Agenda Item Details

MEETING DATE:
11/17/2026

TOPIC:
Approve Secondary Program of Studies 2027-2028
“An Academic & Career Planning Guide for Middle and High School"

BACKGROUND:
Revisions to the Program of Studies are completed annually. The document is governed by the Virginia Department of Education, defined by the local school board and includes input from curriculum coordinators, administrators, educators, and school counselors.

RATIONALE:
The document provides families with up-to-date information that will assist them in course selection and long-range academic and career planning. This revision is proposed for the 2027-2028 school year and meets state code VAC 8-20-132, *Virginia Standards of Accreditation*.

SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCE(S):
N/A

COST BUDGETED:
Cost for Printing: Estimated $2,700.00 (400 total: 50 for each school & 50 for administrators, faculty, and counselors)
Cost for Translation: Estimated $4,000.00 for translation

ALTERNATIVES:
1. Approve the superintendent’s recommendation.
2. Do not approve the superintendent’s recommendation.

SUPERINTENDENT’S RECOMMENDATION:
The superintendent recommends the board approve the Secondary Program of Studies for the 2027-2028 school year as presented.

DATA SOURCE:
Courtney Mompoint, Director of Secondary Teaching and Learning
Jessica Walter, Director of School Counseling and College & Career Readiness

Additional input was gathered from the curriculum coordinators in the Department of Teaching and Learning, school counselors, administrators, and educators. Information in this document was governed by the Virginia Department of Education.

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RECOMMENDED ACTION: