

ARTICLE 77.

PUBLIC EDUCATION.¹

1. Providing free system of.

Chapter 1. Control and Supervision.

2. State department of education; state board of education.
3. County board of education.
4. District board of school trustees.

Chapter 2. Formation of Boards.

5. State board of education; appointment; term; removal; vacancies.
6. County boards of education; appointment; term; removal; vacancies.
7. Board for Anne Arundel County.
8. District boards of school trustees; appointment; term; removal; vacancies; when duties devolve upon county board.

Chapter 3. State Board of Education.

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10. Expenses to be paid. State superintendent of schools.
- 11-12. Duties; by-laws; institution of legal proceedings.
13. Rules and regulations for school buildings, etc.
14. Regulations for grading and standardizing schools; requirements for certificates, diplomas and degrees. When school may be titled "High School."
15. Courses of study.
16. Regulations; subjects and standards for certification of teachers and acceptance of diplomas.

17. Trustees of normal schools; jurisdiction over.

- 18-19. Regulations for school census; forms and blanks; accounts, records and reports.

20. Approved colleges; standards.

21. Reports from private schools.

22. Investigation of educational needs and means of improving conditions; expert assistance.

23. School budget; changes in appropriation for special educational purposes, etc.

24. Annual report to Governor.

25. Additional or amended legislation to be recommended; hearing by committees.

26. Other duties of state board.

Chapter 3A. State Superintendent of Schools.

27. Appointment; salary; qualifications; removal; vacancy.

- 28-29. General duties and powers of superintendent.

- 30-33. Superintendent to pass on school sites, buildings, etc.; to certify teachers; courses of study; additional facilities for instruction in certain subjects.

- 34-38. General responsibility. Departmental assistants; professional assistants; biennial school census; physically handicapped children; annual report of state board; other duties.

¹ In view of the frequent changes in the statutes composing art. 77, care should be exercised to determine whether cases referred to in notes deal with the statute as it at present exists.

See art. 43 of Declaration of Rights and art. 8 of Md. Constitution.

The act of 1914, ch. 844, creates a commission to conduct a survey of the public schools, normal schools, state-aided elementary and secondary schools and higher educational institutions of Maryland, etc.

The act of 1916, ch. 23, authorizes appointment of a commission to report upon the practicability of providing for universal service, military education and training in public schools, and of creating a military reserve.

The act of 1916, ch. 376, continues in existence educational survey commission created by the act of 1914, ch. 844, empowers said commission to make such a survey and makes an appropriation for expenses thereof.

Ch. 610, Acts of 1939, provides for a commission to conduct survey of the public elementary and high schools and State Teachers' Colleges of the State.