

Key Question Nine:

How should the state implement these recommendations and assist local school systems in developing, implementing, and monitoring their efforts?

RECOMMENDATION 9.1.

GIFTED AND TALENTED ADVISORY COUNCIL

The State Board of Education should appoint an on-going Gifted and Talented Advisory Council to develop fair and equitable timelines for implementation of the recommendations in this report, provide technical assistance to local school systems, and monitor the development and delivery of services for gifted and talented students across the state.

RECOMMENDATION 9.2.

STATEWIDE DATABASE

The Maryland State Department of Education should develop a database that contains a list of resources and educational options at the state and national level for meeting the needs of gifted and talented students.

RECOMMENDATION 9.3.

STATEWIDE INITIATIVE

In order to ensure that the recommendations of this report are fully implemented, a state initiative should be established to develop resources and provide technical assistance to local school systems.

