

2021-2025 Rule Review Plan for State Board of Education Rules by Date
(Approved June 2021)

Texas Government Code, §2001.039, requires a four-year rule review cycle for all state agency rules, including State Board of Education (SBOE) rules. The rule review is designed to ensure that the reason for adopting or readopting the rule continues to exist. It only includes rules currently in effect at the time the plan is adopted.

Texas Education Code, §28.002(m), exempts the Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills (TEKS) from the rule review requirement; accordingly, this rule review plan does not include the rule chapters for the TEKS. Although the rules will not be reviewed as part of the rule review process, the SBOE conducts a review of the TEKS on a schedule determined by the SBOE.

Review Period: September 2021–August 2022

| Chapter Title | Subchapter Title | Topic | Begin Review | Review Complete |
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| Chapter 74. Curriculum Requirements | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Subchapter A. Required Curriculum</i> • <i>Subchapter B. Graduation Requirements</i> • <i>Subchapter C. Other Provisions</i> • <i>Subchapter D. Graduation Requirements, Beginning with School Year 2001-2002</i> • <i>Subchapter E. Graduation Requirements, Beginning with School Year 2004-2005</i> • <i>Subchapter F. Graduation Requirements, Beginning with School Year 2007-2008</i> • <i>Subchapter G. Graduation Requirements, Beginning with School Year 2012-2013</i> | Curriculum | September 2021 | January 2022 |
| Chapter 89. Adaptations for Special Populations | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Subchapter A. Gifted/Talented Education</i> • <i>Subchapter C. Texas Certificate of High School Equivalency</i> • <i>Subchapter D. Special Education Services and Settings</i> | Special Populations | January 2022 | April 2022 |
| Chapter 61. School Districts | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>Subchapter A. Board of Trustees Relationship</i> 2. <i>Subchapter B. Special Purpose School Districts</i> | Administration | April 2022 | June 2022 |

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| Chapter 157. Hearings and Appeals | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>Subchapter A. General Provisions for Hearings Before the State Board of Education</i> 2. <i>Subchapter D. Independent Hearing Examiners</i> | Personnel | January 2023 | April 2023 |

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| Chapter 33. Statement of Investment Objectives, Policies, and Guidelines of the Texas Permanent School Fund | | Finance | September 2023 | |
| Chapter 66. State Adoption and Distribution of Instructional Materials | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Subchapter A. General Provisions</i> • <i>Subchapter B. State Adoption of Instructional Materials</i> • <i>Subchapter C. Local Operations</i> | Instructional Materials | November 2023 | |
| Chapter 100. Charters | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>Subchapter A. Open-Enrollment Charter Schools</i> 2. <i>Subchapter B. Home-Rule School District Charters</i> | Charter Schools | January 2024 | |

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| Chapter 30. Administration | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Subchapter A. State Board of Education: General Provisions</i> • <i>Subchapter B. State Board of Education: Purchasing and Contracts</i> | Administration | November 2024 | |
| Chapter 101. Assessment | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Subchapter A. General Provisions</i> • <i>Subchapter B. Implementation of Assessments</i> • <i>Subchapter C. Local Option</i> | Assessment | January 2025 | |
| Chapter 109. Budgeting, Accounting, and Auditing | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Subchapter A. Budgeting, Accounting, Financial Reporting, and Auditing for School Districts</i> • <i>Subchapter B. Texas Education Agency Audit Functions</i> • <i>Subchapter C. Adoptions by Reference</i> • <i>Subchapter D. Uniform Bank Bid or Request for Proposal and Depository Contract</i> | Finance | January 2025 | |