

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Meeting Date: October 2, 2025

Agenda Item: School Board Policies - first reading

Item Type: Information and Discussion **Administrator:** Jeanne Grazioli, Jodi Fahy

Objective: Review the policies and administrative regulations as a first reading

Background: OSBA provides quarterly policy updates that include current revisions to state and federal laws and guidelines. Staff has reviewed the updated language and applied revisions which are reflected in the policy packet.

Revisions in red font indicate OSBA updated language. Revisions in blue font indicate staff updated language.

Policy	Title	Summary
DBEA	Budget Committee	A footnote was added to clarify the process to include a member of the EEAC committee when there is a vacancy on the budget committee; and legal references were added.
IGBAB/JO-AR	Education Records/	The State Board of Education recently
JO/IGBAB-AR	Records of students with Disabilities	made changes to the rules regarding directory information and student
(double coded AR)	Management	permanent records (OAR 581-021-0220). The revisions to the Administrative
		Regulation (AR) reflect these changes.
		This is a double coded AR. IGBAB/JO-AR is in the Instruction section of the policy
		binder and JO/IGBAB-AR is in the Student Section. The language is identical in both ARs.
IGBHD	Program Exemptions	There are no updates to the policy content at this time, but districts should add a new legal reference to existing policy: Mahmoud v. Taylor, No. 24-297, U.S., (June 27, 2025).
JFCEB	Personal Electronic	Governor Kotek issued Executive Order
(delete current version	Devices	No. 25-09 (EO) on July 2, 2025. The EO
and adopt new version)		requires school districts to adopt a policy

		prohibiting student use of personal electronic devices during instructional time. The policy must be adopted by October 31, 2025, with full implementation required by January 1, 2026. OSBA anticipates the Oregon State Board of Education to adopt administrative rules aligning with the EO in the next several months.
		Existing Oregon law, ORS 336.840, also requires policy language regarding student use and possession of personal electronic devices by students.
		The MSD Board adopted language to the policy in Jan. 2025 enacting the restrictions beginning the 2025-26 school year. In order to stay aligned with the Executive Order, staff is recommending deleting the current version of this policy and adopting the new policy.
JFCEB-AR (new AR)	Request for Exception: Personal Electronic Devices	The new administrative regulation, JFCEB-AR - Request for Personal Electronic Devices Exception was created in response to the Governor's EO.
JOA	Directory Information	The State Board of Education recently made changes to the rules regarding directory information and student permanent records (OAR 581-021-0220). This update reflects these changes.
LBEA	Denial for Virtual Public Charter School Student Enrollment	The State Board of Education adopted changes to OAR 581-026-0305 and -0310 on the process for parents to provide notice about enrolling their student in a virtual public charter school and a district's response. The changes are reflected in the policy.

- * May be subject to collective bargaining.
- ** As used in this policy, the term parent includes legal guardian or person in a parental relationship. The status and duties of a legal guardian are defined in ORS 125.005(4) and 125.300-125.325. The determination of whether an individual is acting in a parental relationship, for purposes of determining residency, depends on the evaluation of the factors listed in ORS 419B.373. The determination for other purposes depends on evaluation of those factors and a power of attorney executed pursuant to ORS 109.056. For special education students, parent also includes a surrogate parent, an adult student to whom rights have transferred and foster parent as defined in OAR 581-015-2000.

Additional Materials: Policy Packet 10.2.25

The policy packet is organized with the revised version first (colored font), followed by a draft final version with the revisions incorporated.

Recommendation: Review revised language and move the policies/AR forward for adoption/readoption at the October 16 Board meeting.

Suggested Motion: *No action required at this meeting.*