## **BOARD AGENDA ITEM COVER SHEET**

ARGYLE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT



BOARD MEETING DATE:	8/4/2025
AGENDA ITEM:	FD (LOCAL) and FM (LOCAL) - SB 401 UIL Homeschool Participation
AGENDA LOCATION:	Action -
PRESENTER TITLE & NAME:	Chris Daniel
DEPARTMENT:	Staff and Student Services

#### **BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

As a result of Texas Senate Bill 401 (SB 401), passed by the 89th Legislature, all public school districts in Texas are now required to allow homeschool students to participate in UIL activities—unless the school board takes formal action to opt out. If no vote is taken, homeschool students will automatically be permitted to participate in UIL activities within the district.

To remain aligned with this legislation, Argyle ISD is presenting a proposed policy update—<u>FD</u> (<u>LOCAL</u>)—to formally "opt out" of allowing non-enrolled homeschool students to participate in UIL activities.

Additionally, <u>FM (LOCAL)</u> will require parallel updates to ensure consistency and legal alignment with the requirements of SB 401.

# BUDGETARY IMPACT & FUNDING SOURCE None

### **ADMINISTRATION RECOMMENDATION**

Administration recommends approving the proposed policies to "opt out" of SB 401 UIL Homeschool participation in Argyle ISD as presented.

#### **MOTION**

A motion might be, "I approve the SB 401 UIL Homeschool policies as presented."

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