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Date: July 26, 2019

Consent Agenda Item (Action Item):

South Floyd Elementary School 8th Grade College Visit to Marshall University

Applicable State or Regulations:

Board policy 09.3(Student activities of an educational nature shall be encouraged and maintained, based upon the needs and interests of pupils.)

Board policy 09.36 (Field trips shall be related to the course of study and have educational value.)

CSIP Activity #6 B2, B3 Varied classroom instruction to address diversity and enhance student learning. (Students will be exposed to theatrical productions, various types of arts/music and high level learning experiences through field trips, presentations by local and professional presenters, in-house presentations, and virtual tours.)

Budget/Financial Issues:

No expense to the Floyd County Board of Education, as expenses will be paid in full by Gear Up.

Background and Rationale:

Our goal is to expose our students to a variety of college campuses and opportunities starting in 8th grade to develop a mindset of obtaining a college education. Marshall University is close to home, but is not frequently visited because it is out of state. By taking our students on a tour, they will experience a campus that they may not have the opportunity to visit prior to choosing which college they attend.

The trip would be on August 16, 2019. Students would travel from South Floyd Elementary to Huntington, WV via Floyd County Transportation to tour the campus, have lunch on campus, and return to South Floyd Elementary.

Recommended Action:

Our recommendation is to approve as stated.

Contact Person(s):

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