

Carroll County Public Schools

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The Honorable Wes Moore Governor 100 State Circle Annapolis, Maryland 21401

The Honorable Bill Ferguson President of the Senate State House, H-107 100 State Circle Annapolis, Maryland 21401 The Honorable Adrienne A. Jones Speaker of the House of Delegates State House, H-101 100 State Circle Annapolis, Maryland 21401

Re: Report required by Education Article § 5-111.1 (MSAR # 11318) Carroll County Board of Education

Dear Governor Moore, President Ferguson, and Speaker Jones:

Pursuant to Section § 5-111.1 of the Education Article, Annotated Code of Maryland, each local school agency (LEA) is required to report to the Maryland State Department of Education and the General Assembly of Maryland the number of students receiving specialized intervention services. This report includes the grades in which specialized intervention services were provided, and budget information, including all federal, State, and local funds for specialized intervention services, including screenings, evaluations, materials, professional development, and staffing.

The report on specialized intervention services for Carroll County is attached for your review. Should you have questions or need additional information, please contact Nicholas R. Shockney, Assistant Superintendent of Instruction by phone at 410-751-3128 or email at nrshock@carrollk12.org.

Sincerely,

Superintendent

Carroll County Public Schools

C: Sarah Albert, Department of Legislative Services (pdf of report and 5 hard copies)
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Specialized Intervention Services Data Collection Report FY 2022-2023

Due to the Maryland legislature and the Maryland State Department of Education November 1, 2023

Section § 5-111 of the Education Article, Annotated Code of Maryland

In 2017, the Maryland General Assembly Enacted Section § 5-111 of the Education Article, Annotated Code of Maryland, which requires local Boards of Education to report information relating to the provision of specialized intervention services beginning with the 2018-2019 school year. The Maryland State Department of Education was required to establish guidelines for the report that each county board is required to submit to the General Assembly. The following format is provided for that use.

Specialized intervention services are services provided to students in Kindergarten through Grade 3 who meet all the following criteria:

- (1) are not currently identified as needing special education or related services;
- (2) need additional academic and (or) behavioral supports to succeed in a core curriculum and differentiated instruction general education environment; and
- (3) receive additional academic and behavioral support in small groups or individual settings at least three times each week for at least 90 minutes each week for a period of at least ten weeks during a school year.

Local Education Agency (LEA) Carroll County Public Schools MSAR# 11318

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STUDENT COUNTS

	Number of Kindergarten students receiving specialized intervention services	Number of Grade 1 students receiving specialized intervention services	Number of Grade 2 students receiving specialized intervention services	Number of Grade 3 students receiving specialized intervention services
Number of students ONLY receiving ACADEMIC services	535	611	707	330
Number of students ONLY receiving BEHAVIORAL services	1	2	0	0
Number of students receiving BOTH academic and behavioral services	0	0	0	0
TOTAL number of students receiving specialized academic and/or specialized behavioral services or both per grade level	536	613	707	330

Grand total of number of students receiving any 2186 specialized intervention services

Specialized Intervention Services School System Budget

Please identify expenditures related to the provision of specialized intervention services to students in grades K-3 who are not currently identified as needing special education services and who are included in your student count. Include Title I funded supports and interventions.

Guidance:

- Include each item listed below. If any item does not pertain to your school system, please insert N/A.
- Complete Charts I, II, and II

Chart I Screenings Budget

Screenings-include the name of screening tools used and the number of students screened.

Evaluations-include the name of the evaluation tools used and number of students evaluated.

Materials-Include the name of the materials used and the number of students using the materials.

Chart II Professional Development Budget

Include the title of the professional development and number of people attending each event. Included costs should cover outside speakers/consultants, materials, and other costs.

No costs should be included for local school staff if the PD is provided as part of the school day. For example, if teachers are being paid for their regular workday and attend a professional development, no costs should be included for stipends. If Central Office staff present as part of a workday for which they are being paid, no costs should be included for their presentation since this is part of the regular school day.

Chart III Staffing Budget

Include **both salary and benefits** in staffing costs. Include the percentage of time staff used for specialized intervention services. For example, if your behavior specialist worked with a student for 30 minutes three times a week for a total of 10 weeks, you should report the salary and benefits for the percent of the behavior specialist's time spent on specialized intervention services.

Chart 1 Screenings Budget

Screenings-include the name of screening tools used and the number of students screened. Evaluations-include the name of the evaluation tools used and number of students evaluated. Materials-Include the name of the materials used and the number of students using the materials.

CHART I SCREENING, EVALUATION, MATERIALS								
					Source of Fund	ds (check all that	apply)	
Budget Item Include the name of screening tools, evaluation tools, and/or materials)	Total		f students evel	by grade	Budget Amount	Federal	State	Local
	K	Grade 1	Grade 2	Grade 3				
Screening: Screening: Dynamic Indicators of Basic Literacy Skills (DIBELS): Letter Naming Fluency, Phonemic Segmentation, and Nonsense Word Fluency	1814	596	593	333	\$ 0			Х
Evaluations: Evaluation Tools: CCPS Primary Literacy Assessment, Carroll County Phonics Assessment, Reading Inventory	1809	1852	1911	1949	\$ 0			X
Materials: Lexia Intervention	478	518	489	308	\$33,000			Х
Advancing Early Literacy Intervention	0	0	0	0	\$0			Х
Heggerty Intervention	478	518	489	308	\$4,422			Χ
Fundations Double Dose Intervention	478	518	489	308	\$103,593		X (MD Leads Grant)	

Collaborative Classroom	144	144	144	144	\$37,620	X (Initially funded by Title I ELI)	
Total by Grade Level	5,201	4,146	4,115	3,320	\$178,635		

Total number of students all grade levels	16,782
Total Budget for all screenings, evaluations,	\$178,635
and materials	

Chart II-Professional Development Budget

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CHART II Professional Development							
Budget Item (Include the title of the professional attending each event.) Add budget d	Source of Funds	(check all that	apply)				
Title of Professional Development	Number of staff attending event Budget Amount		Federal	State	Local		
Fundations Training: Levels Pre- Kindergarten, Kindergarten, Grade 1, Grade 2, and Grade 3	49	\$20,250		X (MD Leads Grant)			
LETRS Volume 1 Training	40	\$26,680		X (From left over SRLG funds)			

SoR- aligned county training August 2022 and throughout the school year in buildings	470	\$O		×

Totals	559	\$46,930
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Chart III Staffing Budget

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CHART III Staffing					
			Source of	Funds (check all	that apply)
Salary of staff member (Includes both salary and benefits)	Percent of time spent on specialized intervention services	Budget Amount	Federal	State	Local
Primary Interventionist (7)	100%	\$661,784			Х
Instructional Assistant (10)	80%	\$420,739			Х
Math Resource Teacher (5)	15%	\$81,504			Х
Leads Grant Tutor (7)	100%	\$242,265		Х	
Title I Resource Teacher (5)	100%	\$477,638	Х		
Total		\$1,883,930			

Grand Total Budget amounts. (Budget totals from Charts I, II and III)	\$2,109,495