

FY17

Board Development Catalog

- State-Wide Conferences
- Meetings, Workshops & Events
- Whole Board Governance Training
- Online Training



***Any time, Any place,
at YOUR pace!***

Training Requirements for FY17

State law and state board rules require school board members to obtain board governance training each year.

NEW BOARD MEMBERS – FIRST YEAR OF SERVICE

Local District Orientation (1 of the hours must focus on school finance)	3 hours
New Board Member Orientation (NBMO)	9 hours
Whole Board Governance Training (Includes Superintendent)	3 hours

TOTAL TRAINING HOURS **15 hours**



BOARD MEMBERS – ONE OR MORE YEARS OF SERVICE

Coursework from the State Board's Curriculum Based State Standards	6 hours
Whole Board Governance Training (Includes Superintendent)	3 hours

TOTAL TRAINING HOURS **9 hours**



Timeline for Local Boards

The GaDOE awards credit based upon data submitted by your local board at the conclusion of each fiscal year.

Training reports should be sent to Dr. Linda Dunn (ldunn@doe.k12.ga.us)

BEGINNING JULY 1 | Self-Assessment Needs & Boards adopt training plans. (May be amended during the year.)

OCTOBER 3 | Deadline for submitting the 2015 – 2016 Local Board Governance Training Annual Reports to the Georgia Department of Education (GaDOE).

OCTOBER 17 | Deadline for submitting the 2016 – 2017 Local Board Governance Training Plans to the Georgia Department of Education (GaDOE).

DURING FY17 | Training plans are implemented.



GSBA FY17 CATALOG OF TRAINING

IF YOU NEED ASSISTANCE WITH:	THE FOLLOWING FROM GSBA WOULD FIT THE NEED
Roles & Responsibilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Finance Workshop Equity Workshops Board Chair Workshops Legal Issues Workshop Superintendent Evaluation Online Course Board Self-Assessment Online Course Roles and Responsibilities Online Course
Strategic Planning	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Strategic Planning Online Course Role of the Board Member and Using Data Workshops
Board & Community Relations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Building Community Support Workshops Policy Workshops Board Chair Workshops
Policy Development & Management	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Personnel Policies Workshop Instructional Policies Workshop Student Policies Workshop Policy Workshop
Effective Meetings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Parliamentary Procedure for Effective Meetings Online Course Board Chair Workshops Superintendent Evaluation Online Course
Personnel	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Personnel Policies Workshop Legal Issues Workshop Instructional Policies Workshop
Financial Management	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Finance Workshop Equity Workshops
Board Ethics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Legal Issues Workshop Ethics Online Course Policy Workshop
New Board Member Training	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> New Board Member Orientation
Whole Board Governance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Regional Whole Board Governance Training (minimum of 3 hours up to 9 hours) Custom Board Retreats

GaDOE DOMAIN AREAS FROM THE STATE STANDARDS *

DOMAIN I: ROLES & RESPONSIBILITIES

Sub-Topics: Governance Structure, Hiring a Superintendent, Board/Community Relations, Policy Issues, Meetings, Ethics, and Technology



DOMAIN II: STRATEGIC PLANNING

Sub-Topics: Strategic Planning, Model, and Management Options (Charter School Options, SWSS, Virtual Schools)



DOMAIN III: BOARD & COMMUNITY RELATIONS

Sub-Topics: Stakeholder Engagement Issues, Media Relations, Conflict Resolution, and Communications



DOMAIN IV: POLICY DEVELOPMENT & MANAGEMENT

Sub-Topics: Policy Issues, Meetings, Personnel, Finance, and Ethics



DOMAIN V: EFFECTIVE MEETINGS

Sub-Topics: Open Meetings & Records, Parliamentary Procedure, Board Chair Roles and Responsibilities, Team Building, Public Participation, and Technology



DOMAIN VI: PERSONNEL

Sub-Topics: Hiring, Superintendent Evaluation, Nepotism Policies, Employment Process, and Tenure



DOMAIN VII: FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

Sub-Topics: Funding Sources, Budget Development, Monitoring, Facilities and Operations



DOMAIN VIII: BOARD ETHICS

Sub-Topics: Code of Ethics, Conflict of Interest, and Working as a Team



* *Vision Recommendations found on back page.*


FY17 TRAINING SCHEDULE AT-A-GLANCE

All GSBA Training is approved by the Georgia Department of Education (GaDOE).


