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Below are highlights from the State Board of Education's February 26th meeting. A recording of this meeting is available on YouTube.

The Board was excited to recognize Fatimah Amer from Basis Scottsdale and Edmundo Chavez from Nogales High School as the Arizona State Board of Education's Students of the Month for February 2024.

Consent Agenda Items

The Board voted to approve items on the consent agenda.

Presentations

The Board received presentations on the following topics:

- School Health Needs Assessment from the Arizona Department of Health
- The annual State Board Educator Discipline Report from Board Staff
- Personal Finance and Academic Standards for High School from Board Staff
- Legislative Affairs Updates from Board Staff

State Board of Education Ad Hoc K-3 Early Literacy Advisory Subcommittee

The Board voted to approve the roster of members for the Ad Hoc K-3 Early Literacy Advisory Subcommittee.

A-F Accountability System for the 2023-2024 School Year

The Board voted to approve the statewide 2023-2024 A-F Accountability Models and Business Rules.

Certification Actions

The Board voted to take all of the following disciplinary actions on relevant educators.

- Approve the voluntary surrender of certificates
- Approve the revocation of certificates pursuant to A.R.S. § 15-534.04(C)
- Approve the non-issuance and/or revocation of certificates pursuant to A.A.C. R7-2-1307(A)
- Approved Negotiated Settlement Agreements
- Approved the findings of fact, conclusions of law, and recommendations of the Professional Practices Advisory Committee



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Educator Discipline Lookup

Prior to hiring both certified and non-certified educators, schools are required to check the Arizona Department of Education's (ADE) public-facing and internal systems for possible discipline or open investigations for immoral or unprofessional conduct.

To assist schools, the Board is providing a list of many of the educators who were disciplined at the most recent meeting. Please note that this information is only a snapshot of most educators who were disciplined at the most recent Board meeting and does not, in and of itself, satisfy the requirement for schools to check ADE's systems described above prior to hiring. Because educators have the right to appeal their disciplinary action, there may be an approximately 30-day lag in reporting some disciplinary action. To view the list please use this link: https://c0abe837.caspio.com/dp/5a506000251753529c6846539a08.

Meeting Schedule

The next regular Board Meeting is scheduled for March 25th at 9am.