

**Table 4. Annual Change in Total Public School Enrollment (Grades K-12) from Actual 2021, by Jurisdiction**

State/Region/Jurisdiction	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024	2024-2025	2025-2026	2026-2027	2027-2028	2028-2029	2029-2030	2030-2031	2021-2031
<b>MARYLAND</b>	<u>3,233</u>	<u>3,050</u>	<u>2,770</u>	<u>-5,950</u>	<u>-1,490</u>	<u>1,920</u>	<u>2,100</u>	<u>2,280</u>	<u>3,990</u>	<u>3,650</u>	<u>15,553</u>
<b>Baltimore Region</b>	<u>563</u>	<u>1,000</u>	<u>890</u>	<u>-1,880</u>	<u>-900</u>	<u>910</u>	<u>950</u>	<u>800</u>	<u>1,650</u>	<u>1,410</u>	<u>5,393</u>
Anne Arundel County	517	630	760	-370	50	320	420	530	670	840	4,367
Baltimore County	285	0	360	-800	-500	-10	490	430	660	600	1,515
Carroll County	55	220	150	60	180	300	270	320	260	220	2,035
Harford County	231	260	300	-180	-150	20	90	50	80	90	791
Howard County	416	600	450	260	90	210	260	40	80	-160	2,246
Baltimore City	-941	-710	-1,130	-850	-570	70	-580	-570	-100	-180	-5,561
<b>Washington Suburban Region</b>	<u>2,082</u>	<u>1,790</u>	<u>1,530</u>	<u>-2,670</u>	<u>-250</u>	<u>480</u>	<u>470</u>	<u>590</u>	<u>1,280</u>	<u>1,180</u>	<u>6,482</u>
Frederick County	645	430	440	-40	330	400	360	350	450	420	3,785
Montgomery County	698	730	460	-1,360	-280	70	80	90	430	190	1,108
Prince George's County	739	630	630	-1,270	-300	10	30	150	400	570	1,589
<b>Southern Maryland</b>	<u>203</u>	<u>180</u>	<u>130</u>	<u>-520</u>	<u>80</u>	<u>420</u>	<u>350</u>	<u>430</u>	<u>430</u>	<u>540</u>	<u>2,243</u>
Calvert County	77	80	30	-60	20	130	130	40	130	90	667
Charles County	91	110	150	-270	140	250	210	300	160	310	1,451
St. Mary's County	35	-10	-50	-190	-80	40	10	90	140	140	125
<b>Western Maryland</b>	<u>-25</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>-400</u>	<u>-90</u>	<u>110</u>	<u>80</u>	<u>140</u>	<u>170</u>	<u>150</u>	<u>155</u>
Allegany County	-63	30	-20	-60	-10	-10	-40	-10	-40	-10	-233
Garrett County	-51	-30	0	-40	-50	0	-30	40	10	0	-151
Washington County	89	10	30	-300	-30	120	150	110	200	160	539
<b>Upper Eastern Shore</b>	<u>119</u>	<u>-50</u>	<u>90</u>	<u>-280</u>	<u>-160</u>	<u>-40</u>	<u>200</u>	<u>120</u>	<u>180</u>	<u>190</u>	<u>369</u>
Caroline County	13	20	60	-80	-10	0	30	60	40	40	173
Cecil County	48	-40	-30	-140	-90	-40	80	10	60	30	-112
Kent County	-27	-20	20	-40	40	0	-20	30	30	0	13
Queen Anne's County	35	-20	60	-20	-30	-10	100	-10	60	80	245
Talbot County	50	10	-20	0	-70	10	10	30	-10	40	50
<b>Lower Eastern Shore</b>	<u>291</u>	<u>120</u>	<u>120</u>	<u>-200</u>	<u>-170</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>200</u>	<u>280</u>	<u>180</u>	<u>911</u>
Dorchester County	59	60	0	-50	-50	10	10	10	50	-10	89
Somerset County	25	-10	20	-40	10	30	50	90	60	50	285
Wicomico County	152	120	110	-100	-110	-10	-30	80	130	100	442
Worcester County	55	-50	-10	-10	-20	10	20	20	40	40	95

Source: Maryland Department of Education (2021).

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