

# SENATE BILL 409

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By: **Anne Arundel County Senators**

Introduced and read first time: January 29, 2026

Assigned to: Education, Energy, and the Environment

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## A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Anne Arundel County Board of Education – Member Compensation and Student**  
3 **Member Scholarship – Increase**

4 FOR the purpose of increasing the compensation of the president, vice president, and other  
5 members of the Anne Arundel County Board of Education; increasing, beginning in  
6 a certain year, the scholarship award for a student member of the county board who  
7 completes a full term on the county board; and generally relating to the  
8 compensation of the members and the scholarship of the student member of the Anne  
9 Arundel County Board of Education.

10 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
11 Article – Education  
12 Section 3–2A–07  
13 Annotated Code of Maryland  
14 (2025 Replacement Volume and 2025 Supplement)

15 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND,  
16 That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

17 **Article – Education**

18 3–2A–07.

19 (a) The president of the county board is entitled to receive [\$17,000] **\$25,000**  
20 annually as compensation, the vice president is entitled to receive [\$16,000] **\$24,000**  
21 annually as compensation, and, except for the student member, the other board members  
22 are entitled to receive [\$15,000] **\$23,000** each annually as compensation.

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EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



(b) A student member who completes a full term on the county board shall be granted a scholarship [of \$15,000] to be applied toward the student's higher education costs IN THE FOLLOWING AMOUNT:

(1) \$15,000 FOR A TERM THAT BEGINS BEFORE JULY 1, 2029; AND

(2) \$23,000 FOR A TERM THAT BEGINS ON OR AFTER JULY 1, 2029.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, in accordance with Article III, § 35 of the Maryland Constitution, this Act may not be construed to extend or apply to the salary or compensation of the president, vice president, members, and student member of the Anne Arundel County Board of Education while serving in a term of office beginning before the effective date of this Act, but the provisions of this Act concerning the salary or compensation of the president, vice president, members, and student member of the Anne Arundel County Board of Education shall take effect at the beginning of the next following term of office. This limitation does not apply to an individual appointed or elected after the effective date of this Act to fill out an unexpired term.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2026.