

 **FOR**
The Levy

Preston County Schools
Student Centered Levy
Vote on May 8th

Supporting Our Students. Maintaining Our Schools.

What will the levy funds be used for?

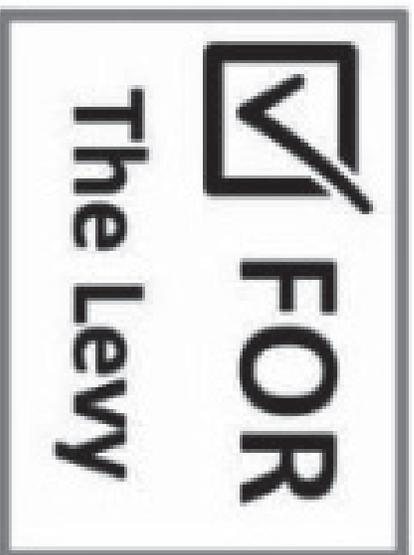
- General Maintenance, Improvements, and Equipment
- Safety and Security
- Technology Expenses
- Curricular, Extra-curricular, and Co-curricular Activities
- Instructional Supplies and Materials
- Extended Day, Extended Year, Virtual, Mobile, and Alternative Education Programs
- Community Facility Use

*You Responded.
We Listened.*



For more information, visit:
<http://pcslevy2018.weebly.com/>
<https://www.facebook.com/PrestonCountySchools/>

Preston County Schools will be running a student-centered levy on the May 8, 2018 ballot that will provide support for students and staff and assist in the ongoing maintenance of district schools.



This pamphlet is designed to provide basic information about the upcoming levy measure that is being proposed to voters, and direct citizens to resources where they can find further detail on the upcoming school levy.

Basic Information (Q & A)

Question: *What is a levy?*

Answer: *A levy is ballot measure that asks voters to agree to a property tax over a set number of years & funds are generally used for operational costs or capital improvements. Levies help school districts to bridge the difference between state funding & the true cost of operating a school district.*

Question: *How long is the term on the proposed levy & how much is set to be collected each year?*

Answer: *The proposed levy is a five-year term and will collect \$2,420,000 per year.*

Question: *What will the levy funds be used for?*

Answer: *If passed, the levy will provide funding in the following areas: (1) General Maintenance, Improvements, & Equipment; (2) Safety & Security; (3) Technology; (4) Curricular & Extracurricular Activities; (5) Instructional Materials & Supplies; (6) Student/Staff/Senior Citizen Admission to Fine Arts & Athletic Events; (7) Community Facility Use; & (8) After-School, Summer, Virtual, & Alternative Education Programs.*

Online Informational Resources

<https://pcsl Levy2018.weebly.com/>
<https://www.facebook.com/PrestonCountySchools/>
<http://preston-k12.wvnet.edu/boe/levybond-information/>

The sites listed above will provide citizens with more detailed information about the levy such as:

- Tax chart and online calculator that show citizens the level of tax increase that would occur with the passage of the levy.
- The actual ballot item that will provide greater detail of each included item on the ballot.
- Informational video explaining the difference between a levy and a bond.
- COMING SOON: Brief video clips that will better explain each item included within the levy & highlighting the many positive things going on within Preston County Schools.
- More info can be obtained by calling (304) 329-0580 ext. 225.