

**KENTUCKY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION STAFF NOTE
REVIEW ITEM**

Topic: FY 2023 KSB/KSD Overview

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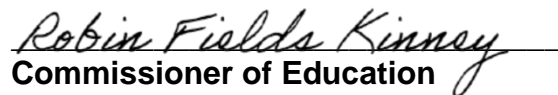
SUMMARY OF PRESENTATION:

KRS 156.070 details the general powers and duties of the state board, including management of the two state schools: “The Kentucky Board of Education (KBE) shall have the management and control of the common schools and all programs operated in these schools, including interscholastic athletics, the Kentucky School for the Deaf, the Kentucky School for the Blind, and community education programs and services.” KRS 167.015 also provides that: “The Kentucky School for the Blind at Louisville, Kentucky, and the Kentucky School for the Deaf at Danville, Kentucky, shall be managed and controlled by the Kentucky Board of Education.”

During the Oct. 2023 meeting of the State Schools Committee, members requested a presentation regarding financial operations at Kentucky School for the Blind (KSB) and Kentucky School for the Deaf (KSD). Staff from the Office of Special Education and Early Learning and the Office of Finance and Operations will review how funds were used to support students at KSB and KSD during fiscal year 2023.

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