Discussion of the 2026 Board Meeting Schedule Jefferson County Board of Education

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Requirements

KRS 160.270 requires a local board of education to hold "at least one (1) regular meeting each month, at a time and place fixed by the Board."

Board Policy 01.45 establishes the standard format to be used for regular Board meeting agendas.

Calendar Considerations

Schedule is being developed to avoid calendar conflicts including:

- Major Religious and National Holidays
- School Calendar Conflicts
- Election Days
- State and National Education Conferences
- Statutory Deadlines for Budget and Tax Approvals

Meeting Types

This proposed schedule has 15 Regular Board meeting dates, two fewer than the past three years:

- 11 Board Business Meetings (includes Information Items, Action Items and a Consent Calendar)
- 4 Board Work Session Meetings (includes Work Sessions and a Consent Calendar)

Meetings begin at 6:00 pm ET

Reduction in Meeting Dates

This proposed schedule has 15 Regular Board meeting dates, two fewer than the last three years.

- Change was made at the request of key administrative staff who manage the Board meeting agenda and contracts and agreements
- Two fewer meetings will allow at least three weeks between meetings
- Less than three weeks between meetings creates a significant logistical challenges, requiring staff to juggle three meeting simultaneously
- Fifteen meetings will improve efficiency and reduce the potential for error while allowing the Board to conduct its business in a timely manner

Meeting Schedule

The 15 Board Meeting dates as follows:

Date	Meeting Type	Date	Meeting Type
January 20	Organizational Business Meeting	July 21	Business Meeting
February 10	Work Session Meeting	August 11	Work Session Meeting
March 10	Business Meeting	September 1	Business Meeting
March 31	Business Meeting	September 22	Business Meeting
April 21	Business Meeting	October 13	Business Meeting
May 12	Work Session Meeting	November 10	Work Session Meeting
June 9	Business Meeting	December 15	Business Meeting
June 30	Business Meeting		

Questions and Feedback