

CURRICULUM

121.00 VOTER REGISTRATION

The Mingo County Board of Education recognizes that a primary goal of public education is to prepare students to actively participate in a democratic society. The Board further recognizes that such participation includes functioning within the democratic process. Therefore, the opportunity for instruction to prepare students for voter registration shall be included within the social studies program of studies at each high school; in addition, pursuant to WVA Code 18-2-9 and State Policy 2324, students who are of the eligible age to vote shall be provided the opportunity to register to vote at their high school. During a primary election year, the opportunity will be provided at least thirty days prior to the primary election.

To ensure that all high schools comply with the requirements of this policy, each principal shall submit to the superintendent/designee by September 1 of each school year, their school's plan and procedures for providing the opportunity for voter registration instruction and voter registration.

Reference: WVA Code 18-2-9
State Policy 2324

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