

Student Voter Action Plan - Due December 15, 2024 (Report Activities from Prior Academic Year)

The Maryland Higher Education Commission is required to report on the student voter campus activities at Maryland public institutions. The Student Voter Empowerment Act of 2020 (Maryland General Assembly) established the requirement that public and private nonprofit institutions of higher education submit a yearly "Student Voter Action Plan." The Student Voter Action Plan describes the dissemination of information about voter registration and voting, sharing of voter registration materials on campus, accommodation of early voting centers and precinct polling places on campus, and encouragement of student organizations engaged in voter registration and voting activities.

Additionally, the Student Voter Action Plan highlights a policy excusing students from class to vote; requiring a public and private nonprofit institutions of higher education to make the student voting plan available to the public and provide the plan to the Maryland Higher Education Commission. Also public and private nonprofit institutions of higher education are required to provide a link to the State of Maryland Board of Elections <https://elections.maryland.gov/> and the United States Election Assistance Commission www.eac.gov voter registration systems on the online student portal.

If you have questions, reach out to Derrick Coley at derrick.coley@maryland.gov.

* Indicates required question

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Information About the Person Completing this Form

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Public 4-year

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Institutional Voter Website Activity

Please use your website analytics to determine the number of students who clicked the Voter Registration Link on your institution's website. (If zero, enter "0")

7. *

Executive Summary

Please summarize your institution's approach to Student Voter Action and Engagement.

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Student Voter Engagement Timeline and Events

Please enter monthly events for the prior academic year.

9. AUGUST 2023

10. SEPTEMBER 2023

11. OCTOBER 2023

12. NOVEMBER 2023

13. DECEMBER 2023

14. JANUARY 2024

15. FEBRUARY 2024

16. MARCH 2024

17. APRIL 2024

18. MAY 2024

Student Voter Engagement Partners

The traditional way of organizing student voter engagement through partnerships was challenged during the pandemic and colleges and universities had to creatively re-think of how to engage with their student population.

- 19. Who are your campus community student voter engagement partners? The partners can include both internal and external groups working to promote voter outreach and education on campus.

Student Voter and Civic Engagement Goals

Civic engagement involves working to make a difference in the civic life of one's community and developing the combination of knowledge, skills, values and motivation to make that difference. Because students are so diverse, as are the contexts in which they participate and the issues they face, civic engagement will mean different things to different groups of young people.

- 20. What are your campus student voter and civic engagement goals? If applicable, please include tables and graphs highlighting voting, registration rates and age groups.

First Year Student Voter Participation

21. Please describe voter engagement in the first year student population (include freshman seminar, student organizations, etc.).

Additional Voter Registration Files

Please include voter registration files, screenshots and other images illustrating student voter outreach. Image files can be uploaded.

22. File Upload Option

Files submitted:

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