



## MARYLAND STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

### VISION

Ensure all students have access to a world class educational system that prepares them to graduate ready for post-secondary learning, rewarding work, and success in society and life.

### MISSION

Provide leadership, set policy, and advocate for continuous improvement of Maryland's educational system to achieve the following:

- Assist every student to realize his or her potential.
- Develop and support a strong accountability system to increase academic success for *all* students.
- Promote a safe, healthy, and orderly environment for learning and teaching .
- Ensure educator and administrative effectiveness.
- Promote students' physical, mental, social, and emotional well-being .
- Expand high-quality educational opportunities for students and parents.
- Work with districts to strengthen infrastructure.
- Increase communication and partnerships with stakeholder's statewide.

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