

Dyersburg City Schools
School Board Meeting
August 3, 2026
Central Office

The Dyersburg City School Board met in regular session at 5:30 p.m. at the Central Office. Jim Coy Houston opened the meeting and welcomed those in attendance. The other School Board members present for the meeting were: Whitney Allmon, Carlos Doss, Courtney Patrick, Gleya Twilla, Mike Hickman, and Dr. Scott Self.

The following consent items were approved by the board with a motion from Dr. Scott Self and a second from Courtney Patrick:

1. Tonight's Agenda
2. Last Month's Minutes
3. DMS Choir, Bowling Green, KY (5/7/27-5/8/27)
4. DHS Choir, Hot Springs, Arkansas (5/21/27-5/23/27)
5. DHS Dance Competition, Henderson, Kentucky (1/23/27)
6. DHS Dance Competition, Orlando, Florida (2/12-2/16, 2027)
7. DHS Band Competition, Gosnell, Arkansas (9/19/26)
8. DHS Band Competition, Murray, Kentucky (9/26/26)

New Business

- During the meeting, Mr. Jim Coy Houston and Mrs. Kim Worley presented Dr. Scott Self with a commemorative brick that will be permanently placed outside Dyersburg High School, along with a commemorative plaque, in recognition of his remarkable 16 years of dedicated service on the Dyersburg City Schools Board of Education.

The presentation served as a heartfelt expression of gratitude for Dr. Self's unwavering commitment, leadership, and countless contributions to the students, staff, and community of Dyersburg City Schools. His years of service have helped shape the district's continued growth and success, leaving a lasting legacy that will be remembered for years to come. The commemorative brick will stand as a permanent tribute to his dedication and the positive impact he has made on Dyersburg City Schools.

Policies—the following policies were approved on first and second readings with a motion from Dr. Scott Self and a second from Carlos Doss.

Policies

- 1.403 Agendas
- 4.213 Family Life Education

- 4.215 Instructional Use of Digital Devices
 - 4.300 Extracurricular Activities
 - 4.301 Interscholastic Athletics
 - 4.600 Grading System
 - 4.603 Promotion and Retention
 - 4.605 Graduation Requirements
 - 5.110 Compensation Guides and Contracts
 - 5.200 Separation Practices for Tenured Teachers
 - 5.201 Separation Practices for Non-Tenured Teachers
 - 5.600 Staff Rights and Responsibilities
 - 6.200 Attendance
 - 6.205 Student Assignments
 - 6.303 Interrogations and Searches
 - 6.306 Interference/Disruption of School Activities
 - 6.318 Admission of Suspended or Expelled Students
 - 6.412 Emergency Allergy Response Plan
 - 6.506 Students from Military Families
 - 6.4053 Outside Applied Behavior Analysis Therapy
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- 4.100 Instructional Program
 - 5.104 Equal Opportunity of Employment
 - 5.501 Complaints and Grievances
 - 6.100 Student Goals
 - 6.301 Rights and Responsibilities
 - 6.304 Student Discrimination, Harassment, Bullying, Cyber-bullying, and Intimidation
 - 6.3041 Title IX and Sexual Harassment

Adjournment

With Board approval, Dr. Scott Self made a motion to adjourn.


Director of Schools


School Board Chairman