

# TRAINING REQUIREMENTS FOR SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS

Length of Service	Local District Orientation	Intro to TEC	Open Government <sup>3</sup>	Cybersecurity	Post-Legislative Update to TEC	Child Abuse Prevention	Evaluating and Improving Student Outcomes (formerly SB 1566)	Team Building	Additional Continuing Education (based on assessed needs)
New Trustees (First Year) <b>~25 hrs</b>	Local Orientation <sup>2</sup> (within 60 days) <b>3 hrs</b>	(within 120 days) <b>3 hrs</b>	OMA <sup>3</sup> (within 90 days) <b>1-2 hrs</b> PIA <b>1-2 hrs</b>	<b>~1 hr</b> each year	N/A because update is incorporated into Intro to TEC	<b>1 hr</b> every two years	(within 120 days) <b>3 hrs<sup>2</sup></b> every two years	<b>3 hrs<sup>2</sup></b> each year with all trustees and superintendent	<b>10 hrs</b> first year
Experienced Trustees (After First Year) <b>9-16 hrs<sup>1</sup></b>	Can attend, but not required				Sufficient length <b>~1-2 hrs</b> after each legislative session				<b>5 hrs</b> each year
Providers	School District	ESC	<b>TASB</b> or other registered provider	See Department of Information Resources website	<b>TASB</b> or other registered provider	<b>TASB</b> or other registered provider	<b>TASB</b> or other registered provider	<b>TASB</b> or other registered provider	<b>TASB</b> or other registered provider

## Training Requirements Notes:

<sup>1</sup> Required hours after the first year will vary depending on how the Post-Legislative Update, Child Abuse, and Student Achievement and Accountability hours fall for an individual trustee.

<sup>2</sup> Trustees may receive any training online **except** Local Orientation for new board members, Team Building, and Evaluating and Improving Student Outcomes.

<sup>3</sup> **OMA** and **PIA training** is required (outside of SBOE rule) of all elected officials within 90 days of election or appointment. PIA training may be delegated by district policy.

**OMA:** Open Meetings Act

**TEC:** Texas Education Code

**PIA:** Public Information Act

**SBOE:** State Board of Education

