



JEFFERSON DAVIS PARISH SCHOOL BOARD POLICY AGENDA
203 E. PLAQUEMINE STREET
JENNINGS, LOUISIANA
(337) 824-1834
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 2019
AFTER 5:00 P.M. FINANCE MEETING

POLICY COMMITTEE AGENDA

MEETING TIME: Tuesday, November 19, 2019, directly after 5:00 p.m. Finance meeting.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS: Jody Singletary, Chairman, Charles Bruchhaus, Donald Dees, Terry Leger and David Troutman.

Roll Call for Finance Committee Members:

Singletary	Bruchhaus	Dees	Leger	Troutman
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Roll Call for Other Members present:

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I. VOTE TO CHANGE THE ORDER OF TOPICS TO BE ADDRESSED AND TO ADD NEW ITEMS NOT ON THE ORIGINAL AGENDA.

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II. AGENDA ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION.

STAFF: Ben Oustalet, Staff Liaison/Curriculum Supervisor

1. Approve the following policies brought to you by Forethought Consulting resulting from the 2019 Louisiana Legislative Session.

A. STUDENT FEES, FINES, AND CHARGES: JS

(Revised November 2019, Effective Upon Approval)

In 2019 session, the Louisiana Legislature took strong action, passing Act 240, which aims to outline information required to be included in the policy and posted on each School Board's and each school's websites regarding student fees. Act 240 became effective August 1 st and requires School Boards to adopt and post a policy which addresses the assessment, collection, and use of fees charged to students or their parents or legal guardians no later than December 1, 2019.

Each School Board must develop a list of fees which includes the purpose, use, amount or authorized range, and how each fee is collected. The fees charged for the same item or purpose shall be consistent among all schools. Act 240 stipulates that no school can charge or access a fee unless the fee has been set and included in the School Board's approved Schedule of Fees. This means that any fee that is going to be included or revised must go to the School Board for approval. Act 240 also requires that a procedure be included in the policy that describes how a student, or parent or legal guardian can request and receive a waiver of payment for fees based

on economic hardship. The procedure is required to include an appeals process.

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IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE AMERICAN WITH DISABILITIES ACT, IF YOU NEED SPECIAL ASSISTANCE, PLEASE CONTACT DEBBIE AT 337-824-1834 DESCRIBING THE ASSISTANCE THAT IS NECESSARY.