

Table 4: Pupil Counts by Year

<u>Year</u>	<u>Pupil Counts by Year</u>	<u>Change From Previous Year</u>	<u>Percent Change</u>	
1980	546,033			
1981	544,174	(1,859)	-0.3	
1982	545,209	1,035	0.2	
1983	542,196	(3,013)	-0.6	
1984	545,427	3,231	0.6	
1985	550,642	5,215	1.0	
1986	558,415	7,773	1.4	
1987	560,236	1,821	0.3	
1988	560,081	(155)	*	*Less than 0.1%
1989	562,755	2,674	0.5	
1990	574,213	11,458	2.0	
1991	593,030	18,817	3.3	
1992	612,635	19,605	3.3	
1993	625,062	12,427	2.0	
1994	640,521	15,459	2.5	
1995	656,279	15,758	2.5	
1996	673,438	17,159	2.6	
1997	687,167	13,729	2.0	
1998	699,135	11,968	1.7	
1999	708,109	8,974	1.3	
2000	724,508	16,399	2.3	

Statewide, the rate of growth reached its all time high in 1991 and 1992 and has generally decreased since 1993. However, between 1999 and 2000 growth increased by one full percentage point.

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