

# SCORECARD AT A GLANCE

## Economy

**Goal:** Be a national leader in the preservation and enhancement of our economy.

Personal Income	↑
Employment Growth	↑
Poverty	→
Unemployment	↑
Business Climate	→
Workforce Quality	↑
Economic Diversity	→
Innovation/Entrepreneurship	↑

## Education

**Goal:** Elevate the levels of educational preparedness and attainment of our citizens.

School Readiness	↓
3rd Grade Reading	↓
4th Grade Reading/Math	↑
High School Graduation	↑
High School Dropout	↑
College Graduation	↑
Educational Attainment	↑

## Health and Family

**Goal:** Inspire and support Virginians toward healthy lives and strong and resilient families.

Adoption	→
Child Abuse and Neglect	↑
Foster Care	↑
Health Insurance	↑
Health Risk Factors	↑
Mortality and Longevity	→
Teen Pregnancy	↑

### Each Topic Covers:

#### Why Is This Important?

#### How Is Virginia Doing?

- Over Time
- By Region
- Compared to Other States

#### What Influences the Indicator?

#### What Is the State's Role?

## Public Safety

**Goal:** Protect the public's safety and security, ensure a fair and effective system of justice, and provide a prepared response to emergencies and disasters of all kinds.

Crime	↑
Emergency Preparedness	↑
Juvenile Intakes	↑
Recidivism	→
Traffic Fatalities	↑

## Natural Resources

**Goal:** Protect, conserve, and wisely develop our natural, cultural, and historic resources.

Air Quality	↑
Energy	→
Historic Resources	→
Land Preservation	↑
Solid Waste and Recycling	→
Water Quality	↑

## Transportation

**Goal:** Ensure Virginia has a transportation system that is safe, enables the easy movement of people and goods, enhances the economy, and improves our quality of life.

Infrastructure Condition	→
Land Use	→
Multimodal Transportation	→
Traffic Congestion	→

## Government and Citizens

**Goal:** Be recognized as the best-managed state in the nation.

Bond Rating	↑
Civic Engagement	→
Consumer Protection	↓
Government Operations	↑
Internet Access	↑
Taxation	↑
Voter Registration/Turnout	→

### Performance Trend

- Improving ↑
- Maintaining →
- Worsening ↓

