

KBE Hearing Officer Report and Regulation Update October 2026

REGULATIONS IN PROCESS

Regulation reviewed by ARRS at its 3/9/26 meeting and IJCE at its 6/2/26 meeting:

704 KAR 3:410. Preschool education program for four (4) year old children (AAC)

Filed with LRC 10/7/25

Comments recd -SOC filed 2/10/26

Committee deferred to July 6 IJCE meeting

Committee deferred to August IJCE meeting

Tentative Effective Date: 9/28/26

Regulations reviewed by ARRS at its 7/8/26 meeting:

702 KAR 3:220. Guidelines for waiver of school fees

702 KAR 6:110. Claim reimbursement for school and community nutrition programs

Filed with LRC 4/13/26

Public Hearing Date: 6/23/26; comment period ends 6/30/26

Tentative Effective Date: 11/3/26

Regulation reviewed by IJCE at its 9/1/26 meeting and effective at the conclusion of the meeting:

702 KAR 6:110. Claim reimbursement for school and community nutrition programs

Filed with LRC 4/13/26

Public Hearing Date: 6/23/26; comment period ends 6/30/26

702 KAR 3:220. Guidelines for waiver of school fees – due to committee questions, the regulation was deferred to October IJCE meeting

Regulation reviewed by ARRS at its 9/9/26 meeting:

701 KAR 5:090. Teacher Disciplinary Hearings

Filed with LRC 6/8/26

Public Hearing Date: 8/25/26; comment period ends 8/31/26

Tentative Effective Date: 1/5/27

Regulation tentatively scheduled for review by ARRS at its 10/13/26 meeting:

701 KAR 5:170. Waiver Requests – deferred from Sept at LRCs request

Filed with LRC 6/8/26

Public Hearing Date: 8/25/26; comment period ends 8/31/26

Tentative Effective Date: 1/5/27

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Regulation scheduled for review by IJCE at its 10/6/26 meeting:

702 KAR 3:220. Guidelines for waiver of school fees

Filed with LRC 4/13/26

Agency amendment filed 9/24/26

Regulations tentatively scheduled for review by ARRS at its 11/10/26 meeting:

701 KAR 5:160. Selection and appointment of non-voting KY board of education members

702 KAR 6:090. Minimum nutritional standards for foods and beverages available on public school campuses during the school day; required nutrition and physical activity reports

704 KAR 8:060. Required Academic Standards for Social Studies

704 KAR 8:090. Required academic standards for technology

780 KAR 3:072. Attendance, compensatory time, and leave for certified and equivalent service

Filed with LRC 8/11/26

Public Hearing Date: 10/21/26; comment period ends 10/31/26

Tentative Effective Date: 3/2/27

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NEWLY EFFECTIVE REGULATIONS

September 28, 2026

704 KAR 3:410. Preschool education program for four (4) year old children

September 1, 2026

702 KAR 6:110. Claim reimbursement for school and community nutrition programs

July 6, 2026

702 KAR 5:130. Non-school bus passenger vehicles

702 KAR 7:065. Designation of agent to manage middle and high school interscholastic athletics

704 KAR 3:305. Minimum requirements for high school graduation

June 2, 2026

702 KAR 3:130. Internal accounting

704 KAR 3:370. Kentucky Framework for Personnel Evaluation

May 5, 2026

701 KAR 5:150. Nontraditional instruction program

701 KAR 5:170. Waiver Requests

704 KAR 3:406. Superintendent training program and assessment process

704 KAR 8:020. Required academic standards for reading and writing

April 7, 2026

703 KAR 5:280. School improvement procedures

December 9, 2025

704 KAR 3:440. Primary school program guidelines

October 14, 2025

702 KAR 7:065. Designation of agent to manage middle and high school interscholastic athletics

704 KAR 4:010. Physical education

704 KAR 8:030. Required Academic Standards for Health

704 KAR 8:050. Required Academic Standards for Physical Education

704 KAR 8:080. Required academic standards in career studies and financial literacy

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REGULATIONS NEARING EXPIRATION (NEXT 12 MONTHS)

780 KAR 2:040	Live work projects	5/5/2027
780 KAR 2:060	Discipline of students	6/30/2027
703 KAR 5:140	Requirements for school and district report cards	7/31/2027
704 KAR 7:090	Homeless Children and Youth Education Program and ensuring educational stability	9/1/2027

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