



**Board of Trustees  
Agenda Item**

<b>Date</b>	<b>January 27, 2025</b>
<b>Agenda Item</b>	<b>Strategic Goal 1 - Student Success: Approval of MOU with Institutes of Higher Education (New Mexico Highlands University 2025-2026)</b>
<b>Policy Reference</b>	<b>EHDD (Legal) Alternative Methods for Earning Credit: College Credit/Dual Credit</b>
<b>Strategic Goal</b>	<b>Student Success</b>
<b>Department</b>	<b>Teaching &amp; Learning</b>

Recommendation:

The administration recommends that the Board of Trustees approve the following:

- Memorandum of Understanding between Boerne ISD and New Mexico Highlands University for 2025-2026.

Summary:

In alignment with our district scorecard strategic goals under College, Career, and Military Readiness, Boerne ISD may enter into an agreement with a public college to form a dual credit partnership in accordance with 19 Administrative Code Chapter 4, Subchapter D. Education Code 130.008; 19 TAC Ch. 4, Subch. D.

A school district that operates a high school may enter into an agreement with a community college district, regardless of whether the high school is located within the service area of the community college district, to offer a course as provided by Education Code 130.008.

Rationale:

To establish the partnership with New Mexico Highlands University in order to make it possible for students to attend NMHU tuition free if they meet the necessary requirements. We have two students that have committed to attending NMHU this fall.

Recommended by:

Dr. Kristin Craft, Superintendent

Submitted by:

Larissa S. Flores, Chief Instructional Officer

Suggested Motion:

I move that the Board of Trustees approve the Memorandums of Understanding between Boerne ISD and New Mexico Highlands University for the 2025-2026 school year upon receipt of the data privacy agreement.