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Hagerstown Area Religious Council (HARC) is once again partnering with Washington County Public Schools and the Education Foundation of WCPS to offer the 2nd annual

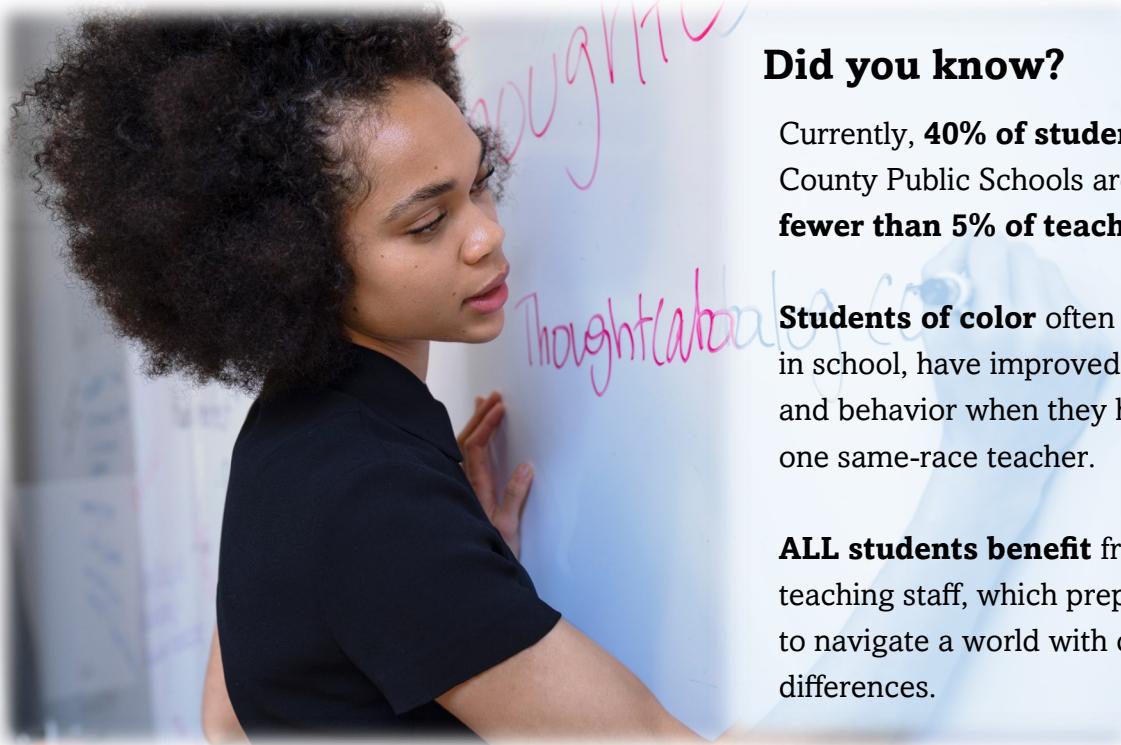
# Equity in Education SCHOLARSHIP

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*We need your help to make it happen*

In 2022, we provided four scholarships to future educators, who are already serving schools while pursuing their degrees. With your help, we can serve even more. **Your gift of \$250, \$500, \$1,000, \$2,500 or ANY amount will make a big difference in the lives of future educators and the hundreds of children they will serve!**

You can make your donation through the Community Foundation of Washington County at [cfcwcmd.org](http://cfcwcmd.org), Donate Now, choose “Equity in Education Scholarship” from the pull-down menu.



## Did you know?

Currently, **40% of students** in Washington County Public Schools are non-white, yet **fewer than 5% of teachers** are non-white.

**Students of color** often perform better in school, have improved attendance and behavior when they have at least one same-race teacher.

**ALL students benefit** from a diverse teaching staff, which prepares them to navigate a world with cultural differences.