For the application & further resources visit:

simplebooklet.com /policy2010guide

The Student Delegate Position fosters:

- Leadership
- Networking
- Collaboration
- Responsibility

Student Delegates: Roles, Responsibilities, & Selection Process

An Introduction & Guide 2022-23

The SMOB Convention is an annual event attended by 138 student delegates (6 from each High School & 3 from each Middle School) for the purpose of nominating 2 final Student Member of the Board (SMOB) Candidates from a pool of applicants. The 2 final SMOB candidates will run in a countywide election in hopes of becoming the next SMOB. The role of the SMOB is to vote on behalf of the students on the Howard County Board of Education.



Student Delegate Roles & Responsibilities

- Serve as a representative of their school
 - Understand the opinions & views of their classmates
- Understand and promote the role of the Student Member of the Board
- Participate in HCASC Delegate Training sessions
- Share Convention experience and continue active participation in the SMOB election process
- Student Delegates may not apply to be a SMOB Applicant

Learn More

Howard County Association of Student Councils (HCASC) <u>hcasc.hcpss.org</u>

Instagram @_hcasc_ @hocosmob @hocoschools

Twitter @HoCoSMOB @HCPSS

Visit the SMOB Guide Portal



Delegate Selection Process

1) Student Delegate Applications due by 2/15/2023

Visit <u>simplebooklet.com/policy2010guide</u> and find the "Student Delegate Application" icon. Click on the icon and find and complete "[Your School's Name] Student Delegate Application".

2) Delegate Selection Committee Convened

At each HS and MS, the Policy 2010 Administrative appoint of Contact shall convene a Delegate Selection Committee. Each committee shall include the principal, the student council advisor or a counselor, and 3 students that are representative of the student body and the school's demographics. (If interested in serving on the Delegate Selection Committee, please contact <u>your school's point of contact</u>)

3) Each Student Delegate Applicant Interviewed

Delegate Selection Committees will interview each Student Delegate applicant from their school to decide which students will represent the school at the SMOB Convention.

3) Selection Committees Select Student Delegates

Each MS Delegate Selection Committee shall select 1 student delegate from each grade for a total of 3 student delegates from each MS.

Each HS Delegate Selection Committee shall select 1 student delegate from each grade and 3 student delegates at large who may represent grade 9, 10, and/or 11, for a total of 6 student delegates from each HS.

5) Student Delegate Names Submitted by 3/1

Administrator Point of Contacts should submit the selected student delegate names through the form provided by Mrs. Drummond.