

County Superintendent of Schools
(Appointed by County Boards of Education)

County	Name	Address
Allegany	Edward F. Webb	Cumberland
Anne Arundel	George Fox	Annapolis
Baltimore	Clarence G. Cooper	Towson
Calvert	Franklin D. Day	Prince Frederick
Caroline	Edward M. Noble	Denton
Carroll	Maurice S. H. Unger	Westminster
Cecil	Howard T. Ruhl	Elkton
Charles	F. Bernard Gwynn	La Plata
Dorchester	James B. Noble	Cambridge
Frederick	G. Lloyd Palmer	Frederick
Garrett	Franklin E. Rathbun	Oakland
Harford	C. Milton Wright	Belair
Howard	Woodland C. Phillips	Ellicott City
Kent	Louis C. Robinson	Chestertown
Montgomery	Edwin W. Broome	Rockville
Prince Georges	Nicholas Orem	Upper Marlboro
Queen Anne's	Thomas G. Bennett	Centreville
St. Mary's	George W. Joy	Leonardtown
Somerset	Eugene W. Pruitt	Princess Anne
Talbot	Oscar M. Fogle	Easton
Washington	B. J. Grimes	Hagerstown
Wicomico	James M. Bennett	Salisbury
Worcester	Arthur C. Humphreys	Snow Hill
Baltimore City	David E. Weglein	Baltimore

The head of the Department of Education is the State Board of Education.

In accordance with Chapter 506 of the Acts of 1916, the members of the State Board of Education are appointed by the Governor. One member is appointed annually for a term of seven years from the first Monday in May next succeeding the appointment. Neither the Governor nor the State Superintendent of Schools is a member of this Board, as was the case before 1916.

The State Board of Education selects a State Superintendent of Schools, and through him and his assistants, has general control of the Public School System of the State. The Board is a legislative body, and, as such, enacts by-laws and prescribes rules and regulations for carrying into effect the provisions of the school laws. These by-laws and rules include regulations for the construction of school buildings, for grading and standardizing all public schools, for the certification of public school teachers, for taking the bi-ennial school census, and for a uniform series of forms and blanks for the use of county superintendents, school officials and teachers.

The State Superintendent of Schools is the executive officer of the Board. The members of the State Board of Education and the State Superintendent of Schools are ex-officio trustees of the State Normal Schools.

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The present position was created by the General Assembly of 1900, the principal of the Maryland State Normal School before that time (1872-1900) being ex-officio State Superintendent. The State Superintendent of Schools is appointed by the State Board of Education for a term of four years and is ex-officio secretary and treasurer of the Board.