



# Special Education Annual Report

Presentation to the Harford  
County Board of Education

October 24, 2016

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# SECAC Mission Statement

To enhance partnerships of students, families, community leaders, organizations, educators and administrators through discussions that focus on the enrichment of services and opportunities for students with disabilities and their families.

# Accomplishments

- Explore the continuum of programs for students with disabilities in HCPS.
- Provide suggestions for enhancements.



# Recommendations

- Explore options for participation and achievement in the general education curriculum by all students.
- Promote the development of a Social Skills component across learning settings to address the behavioral challenges of students.

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- Enhance programming options for the expanding population of students with Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD).
- Reduce student to teacher ratio to ensure needs of all students are addressed in the Least Restrictive Environment (LRE).

# Questions?

Our next meeting is November 3, 2016.

Visit the HCPS Citizen Advisory Committee  
Web page for the full meeting schedule:

<http://www.hcps.org/boe/CAC.aspx>.