

OFFICE OF CHIEF ACCOUNTABILITY OFFICER
Summary of State Board of Education Agenda Items
Consent Agenda
February 19, 2026

OFFICE OF ACCREDITATION

- I. Information: Annual School Board Meeting Attendance Report in accordance with Miss. Code Ann. § 37-6-13

Background Information: According to Miss. Code Ann. § 37-6-13, the School Board Meeting Attendance Annual Report shall be submitted annually to the Mississippi Department of Education.

In accordance with Subsection (2) (a), if a member of a school board misses twenty percent (20%) or more of the meetings of the school board during a calendar year, except for absences caused by required military duty, the member must reimburse the school district that portion of the total salary paid to the member that year which is proportionate to the number of meetings missed by the member in relation to the total number of school board meetings held during that year. For purposes of this subsection, consideration may be given only to meetings of which public notice is required.

Before February 1 of each year, the president of each local school board shall submit a report to the State Board of Education containing the names of any members of the school board who missed twenty percent (20%) or more of the school board meetings during the preceding calendar year.

Information Only

Back-up material attached



**School Board Meeting Attendance
2025 Annual Report
February 12, 2026**

132 Districts Responded to Survey

117 Districts Responded to Survey with no Member(s) Absent More than 20%

15 Districts Responded to Survey with Member(s) Absent More than 20%

06 Districts of Transformation

DISTRICT CODE	DISTRICT NAME	BOARD PRESIDENT	MEMBER(S) ABSENT MORE THAN 20%	WAIVED COMPENSATION
4820	ABERDEEN	Patrick Lockett	None	
0200	ALCORN	Judd Chapman	None	
0300	AMITE COUNTY	Cindy Newman	None	
4821	AMORY	Jimmy Ann Ray	None	
0400	ATTALA COUNTY	Janice Dees	None	
5920	BALDWYN	Christian Magers	None	
2320	BAY ST. LOUIS-WAVELAND	Casey Favre	None	
0500	BENTON COUNTY	Tracy Clayton	None	
2420	BILOXI	Richard Schmidt	None	
5921	BOONEVILLE	Catherine Mincy	None	
4320	BROOKHAVEN	Erin Smith	None	
0700	CALHOUN COUNTY	Don Hardin	None	
4520	CANTON	Johnny Brown	None	
0800	CARROLL COUNTY	Stella W. Bell	William Downs	
0900	CHICKASAW COUNTY	Jamie Earp	None	
1000	CHOCTAW COUNTY	Mike Thomas	None	
1100	CLAIBORNE COUNTY	Belinda Walker	None	
1420	CLARKSDALE	Dr. Manika Kemp	None	
0614	CLEVELAND	Paulette Howze	None	
2521	CLINTON	Dr. Felicia Gavin	None	
1400	COAHOMA COUNTY	Johnnie Moore	None	

DISTRICT CODE	DISTRICT NAME	BOARD PRESIDENT	MEMBER(S) ABSENT MORE THAN 20%	WAIVED COMPENSATION
8111	COFFEEVILLE	Mitchell Steen	None	
4620	COLUMBIA	Eric Lucas	None	
4420	COLUMBUS	Robert E. Smith	None	
1500	COPIAH COUNTY	Terry Munn	None	
0220	CORINTH	Frank Davis	Jennifer Shipp	
1600	COVINGTON COUNTY	Charles Fairley	None	
1700	DESOTO COUNTY	Jerald Wheeler	None	
3111	EAST JASPER	Everline Gilmore	None	
6811	EAST TALLAHATCHIE	Bryant Watson	None	
1211	ENTERPRISE	Ernie Culbreth	None	
6220	FOREST MUNICIPAL	Charles Longmire	None	
1800	FORREST COUNTY	Jason Helton	None	
1802	FORREST COUNTY AHS	Jamie Walker	Brian Freeman	
1900	FRANKLIN COUNTY	Gloria S. Hayes	Vanessa Walker	
2000	GEORGE COUNTY	Christopher Hilburn	None	
2100	GREENE COUNTY	Shannon Walters	None	
7620	GREENVILLE	Antoinette Williams	None	
4211	GREENWOOD-LEFLORE	Dr. Kalanya Moore	None	
2220	GRENADA	Haley P. Bidy	David Braswell	
2421	GULFPORT	Ben Vance	None	
2300	HANCOCK COUNTY	Dr. Jennifer Seal	None	
2400	HARRISON COUNTY	David Ladner	Steve Ramsey	
1820	HATTIESBURG	Delores McNair	None	
1520	HAZLEHURST	Dr. Daniel Jones	None	
2500	HINDS COUNTY	Dr. Linda K. Laws	None	
7611	HOLLANDALE	Dorothy Jernigan	None	
4720	HOLLY SPRINGS	Kim Mayfield	None	

