

INSTRUCTION: Extracurricular Activities

Intramural, Informal, [and] Interscholastic, AND COROLLARY Athletics

I. PURPOSE

TO OUTLINE GUIDELINES FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF INTRAMURAL AND/OR INFORMAL, INTERSCHOLASTIC, AND COROLLARY ATHLETIC PROGRAMS IN BALTIMORE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS (BCPS).

II. GUIDELINES

A. INTRAMURAL AND INFORMAL ATHLETICS

1. The principal in collaboration with the school's physical education department or designee shall be responsible for establishing a program of intramural and/or informal athletics.
2. [1.] Under the direction of the principal, the intramural sponsor will plan, implement, and facilitate a before- or after-school voluntary program that offers a variety of activities and tournaments to encourage active participation of all students regardless of their physical abilities.
3. [2.] The principal/designee is responsible for the organization and supervision of both participants and spectators.

B. INTERSCHOLASTIC ATHLETICS

1. [B.] The principal and/or designee is responsible for the administration, organization, and supervision of the school's interscholastic athletics program as outlined in the Baltimore County Public Schools' *Regulations and Procedures for Interscholastic Athletics*.
2. [C.] The Office of Athletics SHALL administer[s] the interscholastic athletic program, IN ACCORDANCE WITH [based on] the rules and regulations of the Maryland Public Secondary School Athletic Association and the Baltimore County Public Schools[?] Athletic Association.

C. COROLLARY ATHLETIC PROGRAMS

- 1. THE OFFICE OF ATHLETICS SHALL ADMINISTER THE SCHOOL SYSTEM'S COROLLARY ATHLETIC PROGRAM, WHICH INCLUDES THE ALLIED SPORTS PROGRAM, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS SET FORTH IN STATE REGULATION.

III. COMPLIANCE

THE OFFICE OF ATHLETICS SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR FILING ALL REQUIRED ANNUAL REPORTS WITH THE MARYLAND STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH STATE REGULATION.

Legal ReferenceS: COMAR 13A.06.03, *INTERSCHOLASTIC ATHLETICS IN THE STATE*
COMAR 13A.06.04, *COROLLARY ATHLETIC PROGRAMS*
[*Annotated Code of Maryland*, COMAR 13A.06.03]

Related POLICIES [Policy]: BOARD OF EDUCATION POLICY 3151, *ACCIDENT INSURANCE*
BOARD OF EDUCATION POLICY 3160, *SCHOOL-SPONSORED ACTIVITIES*
[Policy 6702, *Intramural, Informal, and Interscholastic Athletics* Policy and Rule 5300, *Activities*]

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