



April 15, 2024

Dear Parent/Guardian:

I hope you have enjoyed providing your child/children with a year of academic and socio-emotional growth! Planning for the 2024-2025 academic year is well underway here in Arlington, and I imagine that is the case with you and your children.

According to state guidelines (Section 22.1-254.1 of the Code of Virginia), the parent who elects to provide home instruction shall provide the division superintendent by **August 1** following the school year in which the child has received home instruction with either (1) evidence that the child has attained a composite score at or above the fourth stanine on any nationally normed standardized achievement test or (2) an evaluation or assessment which the division superintendent determines to indicate that the child is achieving an adequate level of educational growth and progress. *Information about the two additional assessment options for Evidence of Academic Achievement can be found here:*

https://www.apsva.us/wp-content/uploads/sites/57/2024/04/Evidence-of-Academic-Achievement_Proof-of-Progress-.docx.pdf

Parents/ Guardians of K Learners: *This requirement does not apply to children who were under the age of six as of September 30th of the 2023-2024 academic year.*

Please send the documentation to meet the above-referenced state requirement to my office no later than **August 1, 2024**. Parents/guardians who have used our secure, online portal Egnyte, are encouraged to upload their 23-24 documentation for **Evidence of Academic Achievement** in Egnyte: <https://apsva.egnyte.com/ul/pFdVjRLeSG>

Due by August 15, 2024:

Notice of Intent to (NOI) Homeschool for SY 2024-2025 academic year will be processed beginning July 8, 2024. *They will be processed in the order in which they are received.*

A link to the NOI for SY 2024-2025 can be found here:

<https://www.apsva.us/wp-content/uploads/sites/57/2024/04/NOI-2024-2025-Final-3.pdf>



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Looking for live links for this letter? Please go to:

<https://www.apsva.us/homeschooling/forms/>

If any of the following circumstances apply to you, please supply a written statement of your plans, so that we may complete our records for your child:

Child will be enrolled in school for the 2024-25 academic year.

Child will move out of Arlington County for the 2024-25 academic year.

Child is graduating this year.

Once all paperwork is processed, a confirmation letter to families will be mailed in **late September**.

**Parents/Guardians are welcome to supply a hard copy of Evidence of Academic Achievement and NOI (Notice of Intent). Materials can be mailed to:*

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