

[West's Annotated Code of Virginia](#)

[Title 22.1. Education \(Refs & Annos\)](#)

[Chapter 13. Programs, Courses of Instruction and Textbooks \(Refs & Annos\)](#)

[Article 2. Special Education \(Refs & Annos\)](#)

VA Code Ann. § 22.1-217.03

§ 22.1-217.03. Individualized education program teams to consider need
for certain age-appropriate and developmentally appropriate instruction

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[Currentness](#)

A. The Department of Education shall establish, make available to each school board, and post on its website guidelines for individualized education program (IEP) teams to utilize when developing IEPs for children with disabilities to ensure that IEP teams consider the need for age-appropriate and developmentally appropriate instruction related to sexual health, self-restraint, self-protection, respect for personal privacy, and personal boundaries of others.

B. In developing IEPs for children with disabilities, in addition to any other requirements established by the Board, each local school board shall ensure that IEP teams consider the guidelines established by the Department of Education pursuant to subsection A.

Credits

Added by [Acts 2020, c. 51](#); [Acts 2020, c. 170](#). Amended by [Acts 2024, c. 493](#).

VA Code Ann. § 22.1-217.03, VA ST § 22.1-217.03

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