

Dear Colleague,

Please see the information below relevant to new law that went into effect on July 1, 2014.

Guidance from the State Council of Higher Education for Virginia (SCHEV) for Compliance to New Code Language

During the 2014 Regular Session of the General Assembly, HB 886 was adopted without opposition. This bill requires institutions and secondary schools make SCHEV data available to enrolled and prospective college students. The new Code language can be found in its entirety at <http://lis.virginia.gov/cgi-bin/legp604.exe?141+ful+CHAP0472> . Below we have provided pertinent excerpts.

For school boards:

§ **22.1-253.13:1**. Standard 1. Instructional programs supporting the Standards of Learning and other educational objectives.

D. Local school boards shall also implement the following:

*d. Annual notice on its website to enrolled high school students and their parents of the availability of the postsecondary education and employment data published by the State Council of Higher Education on its website pursuant to § **23-9.2:3.04**.*

In order to comply with this mandate, SCHEV recommends directing students to this URL: <http://research.schev.edu/findacollege.asp> which provides a simple map of the colleges and universities in the Commonwealth to which this statute is applicable. Users can filter on a variety of characteristics to limit the display to institutions that may best fit their interest. The links on the page access the institutional profiles which provide overviews of the data required by the statute.

School boards are free to use whatever language they deem appropriate for their locality. SCHEV has provided the text below as a suggestion.

Suggested language:

Students and their families are encouraged to use a variety of information sources to select a college and major. The State Council of Higher Education for Virginia (SCHEV) provides one such source that is available [here](#).

For post-secondary institutions:

§ **23-2.4**. *Postsecondary education and employment data.*

*Each institution of higher education shall provide a link to the postsecondary education and employment data published by the State Council of Higher Education on its website pursuant to § **23-9.2:3.04**.*

In order to comply with this mandate, we recommend that institutions link directly to the institutional profile for their institution. That URL takes the form <http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID={UNITID}>

Institutions should be aware that SCHEV will ask for the address of the page on which this link is placed as part of Catalog collection, in order to report back to patron on compliance.

Institutions are free to use whatever language they deem appropriate for their community. SCHEV has provided the text below as a suggestion.

Suggested text:

Students and prospective students may find the information resources of the State Council of Higher Education for Virginia (SCHEV) of use in planning for college and careers. SCHEV has created an institutional profile for each Virginia public college and university, and for each independent college or university participating in the Virginia Tuition Assistance Grant Program. Our profile is available [here](#).

For your convenience, the next page provides a table of institutions and UNITIDs.

If you have any questions, please contact me directly.

Sincerely,

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449922	Appalachian College of Pharmacy	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=449922
231420	Averett University	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=231420
449931	Averett University Non-Traditional	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=449931
231536	Blue Ridge Community College	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=231536
231554	Bluefield College	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=231554
231581	Bridgewater College	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=231581
231697	Central Virginia Community College	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=231697
231703	Christendom College	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=231703
231712	Christopher Newport University	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=231712
231624	College of William and Mary	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=231624
231873	Dabney S. Lancaster Community College	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=231873
231882	Danville Community College	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=231882
232043	Eastern Mennonite University	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=232043
232052	Eastern Shore Community College	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=232052
231970	Eastern Virginia Medical School	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=231970
442806	Edward Via College of Osteopathic Medicine	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=442806
232025	Emory and Henry College	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=232025
232089	Ferrum College	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=232089
232186	George Mason University	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=232186
131469	George Washington University	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=131469
232195	Germanna Community College	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=232195
232256	Hampden-Sydney College	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=232256
232265	Hampton University	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=232265
232308	Hollins University	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=232308
232414	J Sargeant Reynolds Community College	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=232414
232423	James Madison University	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=232423
231837	Jefferson College of Health Sciences	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=231837
232450	John Tyler Community College	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=232450
232557	Liberty University	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=232557
232566	Longwood University	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=232566
232575	Lord Fairfax Community College	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=232575
232609	Lynchburg College	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=232609
232672	Mary Baldwin College	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=232672
232706	Marymount University	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=232706
232788	Mountain Empire Community College	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=232788
232867	New River Community College	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=232867
232937	Norfolk State University	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=232937
232946	Northern Virginia Community College	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=232946
232982	Old Dominion University	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=232982
233019	Patrick Henry Community College	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=233019
233037	Paul D Camp Community College	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=233037
233116	Piedmont Virginia Community College	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=233116
233277	Radford University	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=233277
233301	Randolph College	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=233301
233295	Randolph-Macon College	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=233295
233310	Rappahannock Community College	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=233310
231651	Regent University	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=231651
233338	Richard Bland College	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=233338
233426	Roanoke College	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=233426
233541	Shenandoah University	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=233541
233611	Southern Virginia University	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=233611
233639	Southside Virginia Community College	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=233639
233648	Southwest Virginia Community College	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=233648

233718	Sweet Briar College	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=233718
233754	Thomas Nelson Community College	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=233754
233772	Tidewater Community College	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=233772
232681	University of Mary Washington	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=232681
233374	University of Richmond	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=233374
234076	University of Virginia	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=234076
233897	University of Virginia's College at Wise	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=233897
234030	Virginia Commonwealth University	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=234030
233903	Virginia Highlands Community College	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=233903
234085	Virginia Military Institute	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=234085
234155	Virginia State University	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=234155
233921	Virginia Tech	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=233921
459082	Virginia Tech Carilion School of Medicine	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=459082
234164	Virginia Union University	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=234164
234173	Virginia Wesleyan College	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=234173
233949	Virginia Western Community College	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=233949
234207	Washington and Lee University	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=234207
234377	Wytheville Community College	http://research.schev.edu/iprofile.asp?UID=234377