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ADMINISTRATIVE POLICY

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**SERVICE ANIMAL POLICY**

Clarksville-Montgomery County School System adheres to federal and state laws related to permitting students and/or non-district personnel with disabilities to be accompanied by a service animal in its school buildings, classrooms, and at school functions, as required by Title II of the American with Disabilities Act, 28 C.F.R. Part 35 (ADA).

Definitions:

Service Animal: any dog that has been individually trained to do work or perform tasks for the benefit of an individual with a disability.

Work or tasks: must be directly related to the handler’s disability. Work or tasks includes, but is not limited to, assisting individuals who are blind or have low vision with navigation or other tasks, or assisting an individual during a seizure. The provision of emotional support, well-being, comfort, or companionship do not constitute work or task for the purpose of this definition.

Implementing Procedures: Service Animals (INS-P034)

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**\*\*\* End of Policy \*\*\***