



TENNESSEE
STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

STRATEGIC GOALS AND MASTER PLAN

JULY 2020 MEETING

2015-20 STRATEGIC GOALS

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GOAL

Achievement on the National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP):

Tennessee will rank in the top half of states on NAEP by 2019.

PROGRESS

Tennessee's rankings in the most recent NAEP administrations (indicated by year) were:

19th in 4th grade science (2015)

25th in 4th grade math (2019)

31st in 4th grade reading (2019)

21st in 8th grade science (2015)

30th in 8th grade math (2019)

30th in 8th grade reading (2019)

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ACT/SAT Composite Score:

The average ACT composite score in Tennessee will be a 21, or a comparable score on the SAT, by 2020.

PROGRESS

The state average ACT composite score for the most recent year for which data are available (2018-19) was 20.0, a slight increase from 19.9 (2015-16).

However, approximately 7,000 more students took the ACT in 2018-19, indicating increased access while maintaining achievement.

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Post-Secondary Enrollment and Attainment:

The majority of high school graduates from the class of 2020 will earn a postsecondary certificate, diploma, or degree.

PROGRESS

THEC publishes data on the percentage of students who earn a degree within six years of postsecondary enrollment.

- Completion of a four-year degree from a public Tennessee college or university increased from 57% (2010 cohort) to 60.4% (2012 cohort).
- Completion of a community college degree increased from 26.4% (2010 cohort) to 30.5% (2012 cohort).

2019-20 MASTER PLAN

STRATEGIC PRIORITY AREAS

- High Expectations and Positive Learning Environments
- Great Teachers and Leaders
- High-Quality School Options
- Public Engagement and Oversight

2020-25 STRATEGIC GOALS

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STRATEGIC GOAL I:

- By June 30, 2025, ensure policies and systems are in place that provide the opportunity for 100 percent of third grade students to read at grade level as measured by TCAP results.

STRATEGIC GOAL II:

- By June 30, 2025, ensure policies and systems are in place that provide the opportunity for every student to complete 8th grade prepared to succeed in high school.

STRATEGIC GOAL III:

- By June 30, 2025, ensure policies and systems are in place that provide the opportunity for every student to be prepared for success after high school.

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STRATEGIC GOAL IV:

- By June 30, 2025, ensure policies and systems are in place so that a high-quality and effective teacher is present in every Tennessee public school classroom.

STRATEGIC GOAL V:

- By June 30, 2025, ensure policies and systems are in place so that every Tennessee student has access to high-quality learning options.

2020-21 MASTER PLAN

2020-21 MASTER PLAN: SELECTED ACTION STEPS

- **Develop and revise rules and policies** to support key priority areas, such as: innovative learning models; early literacy efforts; planning for high school and beyond; charter school authorizer evaluation; and the state's accountability model.
- **Commission or produce reports** on several policy topics, such as: implementation of the current promotion/retention law; availability of early post-secondary opportunities in each LEA; educator evaluation models; and the implementation of the Tennessee school counseling standards.
- **Maintain a focus on reoccurring, legislatively-required areas of work**, such as: educator licensure discipline; the BEP Review Committee; academic standards review; and the Educator Preparation Report Card.

QUESTIONS?