DISTRICT CODE	DISTRICT NAME	BOARD PRESIDENT	MEMBER(S) ABSENT MORE THAN 20%	WAIVED COMPENSATION
2900	ITAWAMBA COUNTY	West Pitts	None	
3000	JACKSON COUNTY	Amy A. Peterson	None	
2520	JACKSON PUBLIC	Barbara T. Hilliard	None	
3200	JEFFERSON COUNTY	Carolyn Smith	None	
3300	JEFFERSON DAVIS COUNTY	Shonda Burre	None	
3400	JONES COUNTY	Jerry O. Terry	None	
3500	KEMPER COUNTY	Lee Steele	None	
0420	KOSCIUSKO	Allison Schuler	Ozell Landfair	
3600	LAFAYETTE COUNTY	Jamie Anderson	None	
3700	LAMAR COUNTY	Jordan Carlisle	None	
3800	LAUDERDALE COUNTY	Kelvin Jackson	None	
3420	LAUREL	Doncella Milton	None	
3900	LAWRENCE COUNTY	Ashton Watts	None	
4000	LEAKE COUNTY	Samuel Hoyer	None	
4100	LEE COUNTY	Cheryl Sherry Mask	None	
7612	LELAND	Brandon K. Taylor	None	
4300	LINCOLN COUNTY	Joe Portrey	None	
2422	LONG BEACH	Sandi Dulaney	None	
8020	LOUISVILLE MUNICIPAL	Brenda Johnson	None	
4400	LOWNDES COUNTY	Brad Fleming	None	
4500	MADISON COUNTY	Sam Kelly	None	
4600	MARION COUNTY	Lillian Johnson	None	
4700	MARSHALL COUNTY	Kerry Hale	None	
5720	MCCOMB	Evelle Dillon	None	
3820	MERIDIAN	Gwendolyn Hardaway	None	
4800	MONROE COUNTY	Chris Markham	None	
3020	MOSS POINT	Antoinette Morris	None	

DISTRICT CODE	DISTRICT NAME	BOARD PRESIDENT	MEMBER(S) ABSENT MORE THAN 20%	WAIVED COMPENSATION
0130	NATCHEZ-ADAMS	Amos James	Phillip West	
5000	NESHOBA COUNTY	Wyatt Waddell	None	
4111	NETTLETON	James A. Malone	None	
7320	NEW ALBANY	Lauren Bailey	None	
5100	NEWTON COUNTY	Joshua Sanders	None	
5130	NEWTON MUNICIPAL	Shannon Moore	None	
0617	NORTH BOLIVAR	Jefferick Butler	None	
5411	NORTH PANOLA	Jennette Jackson	None	
5711	NORTH PIKE	Bradley White	None	
7011	NORTH TIPPAH	Ronnie Huddleston	None	
3021	OCEAN SPRINGS	Dr. Vickie Tiblier	None	
3620	OXFORD	Carter Myers	None	
3022	PASCAGOULA-GAUTIER	Tracy Jackson Wilson	None	
2423	PASS CHRISTIAN	Margaret Jean Kalif	None	
6120	PEARL PUBLIC	Sondra Odom	None	
5500	PEARL RIVER COUNTY	Mark Herring	None	
5600	PERRY COUNTY	Jason Gerald	None	
1821	PETAL	Jerry De Fatta	Chris Rhodes	
5020	PHILADELPHIA	Harold Coburn	None	
5520	PICAYUNE	Jake Smith	None	
5820	PONTOTOC CITY	Phyllis High	None	
5800	PONTOTOC COUNTY	Rodney Robbins	None	
5530	POPLARVILLE	Jill Smith	Benji Wells; Danny Slade	
5900	PRENTISS COUNTY	Ronny Kesler	None	
1212	QUITMAN	Cheryl Waltman	Lewis Jefferson; Anthony Turner	

