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VIRGIN ISLANDS BOARD OF EDUCATION ANNOUNCES FINANCIAL AID APPLICATIONS AVAILABLE

The Virgin Islands Board of Education (VIBE) would like to advise the public that financial aid applications are available online at the VIBE's website www.myviboe.com. Returning applicants can login and apply via the "Financial Aid" menu tab. New applicants may visit our site, click on the sign-in/sign up option, create a new user account, and apply via our web application.

Applicants are encouraged to apply prior to the application deadline of <u>April 20, 2020</u> for this 2020 financial aid season. Paper applications will be available at our St. Thomas and St. Croix offices located at 60B, 61and 62 Dronningens Gade St. Thomas VI, and 1123 King Street, Christiansted, VI.

For more information, please contact our offices in St. Croix at 340-772-4144 or in St. Thomas at 340-774-4546.

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MISSION STATEMENT

The Virgin Islands Board of Education is committed to its vision and will promote the transformation of the structure of existing public education through:

1. governance over the public education system; 2. improved student, parent, teacher relationship; 3. comprehensive community engagement; 4. standards that promote high academic achievement; 5. creation of an environment that is conducive to effective communication; 6. enhanced quality of professional development for all; 7. provision of adequate resources to achieve our vision, goals and objectives.

VISION STATEMENT