Maryland Fast Facts

36%
Maryland Residents think K–12 education in Maryland is headed in the right direction.

Maryland Parents’ Schooling Preferences

- Public District School: 33.0%
- Public District School: 33.0%
- Public District School: 33.0%
- Charter School: 1.0%
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- Charter School: 1.0%
- Private School: 50.0%
- Private School: 50.0%
- Private School: 50.0%
- Home School: 12.0%
- Home School: 12.0%
- Home School: 12.0%
- Don’t Know/Didn’t Answer: 4.0%
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- Don’t Know/Didn’t Answer: 4.0%

Where K–12 Maryland Students Attend School Now

- Public District School: 82.5%
- Public District School: 82.5%
- Public District School: 82.5%
- Charter School: 2.3%
- Charter School: 2.3%
- Charter School: 2.3%
- Private School: 12.4%
- Private School: 12.4%
- Private School: 12.4%
- Private through a School Choice Program: 0.3%
- Private through a School Choice Program: 0.3%
- Private through a School Choice Program: 0.3%

Home School: 2.5%

National Center on Education Statistics

Maryland K–12 Education Spending

$15.6 Billion
Total Maryland Public Education Revenue

Maryland Public Education Funding Sources

- State: 42.0%
- Local: 53.0%
- Federal: 5.0%

School Spending/Costs By Sector

$16,703
Avg. Maryland Total Spending Per Pupil (Public)

$11,004
Avg. National Private K-12 Tuition Per Pupil

$2,008
Avg. Cost Per Pupil (BOOST Program)

Maryland Education Spending Out of Total

Maryland Public School Hiring and Salary Trends since 1992

INTER-DISTRICT
Maryland does not have a general open enrollment policy, although some students with special needs receive inter-district transportation services.

CHARTER SCHOOL
Maryland does not provide transportation for charter school students.

PRIVATE SCHOOL
Private school transportation is authorized only in Calvert County.