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Summary of State Board of Education Agenda Items
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01. Information: Presentations by the Mississippi School of the Arts, the Mississippi School for Mathematics and Science, and the Mississippi School for the Deaf and the Blind [Goals 1, 2, 4, 5, and 6 – MBE Strategic Plan)

Executive Summary

Provide the State Board of Education with a consolidated update from Mississippi's three state schools – MSA, MSMS, and MSDB – covering academic outcomes, student services, enrollment and recruitment, staffing, campus operations, and priorities for the coming year.

The State Board serves as the governing board for the state schools. In 2025, the Board established heightened oversight and a standing update cadence to ensure continuous improvement, transparent reporting, and alignment to statewide goals in academics, safety/well-being, and post-secondary readiness.

This item references Goals 1, 2, 4, 5, and 6 of the *Mississippi Board of Education Strategic Plan*.

Information Only

Back-up material: None