

MEETING DATE: September 15, 2025

AGENDA ITEM: Consider Approval of Class Size Waiver

PRESENTER: Kimberly Raymond, Deputy Superintendent

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

- In accordance with Texas Education Code, districts are required to maintain a student-teacher ratio of 22:1 in kindergarten through fourth grade. When class sizes exceed this ratio, districts must seek a class size waiver from the Texas Education Agency. At this time, several of our elementary classrooms have enrollment numbers above the allowable threshold. While we remain committed to providing students with a high-quality learning environment, factors such as enrollment growth, staffing allocations, and timing of student registration have created the need to request a waiver. Approval of this waiver will ensure we remain in compliance with state requirements while continuing to monitor enrollment and make adjustments to best support our students and teachers.
- The District is seeking the following class size waiver due to increased enrollment:
 - Annetta

Second Grade: 3 classes at 23Fourth Grade: 6 classes at 23

McCall

First Grade: 1 class at 23Fourth Grade: 1 class at 23

Stuard

Kindergarten: 1 class at 23, 1 class at 24

Walsh

■ Third Grade: 1 class at 23, 2 classes at 24

■ Fourth Grade: 1 class at 23

FISCAL INFORMATION:

None

ATTACHMENTS:

None

ADMINISTRATIVE RECOMMENDATION:

The Administration recommends the Board of Trustees approves the class size waivers as presented.