

VIRGINIA SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF AND THE BLIND

TITLE: *Extended School Year*

POLICY NUMBER: S021

Policy Statement:

The Virginia School for the Deaf and the Blind shall be responsible for ensuring that students needing educational services beyond the normal school year receive extended year services as consistent with State and Federal Special Education Regulations (34 CFR 300.106).

Procedure:

- A. The Virginia School for the Deaf and the Blind ensures that extended school year services, are available as determined by the IEP team to provide a free appropriate public education.
- B. The Virginia School for the Deaf and the Blind will work collaboratively with the responsible, local school division, as part of the IEP team, to consider the need for extended school year services, including a review of performance data. If extended school year services are necessary, the Virginia School for the Deaf and the Blind will participate in the development of an appropriate plan.
- C. Should the IEP team determine that Extended School Year Services are warranted, the parents and the local school division will collaborate to schedule mutually agreed upon dates, times, and location.
- D. Extended school year services shall be provided only if a child's IEP team determines on an individual basis and through a review of data and student progress in regard to emerging skills, student progress, and possible regression of skills, that the services are necessary for the provision of a free appropriate public education.

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