

## SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER IN-SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Members of Bristol Virginia School Board participate annually in high-quality professional development activities at the state, local, or national levels on governance, including personnel policies and practices; the evaluation of personnel, curriculum, and instruction; use of data in planning and decision-making; and current issues in education as part of their service on the Board.

Each elected board member completes a training session on the Virginia Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) provided by the Virginia Freedom of Information Advisory Council or the Board's attorney within two months of assuming office and thereafter at least once every two calendar years.

Each board member completes a training session for local elected officials on the State and Local Government Conflict of Interests Act (COIA) provided by the Virginia Conflict of Interest and Ethics Advisory Council (the Ethics Council) within two months of assuming office and thereafter at least once every two calendar years.

The school board clerk maintains records of the dates on which each school board member completed the required FOIA and COIA training sessions. The records are maintained in the clerk's office for five years.

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Legal Ref.: Code of Virginia, 1950, as amended, §§ 2.2-3132, 2.2-3704.3, 22.1-78, 22.1-253.13:5.

Cross Ref.: BBFA Conflict of Interests and Disclosure of Economic Interests  
BCC School Board Clerk