2017-18 Updated Elementary School

Capping Recommendations

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Recommendations are a direct result of the class size legislation for 2018-2019

Staff requests that the Board of Education waive Policy 4150 Section B for determining capped schools for the 2017-18 school year.



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The criteria for determining whether a school should be capped:

- Class size legislation
- When a school will realize capacity loss
- •When core facilities (dining, parking, pedestrian & vehicle traffic, toilets, media, student support, etc.) have been significantly overloaded by enrollment.
- •When a school has used all means of accommodating students, staff, and programs to include sharing and floating educational programs.
- When trailer additions are not available.
- •When attending enrollment reflects and/or base growth projects a significant enrollment beyond capacity, particularly at the entry level grade.



Recommended Cap Formula

((Class Size + 3) * (# of Capacity Classrooms)) + (# Trailers * 23)



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Staff recommends that 2 existing capped elementary schools reflect a new cap total based on the new K-3 class size requirements.

		Current Overflow		
School Name	Current Cap #	of 9.14.17	New Cap #	School
Cedar Fork	1,044	14	887	Reedy Creek
Fuquay-Varina**	866	19	866	Lincoln Heights
Holly Grove	1,120	12	1058	Herbert Akins
Mills Park**	942	56	942	White Oak



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	2017-18	2017-18	School	
	TOTAL CAP	10th Day	Capacity %	POTENTIAL
SCHOOL	ENROLLMENT	Membership	Crowding	OVERFLOW SCHOOL
Baileywick ES	456	414	101.5%	Lead Mine
Carpenter ES	778	808	130.3%	Turner Creek ES
Combs ES	794	914	209.2%	Swift Creek ES
Harris Creek ES	1,059	1,029	124.0%	River Bend ES



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	2017-18	2017-18	School	
	TOTAL CAP	10th Day	Capacity %	POTENTIAL
SCHOOL	ENROLLMENT	Membership	Crowding	OVERFLOW SCHOOL
Olive Chapel ES	1,025	991	158.8%	Salem ES
Sycamore Creek ES	1,088	1,187	123.1%	Pleasant Grove ES
Vance ES	524	514	152.1%	Rand Rd ES
Willow Springs ES	971	1,102	217.0%	Banks Rd ES



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Next Steps - Timeline

October 3 Board of Education

Approve 2017-18 cap recommendations due to legislative class size requirements



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