

HB1231

JROTC; VDOE to Notify School Boards of any Federal Legal Obligation to Participate in Program



Bill Patron: Delegate Geary Higgins

■ WHAT THE BILL DOES:

Requires the Department to notify each school board of the obligations imposed by federal law or regulation regarding student eligibility to participate in Junior Reserve Officers' Training Corps (JROTC) programs offered by any branch of the Armed Forces of the United States.

■ HOW DOES THIS IMPACT SCHOOL DIVISIONS?

This notification should help school divisions stay current on federal updates and requirements for JROTC.

■ WHAT RESOURCES ARE AVAILABLE?

Extensive Information on each military branch JROTC program, including how to start a JROTC program, can be found at the following links:

- [Army JROTC](#)
- [Air Force JROTC](#)
- [Marine Corps JROTC](#)
- [Navy JROTC](#)

■ WHAT ADDITIONAL ITEMS WILL BE RELEASED?

- The VDOE will notify divisions in the weekly Virginia Education Update on July 11.

■ SCHOOL DIVISION NEXT STEPS:

- Ensure that all JROTC staff and associated division personnel are in receipt of the VDOE Virginia Education Updates.

■ WHO IS THE VDOE CONTACT:

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