



MONTGOMERY COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

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BILL: HB0905 (Cross filed with SB0845)
TITLE: Education - Workforce Development Sequence Scholarships - Eligibility
DATE: 3/3/2021
POSITION: Supports
COMMITTEE: Appropriations
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The Montgomery County Board of Education (Board) **supports** HB0905.

HB0905 would allow students enrolled directly in registered apprenticeship programs to be eligible for Workforce Development Sequence Scholarships.

Montgomery County Public Schools currently allows students to choose to enroll in registered apprenticeship programs and students may also be able to do so without the school system's knowledge. Students who choose to enroll may benefit from this expanded definition of eligibility.

For these reasons, the Board **supports** this legislation and urges a **favorable** report.