



# JOHN ARCHER SCHOOL

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## AT A GLANCE

**FACILITY OPENED:** 1971

**ADDITIONS/RENOVATIONS:** None

**SCHOOL CAPACITY:** 210

**TOTAL ENROLLMENT:** 159

**CLASSROOM TEACHERS:** 85

### ADMINISTRATION

**PRINCIPAL:**

Mary B. Denton

**ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL:**

Gerald L. Horn

**INSTRUCTIONAL FACILITATOR:** None



## WELCOME

John Archer School is the only public special education school serving students with disabilities in Harford County. Our staff members are committed to meeting the needs of students with significant disabilities. In a positive, welcoming environment, our students are challenged to meet high expectations, so that they can develop skills needed for independence. Working in partnership with parents, we believe that all of our students can achieve success.

Our school improvement plan focuses on identifying strategies to increase student learning. Reviews of student achievement, and annual staff and parent surveys, help our school improvement team to prioritize goals for school improvement.

The instructional program is tailored to meet individual student needs, based on individual education plan goals. Instructional areas may include communication, functional academics, behavior and social skills, personal management, community skills, and career vocational skills.

In addition to serving students with significant special needs, our school houses the Harford County Infant and Toddlers Program, countywide special education itinerant services, and the Teen Diversion Program.

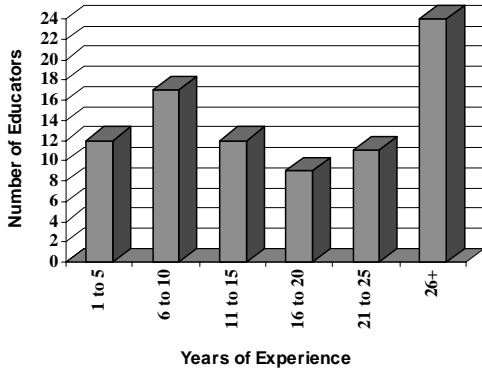
Located next to Harford Technical High School, and across the street from Harford Community College, our students benefit from excellent volunteer services provided by high school and college students. With our supportive school community, we believe that all of our students will experience success.

*Mary Denton*  
Principal



# School Staff Characteristics

### Professional Staff Experience



### Education of Professional Staff

