

# BOARD OF EDUCATION OF ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY

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Responsible Office: DIVISION OF STUDENT SERVICES/LEGISLATIVE AND POLICY OFFICE

# STUDENT POLITICAL ACTIVITY

## A. PURPOSE

To provide guidance regarding student political activity.

#### B. ISSUE

When meeting the legal age, students have the responsibility to exercise their rights as citizens by registering to vote and participating in the election process.

## C. POSITION

Except for students running for elective school offices, all national or local campaign-related political activities must be conducted outside of the school day and instructional time, and shall not be disruptive to the school environment. Participation in political clubs or events shall be voluntary. Campaign-related political activity that is under the auspices of a duly established educational program is allowable.

#### D. IMPLEMENTATION

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

Policy History: Adopted on 02/03/16.

Note previous policy history: Replaces Policy, 902.11 adopted 11/06/74 and revised 05/20/91