

PWCS Information vs. Neighboring Jurisdictions

Pupil/Teacher Ratio, Cost Per Pupil, Teacher Salary, and Teacher Contract Length

	<u>PWCS</u>	<u>FCPS</u>	<u>LOUDOUN</u>	<u>WABE AVERAGE</u>
<u>Kindergarten</u> (students:classroom teacher)	23.3	21.6	17.7	20.4
<u>Elementary</u> (students:classroom teacher)	20.4	20.9	22.1	19.9
<u>Middle</u> (students:classroom teacher)	27.4	23.7	21.1	22.9
<u>High</u> (students:classroom teacher)	27.8	24.5	24.2	23.8
<u>Cost Per Pupil</u>	\$10,776	\$13,340	\$12,780	\$14,966
<u>Teacher Salary</u> (Step 1, Bachelors)	\$42,354	\$44,789	\$43,065	\$43,954
<u>Teacher Contract Length</u>	195	194	197	195

Source: FY 2009 WABE Guide