PROGRAMS FOR GIFTED STUDENTS SEARCH:IGBB-1

The School Board shall provide acceptable programs for gifted students. ACPS shall provide educational opportunities appropriate to each student's exceptional abilities. The School Board recognizes its responsibility to provide each student with the opportunity to realize his/her potential. Gifted students require a unique, advanced, and challenging educational program in order to enhance development their special abilities. The School Board shall submit an annual report on its Program of Gifted Education to the Department of Education as prescribed by the Board of Education.

The School Board will actively promote and develop an appropriately differentiated educational program for gifted students in order to facilitate the fullest development of their potential. The School Board shall establish a local advisory committee for the gifted education program. Annually, the committee shall review the gifted education program, including any revisions to the program. The committee shall also determine the extent to which the program for the previous year was implemented by the division. The comments and recommendations of the committee shall be provided in writing to (1) the Superintendent and (2) the School Board. The program shall be in compliance with the Code of Virginia and the Board of Education regulations.

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| | 8 VAC 20-40-10 et seq. |

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