



COBB COUNTY
SCHOOL DISTRICT

2025
2026

LEGISLATIVE PRIORITIES

FINANCIAL SUSTAINABILITY



Support local control of decision-making



Cap school district required contribution percentage for healthcare



Oppose diversion of funds from public education



Apply the same standards of accountability to all recipients of public money for education

EDUCATIONAL ACCESS



Sustain Teachers Retirement System as currently structured



Apply charter waivers to SWSS systems



Incentivize higher education for teachers through funding the GA's BEST initiative



Provide adequate funding to provide literacy coaches and professional learning to all schools

SAFETY & SECURITY



Maintain or increase safety and security funding by incorporating last year's one-time funding into the categorical grant



Require disclosure of student release from Intensive Treatment Units



Support stronger criminal penalties for threats against schools



Fund school counselors at a ratio of 1 counselor for every 250 students (1:250)



Increase protections for minors against access to THC and vape products

FEDERAL PRIORITIES

Ensure funding for school districts to meet legal obligations under IDEA (Individuals with Disabilities Education Act) and ESSA (Every Student Succeeds Act)

Ensure funding for school meal programs



COBB COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT

2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR AT A GLANCE

**ONE TEAM
ONE GOAL
STUDENT SUCCESS**



103,283
STUDENTS



109
SCHOOLS

22 NATIONAL BLUE RIBBON SCHOOLS

56 GEORGIA SCHOOLS OF EXCELLENCE

DIVERSE STUDENT DEMOGRAPHICS

32.0%
CAUCASIAN

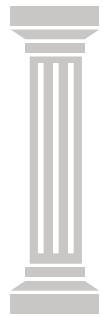
29.2%
BLACK

26.6%
HISPANIC

6.2%
ASIAN

6.0%
OTHER

	CCSD	NATIONAL	GA
ACT SCORES	23.7	19.4	21.4
SAT SCORES	1,116	1,029	1,038
GRAD. RATE	89.2%	87%	87.2%



2ND LARGEST
SCHOOL DISTRICT IN GA



23rd LARGEST
SCHOOL DISTRICT IN
AMERICA OUT OF MORE
THAN 14,000 DISTRICTS

#1 IN THE
METRO
ON 2024
GA MILESTONES

AAA
CREDIT RATING



**STUDENT SAFETY
& SECURITY IS PARAMOUNT**



994
BUSES

36 NEW AND REPLACEMENT SCHOOLS
HAVE BEEN BUILT SINCE 1998
DUE TO FUNDING PROVIDED BY
Ed-SPLOST

THE COBB COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT EMPLOYS
81 POLICE OFFICERS DEDICATED TO THE
SAFETY OF EACH STUDENT
AND SCHOOL IN THE DISTRICT



WORKFORCE
DEVELOPMENT

4,461
OVERALL PATHWAY
COMPLETERS

INDUSTRY CREDENTIALS ISSUED

3,094



HEALTH

OUR AVERAGE HEALTH
INSPECTION SCORE WAS
99.12%

131
SCHOOL NURSES WORK FOR THE
COBB COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT



EMPLOYMENT

LARGEST
EMPLOYER IN COBB COUNTY

18,099 EMPLOYEES

77%
TEACHERS WITH ADVANCED DEGREES

2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR



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