

# BOARD OF EDUCATION OF ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY

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Responsible Office: ADVANCED STUDIES AND PROGRAMS DIVISION/CURRICULUM AND

INSTRUCTION DIVISION/SCHOOL COUNSELING OFFICE

## INDEPENDENT STUDY PROGRAM

## A. PURPOSE

The Independent Study Program provides an opportunity to meet the special needs and interests of students when such cannot be met through regular course offerings.

#### B. ISSUE

Students with strong self-discipline, special talents, and interests need the opportunity to undertake an individual project of exceptional depth, breadth, or pace.

## C. POSITION

The Board supports providing an independent study program to qualified students to meet their special needs and interests when such cannot be met through regular course offerings.

#### D. IMPLEMENTATION

The Superintendent is authorized to develop regulations to implement this policy.

Policy History: Adopted on 03/02/16.

*Note previous policy history:* Replaces Policy <u>605.14</u>, adopted <u>05/20/91</u>.