



COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA  
Department of Education

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TO: Division Superintendents

FROM: Steven R. Staples, Superintendent of Public Instruction

**SUBJECT: Public Comment Period and Public Hearings on the Proposed 2016 Mathematics Standards of Learning and Proposed 2016 Mathematics Standards of Learning Curriculum Framework**

The Virginia Board of Education is seeking comments from the general public on the proposed 2016 *Mathematics Standards of Learning* and proposed 2016 *Mathematics Standards of Learning Curriculum Framework*.

The proposed 2016 *Mathematics Standards of Learning* identify academic content for essential components of the mathematics curriculum at different grade levels for Virginia's public schools. The proposed 2016 *Mathematics Standards of Learning Curriculum Framework*, a companion document to the proposed 2016 *Mathematics Standards of Learning*, amplifies the standards and further defines the content knowledge, skills, and understandings that are measured by the Standards of Learning assessments. The proposed 2016 *Mathematics Standards of Learning* and proposed 2016 *Mathematics Standards of Learning Curriculum Framework* can be accessed on the Virginia Department of Education's [Mathematics Standards of Learning and Curriculum Framework Review](#) Web site.

Public comment regarding the proposed 2016 *Mathematics Standards of Learning* and proposed 2016 *Mathematics Standards of Learning Curriculum Framework* may be offered through public comment submitted via e-mail to [mathematics@doe.virginia.gov](mailto:mathematics@doe.virginia.gov) no later than April 25, 2016 or by speaking at one of two public hearings. Each public hearing will begin at 6:30 p.m. Registration of speakers will begin at 6 p.m. Speakers will have three minutes to speak and should bring copies of their comments for the Board of Education. The public hearings will be held at the following locations:

- **April 14, 2016 – 6:30 p.m.**  
**Auburn High School**  
1650 Auburn School Drive  
Riner, Virginia 24149
- **April 19, 2016 – 6:30 p.m.**  
**Glen Allen High School**  
10700 Staples Mill Road  
Glen Allen, Virginia 23060

For additional information about the proposed 2016 *Mathematics Standards of Learning* and proposed 2016 *Mathematics Standards of Learning Curriculum Framework*, please contact staff at the Office of Mathematics and Governor's Schools by e-mail at [mathematics@doe.virginia.gov](mailto:mathematics@doe.virginia.gov), or by telephone at (804) 225-2959.

Link:

- [Mathematics Standards of Learning and Curriculum Framework Review](#)