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Prince Street Elementary School  
400 Prince Street  
Salisbury, Maryland 21804

School Improvement Plan At-A-Glance  
2021-2022

ESSA Rating: 3 Stars



To view the full School Improvement Plan,  
please visit the school's website:  
<https://www.wcboe.org/Domain/25>

**Wicomico County Public Schools**

**We Aspire to Be:**

- A public-school system dedicated to meeting the needs of each student, from the most gifted to the most challenged; focusing on early literacy, student engagement in authentic problem solving, innovative instruction that encourages creativity, and preparing students with 21<sup>st</sup> century skills necessary to successfully enter college or the world of work.
- A public-school system rooted in a culture of respect, transparency, and collegiality; where trust, the quality of relationships, and empowerment are clearly understood to be the foundation for success.
- A public-school system committed to safe schools; created through a careful balance of clearly communicated and enforced expectations and an atmosphere where students know that teachers and administrators believe in them.
- A public-school system our community believes in – where teachers compete for jobs, employers compete for well-prepared graduates, families choose to live, and businesses aspire to relocate because of its reputation built upon the pursuit of excellence in providing an outstanding education for our community's students.

**Vision Points 2017-2022**

**Strategic Priorities**

- Ensure that students in Wicomico County Public Schools are reading on grade level by Grade 3.  
*Goal: Increase the percentage of students who enter kindergarten ready to learn from 33% to at least 38% by 2022, as measured by the Kindergarten Readiness Assessment.*
- Ensure that students graduate from Wicomico County Public Schools college and/or career ready.  
*Goal: Increase the percentage of students who enter Grade 9 and graduate 4 years later from 82% to at least 87% by 2022, as measured by the 4-Year Adjusted Cohort Graduation Rate.*
- Ensure a high performing workforce.  
*Goal: Increase the retention of first year teachers from 85% to at least 90% by 2022 as measured by the annual turnover rate.*
- Ensure that all schools are safe for student learning.  
*Goal: Increase positive school climate and safety by reducing the percentage of students with repeat incidents of physical aggression from 3.01% to 2% or lower by 2022 as measured by the database of recorded infractions.*

**Educational Equity Policy**

It is the policy of the Wicomico County Board of Education to ensure the success of each student in our school system, regardless of a student's ability (cognitive, social, emotional, and physical), gender, ethnicity, family structure, gender identity and expression, language, race, religion, sexual orientation, and socio-economic status.



**Prince Street School**

The mission of Prince Street School is to provide a safe school setting of academic excellence through effective teaching techniques, ideas, and technology.

**Priority Statement #1:** Based on our Comprehensive Needs Assessment we have determined we need to increase the % of our students reading on or above grade level as measured by the iReady Assessment.

**SMART Goal:**

The percent of our students reading on or above grade level will increase from 17% in 2021 to 20% in 2022 as measured by the iReady Assessment.

**Priority Statement #2:** Based on data discussions during our Comprehensive Needs Assessment we have determined we need to increase the % of our students scoring Average or Above in the area of mathematics as measured by the MAP Assessment.

**SMART Goals:**

We adjusted the SIP goal to 38% based on the current reality of our data. The 50% attained on the Spring 2021 MAP assessment was based on students being home and possibly due to students being assisted by an adult when completing the assessment.



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