Building Community Support

(\$220) | (6hrs) 
September 27 – Ragin Center,
Houston County Schools, Perry, Ga.

Equity

(\$220) | (6hrs) 
October 25 – S. Truett Cathy
Professional Development Center,
Jonesboro, Ga.

Use of Data


(\$220) | (6hrs) 
November 10 – Bibb County
Professional Learning Center,
Macon, Ga.

GSBA/GSSA ANNUAL PRE CONFERENCE WORKSHOPS


New Board Member Orientation

(\$295) | (9 hrs) 
November 30 - December 1 –
Renaissance Waverly Hotel, Atlanta


Achieving Educational Equity

(\$230) | (6 hrs) December 1 – 
Renaissance Waverly Hotel, Atlanta

Legal Issues Workshop

(Board Members \$230) | (6hrs)
(Attorneys \$335) | (6hrs) 
December 1 – Renaissance
Waverly Hotel, Atlanta

Building Community Support

(\$230) | (6hrs) 
December 1 – Renaissance
Waverly Hotel, Atlanta

2017 SPRING WORKSHOPS

Some times and locations to be determined.

Equity Series

(\$220 per workshop) | (6hrs) 


Building Community Support Series

(\$220 per workshop) | (6hrs) 


Use of Data Series

(\$220 per workshop) | (6 hrs)


Board Chair

(\$220) | (6hrs) 
February 15 – Statesboro

Board Chair

(\$220) | (6hrs) 
March 1 – Macon

Board Chair

(\$220) | (6hrs) 
March 15 – Athens

Finance

(\$220) | (6hrs) 

Support Staff

(\$175) | (6hrs) 

GSBA SUMMER PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOPS

New Board Member Orientation

(\$295) | (9 hrs) 
June 7-8 – Hyatt Hotel, Savannah

Policy Workshop

(\$230) | (6 hrs) 
June 8 – Hyatt Hotel, Savannah

Use of Data

(\$230) | (6 hrs) 
June 8 – Hyatt Hotel, Savannah

Poverty & Student Success

(\$230) | (6 hrs) 
June 8 – Hyatt Hotel, Savannah

THREE HOURS or LESS CREDIT COURSES

POLICY & WAIVERS WORKSHOPS

Each workshop costs **(\$125)** and provides
3 hours of credit. All three will be held at the
Anderson Conference Center
5171 Eisenhower Parkway
Macon, GA 31206

Personnel Policies Workshop

September 28, 2016

Instructional Policies Workshop

October 11, 2016


Student Policies Workshop

January 17, 2017

ONLINE COURSES | Each course costs (\$100) and provides 2 hours of credit.

- Superintendent Evaluation
- Parliamentary Procedure for Effective Meetings
- Strategic Improvement Planning
- Board Ethics
- Open Meetings & Open Records

MEDIA TALK FOR EDUCATORS

Each course costs **(\$149)** and provides
3 hours of credit. 

- Media Talk 1
- Media Talk 2
- Power Behind the Podium
- Social Media for Educators

ADDITIONAL GSBA EVENTS

GSBA/GSSA Annual Conference

December 2-3, 2016 – Renaissance
Waverly Hotel, Atlanta (\$350)

GSBA Summer Conference and Delegate Assembly

June 9-10, 2017 – Hyatt Hotel,
Savannah, GA (\$350)

ADDITIONAL BOARD DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

Parliamentary Procedure

GSBA's expert on parliamentary procedure will visit with your board and discuss effective meetings and parliamentary procedure. This is a free service (except for mileage for the presenter.)


Strategic Planning

GSBA offers a comprehensive planning process that begins with a community engagement component. District stakeholders have the opportunity to provide input before the plan is developed. The process then moves to the planning team stage, where a diverse group of school system and community leaders review data and develop the core areas of the plan: vision, mission, beliefs and strategic goals. Action teams then work to develop performance objectives and measures. The plan is also aligned to school level improvement plans. The end product provides a carefully thought out plan that has the input of hundreds of stakeholders and is aligned from the central office to the local schools.

For more information visit gsba.com.

GEORGIA VISION PROJECT RECOMMENDATIONS


General 

Early Learning &
Student Success 

Teaching & Learning 

Teaching & Learning Resources 

Human & Organizational Capital 

Governance, Leadership &
Accountability 

Culture, Climate &
Organizational Efficacy 

Financial Resources 