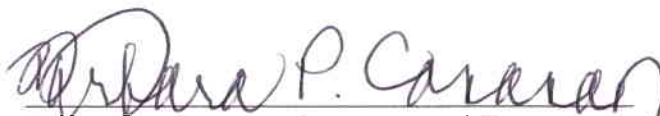


POLICY TITLE: <b>Curriculum Development: Oversight</b>		
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POLICY/PROCEDURE MANUAL SUMMARY CATEGORY: <b>Instruction</b>		

- I. Purpose  
The purpose of this policy is to provide a framework for curriculum development, review, and maintenance in Harford County Public Schools.
- II. Definitions-None
- III. Policy Statement
  - A. The Board of Education of Harford County shall maintain a reasonably uniform system of public schools that is designed to provide education and equal educational opportunity for all children.
  - B. These educational opportunities shall prepare all students to succeed academically and socially in a diverse, democratic, change-oriented, and global society.
  - C. All curricula shall be selected/developed, differentiated, implemented, evaluated, and revised on a system-wide basis.
  - D. The Superintendent of Schools shall ensure a comprehensive approach to curriculum through:
    1. Oversight of the selection/development, alignment and assessment of all instruction and curriculum of Harford County Public Schools;
    2. Compliance with national, state, and local standards and mandates; and
    3. Provision of academic rigor for all students.

**Board Approval Acknowledged By:**

  
Barbara P. Canavan, Secretary and Treasurer  
Board of Education of Harford County

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