

**TALBOT COUNTY  
PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
EASTON, MD 21601**

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### **EXTRA CURRICULAR SCHOOL ACTIVITIES**

The Talbot County Board of Education encourages the inclusion of voluntary extra curricular activities, giving equal opportunity for participation. All students regardless of race, color, sex, gender, gender identity, sexual orientation, age, national origin, religion, socio-economic status or disabling condition are encouraged to participate in these activities as long as they meet the academic and other eligibility requirements of the activity.

Talbot County Public Schools believes these activities:

- A. Promote the intellectual, personal, and social growth of students;
- B. Develop leadership skills and build student confidence;
- C. Develop wholesome attitudes;
- D. Develop positive human relationship skills and interpersonal relationships;
- E. Develop knowledge and developmental personal skills;
- F. Must require students to maintain high scholastic standards; and
- G. Develop school citizenship for the individual consistent with respect for self and others, interpersonal dignity, and respect for property.

The Board directs the administration to develop regulations to implement this policy and to outline a Code of Conduct for all advisors of TCPS extra curricular activities.