

Policy and Procedure Update

“2026-2027 At-A-Glance”

Policies:

1.0-Advertisements and Notices be listed in both EASTERN AND CENTRAL time

1.11- Superintendent MAY remove a principal identified as TSI for 2 or more consecutive years, school funding cannot advocate for or against a public question on a ballot, a designee has been added to request any waivers in addition to the Superintendent, Districts SHALL not enter in non-disclosure agreements relating to misconduct of a minor or student, and the Bill of Rights shall be displayed in all school classrooms.

1.111-you must display your academic information on the district website and the Trauma Informed Approach Plan is removed from the CSIP.

1.41-Chairperson and Vice-Chairperson changed to “Chair” and “Vice-Chair”. The budget procedures have to be reviewed after each election of the Chair and Vice-Chair with the Board, Superintendent, and Finance Officer (time does not count toward service hours). The Board Chair terms are not to exceed two years.

1.4111-Chair and Vice-Chair updated to be consistent with policy 1.41

1.42-Times of regular meetings listed in both EASTERN and CENTRAL time.

1.44-Chair and Vice-Chair updated as well as EASTERN and Central time language.

1.83-In-Service training for Board Members update

2.12-The word “statute” added to item 8 of this policy in addition to Kentucky Board of Education.

2.131-Superintendent Contract changes related to percentage increased compared to classroom teachers and the contract is published on the district website and submitted to KDE within 30 days.

02.31 Requiring criminal justice agencies to provide criminal history records to requesting agencies when they are conducting a basic suitability or fitness assessment for federal or contractor employees

2.423-SBDM shall set the start time in both EASTERN and CENTRAL time.

2.4242-The Board can reduce the allocation of per pupil allotment but the reduction SHALL not be less than \$100.

2.442-Academic information shall be displayed on the schools internet landing page.

3.11-Employee notification of self-reporting requirements, minority search requirement removed, and not being allowed to enter into Non-Disclosure agreements related to misconduct.

3.121-Administrators shall not receive a percentage increase greater than that of a teacher.

3.1311-Self-report of an employee charged with a felony.

3.1321- school funding cannot advocate for or against a public question on a ballot and non-CDL drivers transporting students shall meet the requirements set forth by KRS 160.380. (need to ask Wayne Young about polling places)

3.1324- School funding cannot advocate for or against a public question on a ballot.

3.19-No professional development can teach the three-cueing system of reading and all employees by June 2027 shall have training related to professional relationships and communication with students.

3.21-The district shall disclose any information related to disciplinary action related to child abuse and neglect.

3.2311-Self-report of an employee with a felony.

3.231- School funding cannot advocate for or against a public question on a ballot and non-CDL drivers transporting students shall meet the requirements set forth by KRS 160.380.

3.2324- School funding cannot advocate for or against a public question on a ballot.

3.29- All employees by June 2027 shall have training related to professional relationships and communication with students.

4.1-Budget updates to reflect in accordance with KRS 160.461 and include a minimum of 2% reserve.

4.31-Verbage change to add “Board approved working budget” and that school funding cannot advocate for or against a public question on a ballot.

4.311-Flexibility added to rounding cash transactions when pennies are not available.

4.33-Removes \$40,000 to say “small purchase maximum under ITEMS BID/PURCHASED.

4.91-Financial reports added to the website.

5.4-School mapping data goes to Kentucky 911 services board.

5.48-Bus stop added as the jurisdiction of the school.

6.2-9 passengers changed to 10 passengers for district owned vehicles and may use stop arm cameras.

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7.111-The board may approve the sale of competitive foods by a student-based enterprise.

7.13-If the District participates in the United States Department of Agriculture Child Nutrition Programs they can purchase Kentucky-grown agriculture products.

8.1- The three-cueing system for reading shall not be utilized. 158 prohibiting districts from utilizing a three-cueing system by the 2029-2030 school year and to require interdisciplinary early childhood through grade five educators to complete a science of reading professional learning program by June 30, 2029.

8.1313-Dyslexia policy updated (several changes).

8.1341-Workplace ethics program reporting requirement removed.

8.1346-Physical Education requirement now aligns with 704 KAR 8:050

8.215-Writing program updates. *Published on districts website

8.231-Parents rights notification to review content and have a process for excusal. the united states supreme court held that the first amendments requires the district to provide parents/guardians with notice of materials to be taught and the right to opt out based on sincerely held religious beliefs.

*Written notice to parents.

8.2323-Electronic Media update to reflect “qualified” volunteers and students enrolled in the district. Adding additional individuals for reporting purposes. this bill contains an emergency clause and is in effect as of april 13, 2026.

8.2324-Traceable communications expanding definitions, limiting the scope of unauthorized electronic communication and excluding designated types of communication from the requirement to obtain written parental permission. this bill contains an emergency clause and is in effect as of april 13, 2026.

9.12-Addition of “immediately enrolled” in regard to homeless students.

9.2211-Requirement to report intentional physical injury (or attempt of) from a student to staff member to law enforcement unless the school feels like the injury or attempt of injury was related to the student’s disability. Requiring districts to report and investigate abusive conduct involving a minor or student. this bill contains an emergency clause and is in effect as of april 10, 2026.

9.227-District requirement to investigate abuse allegations as it relates to employees. The investigation shall not end prior to completion as a result of resignation or transfer.

9.3-An expelled student shall not participate in any school sponsored activity/athletics.

9.425- Requirement to report intentional physical injury (or attempt of) from a student to staff member to law enforcement unless the school feels like the injury or attempt of injury was related to the student’s disability. additional reporting requirement for district created law enforcement agency.

9.43- Trauma Informed Approach Plan is removed from the CSIP.

9.435-Expulsion requirement for 12 months of student in grades 6-12 who physically assaults, batters or abuses school personnel without just cause.

8.136-Removing 704 KAR 10:022 due to expiration

Procedures:

3.19 AP.23-Training requirements page updated related to relationships/communications, dyslexia and traceable communication policy updates. (listed above in polices)

4.1 AP.11-District budget timelines updated.

4.1 AP.2-District budget timelines updated.

04.32 AP.1 Allowing a board participating in any of the united states department of agriculture child nutrition programs to purchase kentucky-grown agricultural products.

7.13 AP.1-Small purchase increase to \$50,000 and ability to purchase from Kentucky grown agricultural products.

8.231 AP.21-Religious Beliefs Excusal Process form.

8.2324 AP.1-Updates to Traceable Communications consent documentation.

8.2324 AP.2-Consent form for Traceable Communications updated.

9.12 AP.1-Homeless procedure to relate to updated policy on immediate enrollment.