



Gadsden Independent School District
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Date: February 19, 2020

School Board Agenda Items

Title of Agenda Item: Policy Changes To JE-RA, JE-RB

JEA and JEB - all relating to Attendance

- Consent Agenda
- Action
- Discussion Items

Board Meeting Date: February 27, 2020

Submitted By: Originator – Carolyn Lindau, Exec. Dir. Compliance and Spec. Instr. Programs
Department – Office of the Superintendent
Date – February 19, 2020

To Be Presented By: Carolyn Lindau

Approved By: _____ Date – _____

Background and Summary:

Changes to Regulations JE-RA and JE-RB and Policies JEA and JEB are all pursuant to HB 236, the Attendance for Success Act, replacing and repealing the New Mexico Compulsory Attendance Act.

Regulation JE-RA, Student Attendance Records, explains the records that now must be kept for each student exceeding the 5% or more level of absences.

Regulation JE-RB, Student Attendance Team, lists the membership and required functions of the campus Attendance Team, one of which is now required at each campus under HB 236.

Policy JEA, Compulsory Attendance Ages, clarifies the term, "school-age person" and other terminology in order to align the language in the policy with HB 236.

Policy JEB, Entrance Age Requirements, includes non-substantive changes in order that the wording corresponds with the wording in HB 236.

Recommendation:

Place on Board Agenda for Discussion on February 27, 2020.



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Assigned to Board Agenda for Meeting of (Date): _____