

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

| County          | Name                 | Address          |
|-----------------|----------------------|------------------|
| Allegany        | Charles L. Kopp      | 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      | Letitia M. Dent      | 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.

#### State Superintendent of Schools.

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.

He is the executive officer of the State Board of Education, which, in addition to having general control of the State School System, is charged with the duties of interpreting school laws and acting with-