DISTRICT CODE	DISTRICT NAME	BOARD PRESIDENT	MEMBER(S) ABSENT MORE THAN 20%	WAIVED COMPENSATION
6000	QUITMAN COUNTY	Loria Barfield	None	
6100	RANKIN COUNTY	David Farmer	None	
5620	RICHTON	Jeremy Edwards	None	
6200	SCOTT COUNTY	David French	Jackie Bradford	
6920	SENATOBIA	Dr. Brant Kairit	None	
6400	SIMPSON COUNTY	Stacey Herrin	None	
6500	SMITH COUNTY	Robert Hicks	None	
6312	SOUTH DELTA	Melvin Young	None	
5412	SOUTH PANOLA	Sandra Darby	None	
5712	SOUTH PIKE	Eva Andrews	None	
7012	SOUTH TIPPAAH	Kevin Barefield	None	
5321	STARKVILLE-OKTIBBEHA	Cassandra Palmer	None	
6600	STONE COUNTY	Dr. Mohamad Schuman	None	
6711	SUNFLOWER COUNTY	Debra Johnson	None	
6900	TATE COUNTY	Terri Reeves	None	
7100	TISHOMINGO COUNTY	Jessica Seaton	None	
7200	TUNICA COUNTY	Clifton Johnson	None	
4120	TUPELO	Amy Tate	None	
7300	UNION COUNTY	Mickey Basil	None	
5131	UNION PUBLIC	Dr. Nicole Harrison	None	
7500	VICKSBURG-WARREN	James Stirgus	None	
7400	WALTHALL COUNTY	Zackery Fortenberry	None	
8113	WATER VALLEY	Tonya Eubanks	None	
7700	WAYNE COUNTY	Anita Norsworthy	None	
7800	WEBSTER COUNTY	Rana Mitchell	Daniel Bingham; Josh Palmer	

DISTRICT CODE	DISTRICT NAME	BOARD PRESIDENT	MEMBER(S) ABSENT MORE THAN 20%	WAIVED COMPENSATION
0618	WEST BOLIVAR	Jacqueline Lloyd	None	
3112	WEST JASPER	Christy Holifield	None	
1321	WEST POINT	Gene Brown	None	
6812	WEST TALLAHATCHIE	Marvin George	Sharon Bailey	
7613	WESTERN LINE	Jamelda Fulton	Greg Welch	
4911	WINONA-MONTGOMERY	Dr. Katherine Hughes	None	
8200	YAZOO COUNTY	Greg Moseley	None	

DISTRICTS RESPONDING TO SURVEY WITH NO MEMBERS ABSENT MORE THAN 20%

- (4820) ABERDEEN SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (0200) ALCORN SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (0300) AMITE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (4821) AMORY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (0400) ATTALA COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (5920) BALDWIN SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (2320) BAY ST. LOUIS WAVELAND SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (0500) BENTON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (2420) BILOXI PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (5921) BOONEVILLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (4320) BROOKHAVEN SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (0700) CALHOUN COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (4520) CANTON PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (0911) CHICKASAW COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (1000) CHOCTAW COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (1100) CLAIBORNE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (1420) CLARKSDALE MUNICIPAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (0614) CLEVELAND SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (2521) CLINTON PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (1400) COAHOMA COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (8111) COFFEEVILLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (4620) COLUMBIA SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (4420) COLUMBUS MUNICIPAL SCHOOLS DISTRICT
- (1500) COPIAH COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (1600) COVINGTON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (1700) DESOTO COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (3111) EAST JASPER CONSOLIDATE SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (6811) EAST TALLAHATCHIE SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (1211) ENTERPRISE SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (6220) FOREST MUNICIPAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (1800) FORREST COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT



