

2020–2025 Strategic Plan: Equity for All

Talented and Gifted (TAG) Local Plan

School Board Meeting
May 5, 2022

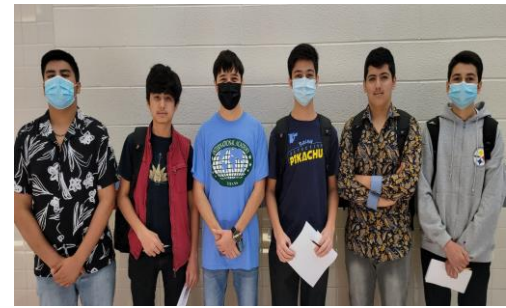
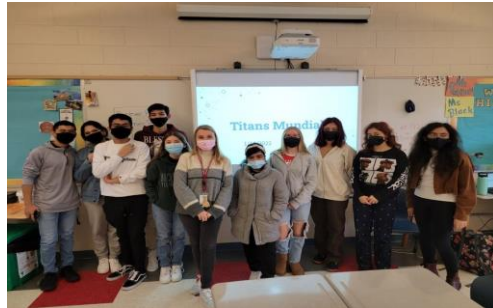


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Essential Questions

1. What are the **guidelines** from the Virginia Department of Education (VDOE) for developing a local plan?
2. What were the **key recommendations** made by the TAG working groups?
3. What are the **next steps** for the steering committees?





VDOE Guidelines on Local Plans for the Gifted

School Board approves and the Commonwealth reviews

State Technical Review provides feedback to local districts

State Technical Review completed 2021

Public comments are a pivotal part of the process



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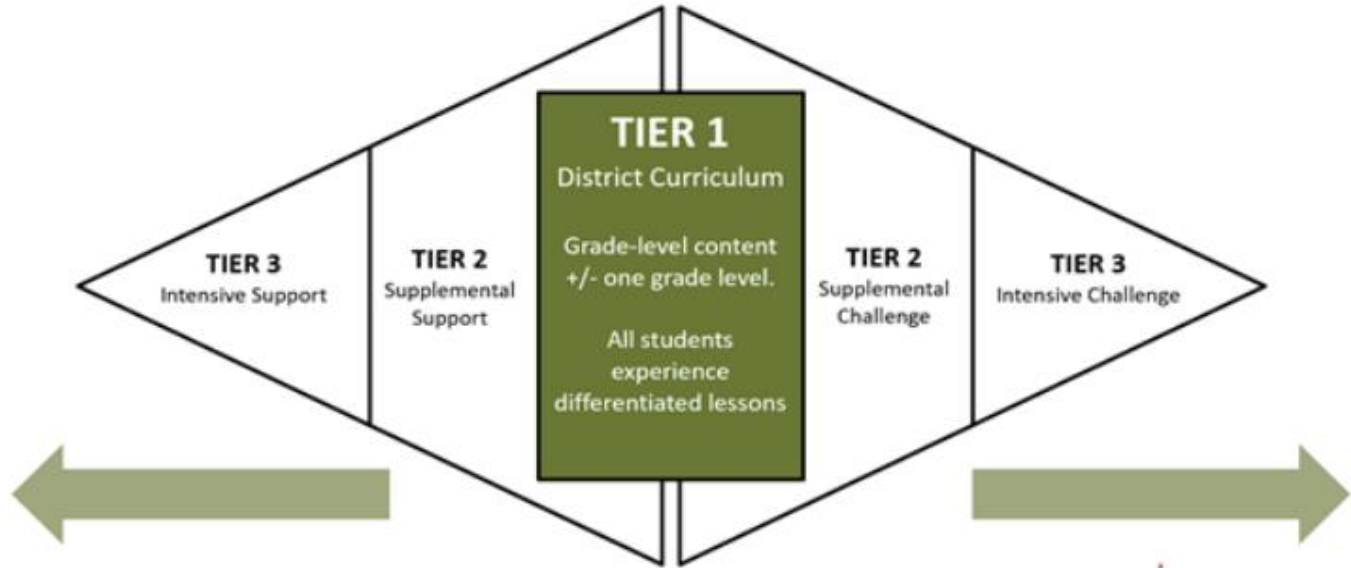
Recommendation 1: Program Name to Change Advanced Academic Services





Recommendation 2:

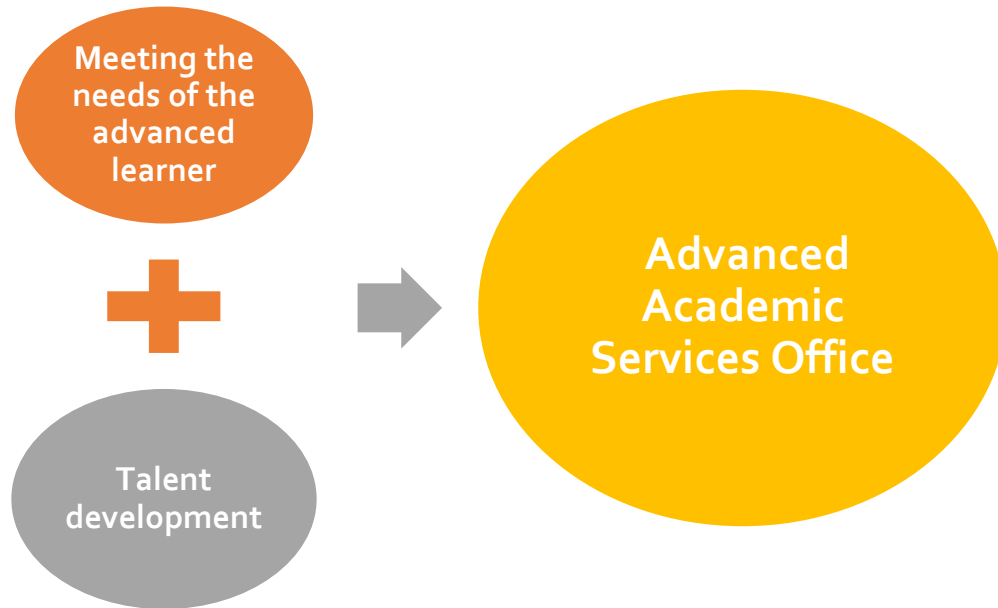
Develop a Continuum of Service Model Similar to the Multi-Tiered System of Support (MTSS)



Adapted from Designing Gifted Education Programs and Services: Peters & Brulles (2017)

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Recommendation 2, Continued: Develop a Continuum of Service Model Similar to the MTSS



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Recommendation 3: Access to Rigor for All Through Tier 1 Instruction

Resources and Instructional Strategies

- Adopt critical and creative thinking resources and strategies used across the district.
- Provide professional development on resources and strategies.

Role of TAG Teacher

- Reconsider the TAG teacher's role.
- Ensure collaboration between general education classroom teachers and TAG teachers.
- Staff schools with TAG coaches to support the work.



Recommendation 4: Align Local Plan With ACPS Initiatives

Middle School
Project

Elementary
Mathematics

Policy
Updates



Next Steps





Questions?

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