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AGENDA
ELEMENTARY/SECONDARY EDUCATION
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 9, 2025, 10 A.M.
AUDITORIUM, GORDON PERSONS BUILDING
50 NORTH RIPLEY STREET, MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA

- A. Call to Order
- B. Invocation, Pastor Josh Agerton, Lead Pastor, Embrace Church, Auburn, Alabama, and Pledge of Allegiance to the United States Flag
- C. Roll Call – Establishment of a Quorum
- D. Approval of the Agenda
- E. Approval of the Minutes for September 11, 2025, Meeting
- F. Public Hearings
- G. Action Items
 - 1. Unfinished Business
 - 2. New Business
 - a. Fiscal Year 2027 Foundation Program Appropriation Request
 - b. Resolution in Recognition of Mr. Stephen Phillips, Assistant Principal, Holly Hill Elementary School, Enterprise City School System, as Alabama's 2025 National Association of Elementary School Principals (NAESP) National Outstanding Elementary Assistant Principal, State School Board District One
 - c. Resolution in Recognition of Mrs. Elizabeth Antoine, Assistant Principal, Auburn High School, Auburn City School System, as Alabama's 2025 High School, Assistant Principal of the Year, State School Board District Two
 - d. Resolution in Recognition of Mrs. Jennifer Nabors, Assistant Principal, Calera Middle School, Shelby County School System, as Alabama's 2025 Middle School, Assistant Principal of the Year, State School Board District Three
 - e. Resolution in Recognition of Dr. Mathew Epps, Principal, Career Technical High School, Shelby County School System, as Alabama's 2025 High School Principal of the Year, State School Board District Three
 - f. Resolution in Recognition of Mr. Anthony Sanders, Principal, Greensboro Middle School, Hale County School System, as Alabama's 2025 Middle School Principal of the Year, State School Board District Four
 - g. Resolution in Recognition of Dr. Stan Stokley, Principal, Saraland Elementary School, Saraland City School System, as Alabama's 2025 National Association of Elementary School Principals (NAESP) National Distinguished Principal, State School Board District Five
 - h. Resolution in Recognition of Malinda Nichols, Oak Mountain Middle School, Shelby County School System, as Alabama's 2025 History Teacher of the Year, State School Board District Three

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- i. Resolution of Distinguished Recognition, 2024 Alabama School Counseling Program of Distinction
 - j. Resolution in Recognition of Veronica Pitts, Selma City School, Selma City School System, as the 2025-2026 National Civics Teacher of the Year
 - k. Resolution Honoring Mrs. Susanne Estes as the “Barbara Fannin Memorial Employee of the Quarter,” October-December 2025
 - l. Resolution Proclaiming October 2025 as “Principals Month”
 - m. Resolution in Recognition of October 2025 as Dyslexia Awareness Month
 - n. Resolution Proclaiming October 2025 as Manufacturing Month
 - o. Resolution Proclaiming October 2025 as Statewide Parent Engagement Month in Alabama
 - p. Resolution Proclaiming October 6-10, 2025, as Alabama College Application Campaign Week
 - q. Resolution Endorsing Alabama School Bus Safety Week, October 20-24, 2025
 - r. Adopt Amended *Alabama Administrative Code* Rule 290-2-1-.01, Pertaining to Annual Apportionment of Foundation Program Funds
 - s. Adopt New *Alabama Administrative Code* Rule 290-2-1-.06, Pertaining to Annual Apportionment of RAISE Act Funds
- H. Executive (includes Legal and Public Information)
- I. State Superintendent’s Report
- J. Date and Time of Next Elementary/Secondary Education Meeting, Thursday, November 13, 2025, 10 a.m., Auditorium, Gordon Persons Building, Montgomery, Alabama; 11 a.m. or Immediately Following the State Board Meeting, Work Session, Plaza 103 Gordon Persons Building

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1. Updated School Counseling Plan Presentation
2. OMI Update
3. School Support Update
4. Resolution in Recognition of Inclusion in Alabama Schools, December 8-12, 2025
5. Resolution Honoring 2025 A+ College Ready Schools of Excellence
6. Resolution Honoring 2025 A+ College Ready Schools of Distinction
7. Resolution Honoring 2025 A+ College Ready Mary D. Boehm School of Achievement
8. Resolution to Approve Recommendations of the State Textbook Committee for Adoption of Textbooks for Arts Education, Grades K-12
9. Resolution to Approve Recommendations of the State Textbook Committee for Adoption of Textbooks for Social Studies, Grades K-12
10. Superintendent Updates and Other Business

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