

FORM 6

South Dakota Board of Education Standards Notice of Public Hearing to Adopt Rules

A public hearing will be held in the Mackay Building, First Floor, Library Commons, 800 Governors Drive, Pierre, South Dakota, on July 18, 2022, at 10:00 a.m. Central Time, to consider the adoption and amendment of proposed rules numbered

§§ 24:55 (Public School Accountability System).

The effect of the rules will be to revise criteria pertaining to attendance, coursework readiness, exiting the English learner program, comprehensive and targeted support designation calculations, and to clarify and update language.

The reason for adopting the proposed rules is to provide clarity and ensure that these calculation changes align with the recently approved amendments to the ESEA State Plan.

Persons interested in presenting amendments, data, opinions, and arguments for or against the proposed rules may appear in-person at the hearing, or mail them to: South Dakota Department of Education, Attn: Shannon Malone, 800 Governors Drive, Pierre, South Dakota 57501, or transmitting the information to Shannon.Malone@state.sd.us. Persons may also submit the information at this website: <https://rules.sd.gov/default.aspx>. Material sent by mail or email must reach the Department of Education by July 14, 2022, to be considered.

At the public hearing, the South Dakota Board of Education Standards will consider all written and oral comments it receives on the proposed rules. The board may modify or amend a proposed rule at that time to include or exclude matters that are described in this notice.

For Persons with Disabilities: This hearing will be located at a physically accessible place. Please contact the Department of Education at least 48 hours before the public hearing if you have special needs for which special arrangements can be made by calling 605-773-5669.

Copies of the proposed rules may be obtained without charge from:

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