elementary) @7
Montgomery Blair HS	9-12	2889	132		123								7	2																	
Albert Einstein HS	9-12	1598	80		65								3	2				4	3						3						
John F. Kennedy HS	9-12	2186	104		92								5					3	2		2										
Northwood HS	9-12	1524	73		62								4	2										4		1					
Wheaton HS	9-12	2220	104		94								5					3	2												
Argyle MS	6-8	888	43		40								3																		
Eastern MS	6-8	1012	51		44								3	1										3							
A. Mario Loiederman MS	6-8	969	48		42								5	1																	
Newport Mill MS	6-8	812	41		36								1					4													
Parkland MS	6-8	1207	58		55								3																		
Odessa Shannon MS	6-8	881	45		39								2												3	1					
Silver Spring International MS	6-8	1173	56		54								2																		
Sligo MS	6-8	926	51		42									1	4				2		2										
Takoma Park MS	6-8	1257	63		57								2								4										
Arcola ES	HS-5	638	38	5		12	13	1			6				1																
Bel Pre ES	PreK-2	636	39	5			19	2	2		9				1														1		
Brookhaven ES	PreK-5	451	29	5		8	6	1			3																		2	3	1
East Silver Spring ES	HS-5	568	34	5		8	10		1	1	4																	1	1	3	
Forest Knolls ES	K-5	534	34	4		9	10	1			4										3						1		1	1	
Georgian Forest ES	HS-5	631	36	5		13	9	1	1		5							2													
Glen Haven ES	PreK-5	572	36	4		12	8	1			4				1				3										2	1	
Glenallan ES	HS-5	766	43	4		16	12	1			6																	1	1	2	
Harmony Hills ES	HS-5	742	41	5		18	11	1		1	5																				
Highland ES	HS-5	563	33	5		11	10	1		1	5																				
Highland View ES	K-5	333	21	4		6	7				3		1																		
Kemp Mill ES	PreK-5	463	28	5		9	8	2			4																				
Montgomery Knolls ES	HS-2	690	43	4			23	3			6																		3	4	
New Hampshire Estates ES	HS-2	498	32	5			15	2		4	6																				
Oak View ES	3-5	345	19	4		15																									
Oakland Terrace ES	K-5	600	32	3		18		1				4												3					1	2	
Pine Crest ES	3-5	667	33	4		29																									
Piney Branch ES	3-5	621	31	4		27																									
Rock View ES	PreK-5	604	39	4		7	11		1		5		1			10															
Rolling Terrace ES	HS-5	683	40	5		13	12	1		2	6				1																
Sargent Shriver ES	PreK-5	643	37	5		13	13	1			5																				
Flora M. Singer ES	PreK-5	585	38	4		7	12	1			6					8															
Sligo Creek ES	K-5	731	35	3		27						5																			
Strathmore ES	3-5	449	26	5		19													2												
Takoma Park ES	PreK-2	607	39	3			20	2			9		3		2																
Viers Mill ES	HS-5	740	43	5		16	9	3			4																	1	3	2	
Weller Road ES	HS-5	756	44	5		14	11	2		2	6																	1	2	1	
Wheaton Woods ES	HS-5	652	42	5		14	8	2		1	5				1						2				4						
Woodlin ES	K-5	570	34	4		12	8	1			5							4													

Facility Characteristics of Schools 2025–2026

Schools	Year Facility Opened	Year Reopened/ Revitalized/ Maj. Cap. Proj.	Total Square Footage	Site Size Acres	Adjacent Park	Relocatable Classrooms*	County Programs
Montgomery Blair HS	1998		386,567	29.71	Yes	19	
Albert Einstein HS	1962	1997	276,462	26.67	Yes	15	
John F. Kennedy HS	1964	1999	332,133	29.1			HSWC
Northwood HS	1956	2004	254,054	29.57			HSWC
Wheaton HS	1954	2016	373,825	28.2			HSWC
Argyle MS	1971	1993	120,205	19.9		3	
Eastern MS	1951	1976	152,030	14.5			LTL
A. Mario Loiederman MS	1956	2005	148,718	17.08		2	LTL
Newport Mill MS	1958	2002	109,011	8.4	Yes		
Parkland MS	1963	2007	178,929	9.18	Yes		LTL
Odessa Shannon MS	1966	2022	164,307	16.45	Yes		LTL
Silver Spring International MS	1934	1999	154,386	10.64	Yes		LTL
Sligo MS	1959	1991	149,527	21.7	Yes		
Takoma Park MS	1939	1999	195,739	18.8	Yes		
Arcola ES	1956	2007	95,421	5	Yes	4	LTL
Bel Pre ES	1968	2014	102,198	8.9	Yes		
Brookhaven ES	1961	1995	81,320	8.57		2	
East Silver Spring ES	1929	1975	88,895	8.4			
Forest Knolls ES	1960	1993	89,850	7.77			
Georgian Forest ES	1961	1995	88,111	10.94	Yes		LTL
Glen Haven ES	1950	2004	85,845	10	Yes		
Glenallan ES	1966	2013	98,700	12.1		2	
Harmony Hills ES	1957	1999	85,648	10.2	Yes	4	SBHC
Highland ES	1950	1989	87,491	11	Yes		SBHC
Highland View ES	1953	1994	59,307	6.6		6	
Kemp Mill ES	1960	1996	68,222	10		3	LTL
Montgomery Knolls ES	1952	1989	109,733	10.3			LTL
New Hampshire Estates ES	1954	1988	73,306	5.4			SBHC
Oak View ES	1949	1985	57,560	11.26		4	LTL
Oakland Terrace ES	1950	1993	79,145	9.5	Yes	5	
Pine Crest ES	1941	1992	77,121	5.6	Yes		LTL
Piney Branch ES	1973		99,706	1.97	Yes		
Rock View ES	1955	1999	91,977	7.4			
Rolling Terrace ES	1950	1989	92,241	4.3		6	SBHC
Sargent Shriver ES	1954	2006	91,628	9.17		6	LTL
Flora M. Singer ES	2012		95,831	12.67	Yes	3	
Sligo Creek ES	1934	1999	87,744	15.6	Yes		
Strathmore ES	1970		59,497	10.79	Yes		
Takoma Park ES	1979		85,553	4.7			
Viers Mill ES	1950	1991	120,572	10.52			SBHC
Weller Road ES	1953	2013	121,346	11.1			SBHC
Wheaton Woods ES	1952	2017	120,154	8			LTL
Woodlin ES	1944	2023	98,861	10.97			

**See Appendix H for relocatable use.*