



Richard Woods, Georgia's School Superintendent  
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## Local School Board Governance Annual Training Report

VIDALIA CITY SCHOOLS

FY 2024

Local School System Name

School Fiscal Year Reporting

As secretary to the board of education this report reflects annual training requirements and statutory requirements for school board members.

7/9/2024

Submission Date to DOE

Superintendent Signature

Board Member Name	New or Veteran	Address	Credit hours earned	Maintain Code of Ethics (Yes/No)	Maintain Conflict of Interest (Yes/No)	Board Member Signature
Julee C. Torrance	Veteran	307 Marcliff Road, Vidalia, GA	15	Yes	Yes	
<b>Bruce Asberry</b> <i>Term ended December 31, 2023</i>	Veteran	807 5 <sup>th</sup> Avenue, Vidalia, GA	12			
<b>Anthony Wayne Blount</b>	Veteran	1521 Hallway Drive, Vidalia, GA	9	Yes	Yes	
<b>Hal W. Chesser</b> <i>Resigned January 9, 2024</i>	Veteran	616 Julie Drive, Vidalia, GA	6			
<b>Sadia Ajohda</b>	Veteran	220 Amberwood Drive E., Vidalia, GA	15	Yes	Yes	
<b>Brittney Black</b> <i>Term began January 1, 2024</i>	New	800 Washington Street, Vidalia, GA	30	Yes	Yes	
<b>Fred Godbee</b> <i>Appointed January 9, 2024</i>	New	767 Forest Lake Drive, Vidalia, GA	18	Yes	Yes	

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(e) In addition to any other requirements provided by law, no person shall be eligible for election as a member of a local board of education unless he or she:  
 (2) Has agreed to annually disclose compliance with the State Board of Education's policy on training for members of local boards of education, the code of ethics of the local board of education, and the conflict of interest provisions applicable to members of local boards of education.

Annually is defined as one fiscal year, July 1 through June 30.

**FY'24 Vidalia City Board of Education**

<b>BOARD MEMBER</b>	<b>TRAINING</b>	<b>PROVIDER</b>	<b>DATE</b>	<b>HOURS</b>
<b>Julee C. Torrance</b>	Safety Workshop	GSBA	9/12/2023	6
	Whole Board Governance Training: Norms and Protocol	GSBA	9/22/2023	3
	Whole Board Governance Training: Norms and Protocol	GSBA	10/17/2023	3
	Whole Board Governance Training: Strategic Plan	GSBA	1/10/2024	3
	<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>15</b>
<b>Bruce Asberry</b>	Whole Board Governance Training: Norms and Protocol	GSBA	9/22/2023	3
	Whole Board Governance Training: Norms and Protocol	GSBA	10/17/2023	3
	2023 GSBA Conf.: The Governance Team's Focus on Developing a Supportive Learning Environment Pre-Conf. Workshop	GSBA	11/29/2023	6
	<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>12</b>
<b>Andy Blount</b>	Whole Board Governance Training: Norms and Protocol	GSBA	9/22/2023	3
	Whole Board Governance Training: Norms and Protocol	GSBA	10/17/2023	3
	Whole Board Governance Training: Strategic Plan	GSBA	1/10/2024	3
	<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>9</b>
<b>Sadia Ajohda</b>	Whole Board Governance Training: Norms and Protocol	GSBA	9/22/2023	3
	Whole Board Governance Training: Norms and Protocol	GSBA	10/17/2023	3
	Whole Board Governance Training: Strategic Plan	GSBA	1/10/2024	3
	Board Chair Workshop	GSBA	2/29/2024	6
	<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>15</b>
<b>Hal W. Chesser</b>	Whole Board Governance Training: Norms and Protocol	GSBA	9/22/2023	3
	Whole Board Governance Training: Norms and Protocol	GSBA	10/17/2023	3
	<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>6</b>
<b>Brittney Black</b>	Local Board Member Orientation	VCS	12/5/2023	3
	2023 GSBA Conf.: The Governance Team's Focus on Developing a Supportive Learning Environment Pre-Conf. Workshop	GSBA	11/29/2023	6
	Whole Board Governance Training: Strategic Plan	GSBA	1/10/2024	3
	New Board Member Orientation	GSBA	2/6-7/2024	12
	2024 GSBA Summer Conf: Policy Workshop	GSBA	6/6/2024	6
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>30</b>	
<b>Fred Godbee</b>	Whole Board Governance Training: Strategic Plan	GSBA	1/10/2024	3
	Local Board Member Orientation	VCS	1/16/2024	3
	New Board Member Orientation	GSBA	2/6-7/2024	12
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>18</b>	

**Required annual training:** new board member = total 15 hours and veteran board members = total 9 hours; whole board governance team training of 3 hours included in total hours above. To receive required training credit hours, all training sessions must be conducted by a State Board of Education approved "training provider."