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# News Release

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## 118 Education Programs from Across Virginia Featured in the 21<sup>st</sup> Annual VSBA Showcases for Success Directory

**Charlottesville, VA**--The Virginia School Boards Association (VSBA) has released its 21<sup>st</sup> annual *VSBA Showcases for Success* directory, highlighting successful K-12 programs in Virginia's public schools. This year's featured programs highlight successful projects related to *Innovative Programs, School Initiatives, and Partnerships*.

"In addition to highlighting some of the best practices taking place in Virginia's schools, the VSBA Showcases for Success directory can serve as a starting point to develop similar programs in other school divisions," said Gina G. Patterson, VSBA executive director, "It is important to highlight innovative programs at all levels in school divisions, and the VSBA Showcases for Success directory illustrates that there are excellent programs and initiatives taking place in Virginia's public schools."

The directory is available on the VSBA web site at [www.vsba.org/showcases](http://www.vsba.org/showcases). A total of 118 programs from 56 school divisions from across Virginia are included.

### About the Virginia School Boards Association

Virginia School Boards Association, a voluntary, nonpartisan organization of Virginia school boards, promotes excellence in public education through leadership, advocacy, and services. The Association offers conferences, information, training, and counseling designed to meet the needs of the Commonwealth's educational leaders.

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