- (2000) GEORGE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (2100) GREENE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (7620) GREENVILLE PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (4211) GREENWOOD-LEFLORE CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (2421) GULFPORT SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (2300) HANCOCK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (1820) HATTIESBURG PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (1520) HAZLEHURST CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (2500) HINDS COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (7611) HOLLANDALE SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (4720) HOLLY SPRINGS SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (2900) ITAWAMBA COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (3000) JACKSON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (2520) JACKSON PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (3200) JEFFERSON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (3300) JEFFERSON DAVIS COUNTY SCHOOLS DISTRICT
- (3400) JONES COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (3500) KEMPER COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (3600) LAFAYETTE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (3700) LAMAR COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (3800) LAUDERDALE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (3420) LAUREL SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (3900) LAWRENCE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (4000) LEAKE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (4100) LEE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (7612) LELAND SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (4300) LINCOLN COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (2422) LONG BEACH SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (8020) LOUISVILLE MUNICIPAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (4400) LOWNDES COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (4500) MADISON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (4600) MARION COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (4700) MARSHALL COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (5720) MCCOMB SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (3820) MERIDIAN PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (4800) MONROE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (3020) MOSS POINT SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (5000) NESHOPA COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (4111) NETTLETON SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (7320) NEW ALBANY PUBLIC SCHOOLS DISTRICT
- (5130) NEWTON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (5100) NEWTON MUNICIPAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (0617) NORTH BOLIVAR CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (5411) NORTH PANOLA SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (5711) NORTH PIKE SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (7011) NORTH TIPPAH SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (3021) OCEAN SPRINGS SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (3620) OXFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (3022) PASCAGOULA-GAUTIER SCHOOL DISTRICT



- (2423) PASS CHRISTIAN PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (6120) PEARL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (5500) PEARL RIVER COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (5600) PERRY COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (5020) PHILADELPHIA PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (5520) PICAYUNE SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (5820) PONTOTOC CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (5800) PONTOTOC COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (5900) PRENTISS COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (6000) QUITMAN COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (6100) RANKIN COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (5620) RICHTON SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (6920) SENATOBIA MUNICIPAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (6400) SIMPSON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (6500) SMITH COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (6312) SOUTH DELTA SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (5412) SOUTH PANOLA SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (5712) SOUTH PIKE SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (7012) SOUTH TIPPAH SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (5321) STARKVILLE OKTIBBEHA SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (6600) STONE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (6711) SUNFLOWER COUNTY CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (6900) TATE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (7100) TISHOMINGO COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (7200) TUNICA COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (4120) TUPELO PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (7300) UNION COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (5131) UNION PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (7500) VICKSBURG WARREN SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (7400) WALTHALL COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (8113) WATER VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (7700) WAYNE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (0618) WEST BOLIVAR CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (3112) WEST JASPER SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (1321) WEST POINT CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (4911) WINONA MONTGOMERY CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (8200) YAZOO COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT



DISTRICTS RESPONDING TO SURVEY WITH MEMBERS ABSENT MORE THAN 20%

- (0800) CARROLL COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (0220) CORINTH SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (1802) FORREST COUNTY AGRICULTURAL HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (1900) FRANKLIN COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (2220) GRENADA SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (2400) HARRISON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (0420) KOSCIUSKO SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (0130) NATCHEZ ADAMS SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (1821) PETAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (5530) POPULARVILLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (1212) QUITMAN SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (6200) SCOTT COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (7800) WEBSTER COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (6812) WEST TALLAHATCHIE SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (7316) WESTERN LINE SCHOOL DISTRICT

DISTRICTS OF TRANSFORMATION

- (2611) HOLMES COUNTY CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (2700) HUMPHREYS COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (5200) NOXUBEE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (0921) OKOLONA MUNICIPAL SEPARATE SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (7900) WILKINSON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (8220) YAZOO CITY MUNICIPAL SCHOOL DISTRICT