

Proposed Timeline for the Adoption and Implementation of
 A Policy Increasing the Compulsory Attendance Age to 18
 Monday, April 22, 2013
 Jefferson County Board of Education Meeting

March 19, 2013	Formation of a district team to examine Senate Bill 97 and current practices to prevent student dropouts in JCPS.
March 25, 2013	Presentation to the Board of Education to provide an overview of Senate Bill 97, an overview of current dropout data, current practices to prevent student dropouts. The Board accepted the update.
April 11, 2013	Small team reviewed resolution from the Kentucky Board of Education urging districts to become early adopters. Team drafted a resolution for JCPS to become early adopters of a policy to raise the compulsory attendance age to 18.
April 22, 2013	Agenda item and resolution will be presented to the Board for their consideration and review.
May 2013	Kentucky School Boards Association (KSBA) will include language in their May update that districts may use in drafting a policy to raise the compulsory attendance age.
June 2013	District team will examine KSBA language and draft a proposed Board policy to increase the compulsory attendance age to 18. Team will work with Rosemary Miller and staff to finalize the proposed policy.
July 1, 2013	Local boards of education can begin adopting such a policy on July 1, 2013, or thereafter. Kentucky Department of Education has announced that the first 57 districts who approve a policy raising the dropout age may be eligible for a \$10,000 planning grant.
July 8, 2013	Jefferson County Board of Education meeting—first opportunity to consider adoption of proposed policy to increase compulsory attendance age to 18.
Beginning July 9, 2013	Pending Board approval of a policy, development of an implementation plan, communications plan, community supports and fiscal considerations will begin. This process will involve all stakeholders.
July 1, 2015	Pending Board approval of a policy, implementation of policy effective July 1, 2015.