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**Commonwealth of Virginia
Virginia Department of Education
Superintendent's Memo #241-22**

DATE: October 14, 2022
TO: Division Superintendents
FROM: Jillian Balow, Superintendent of Public Instruction
SUBJECT: **2022 Physical Education Standards of Learning Curriculum Framework**

On August 17, 2022, the Virginia Board of Education approved and adopted the proposed revisions to the 2015 *Physical Education Standards of Learning Curriculum Framework*. The 2022 *Physical Education Standards of Learning Curriculum Framework* was developed through numerous phases of meetings convened with Virginia educators, college professors, and other stakeholders. The layout of the 2022 Curriculum Framework was reformatted to provide internal consistency with curriculum frameworks for other disciplines, such as the recently adopted 2022 *Health Education Standards of Learning Curriculum Framework*. Changing the layout of the curriculum framework significantly changed the content. However, a dynamic technical assistance document that mirrors the format of the 2015 *Physical Educational Standard of Learning Curriculum Framework* will be maintained to bridge the transition to the new layout, broaden the scope of the 2022 *Physical Education Standard of Learning Curriculum Framework*, and be periodically updated to include emerging best practice resources for the Physical Educational Standard of Learning within the seven-year review cycle.

The 2022 [Physical Education Standards of Learning Curriculum Framework](#) and [Physical Education Standards of Learning Technical Assistance Guide](#) can be accessed at the Virginia Department of Education (VDOE) Physical Education Standards of Learning webpage.

For more information

For additional information about the 2022 *Physical Education Standards of Learning Curriculum Framework* and Technical Assistance Guide, please contact Vanessa Wigand, Coordinator, Physical, Health, Family Life, and Driver Education, in the Office of Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics and Innovation, by email at Vanessa.Wigand@doe.virginia.gov or by telephone at (804) 225-3300.

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