Review Process

Initial Public Review
- November 2014 - April 2015
- 131,000 reviews
- 20,000 comments

Educator Teams
- June - October 2015
- Team of 47 educators—K-12 and higher ed.
- Reviewed public feedback
- Made initial revisions

Second Public Review
- October - December 2015
- 38,000 website reviews
- Higher education review
- External review

SRC
- August 2015 - January 2016
- 10 appointed members
- Recommended revisions
- Position Statement
First Reading

- Presentation by the Standards Recommendation Committee
  - In-depth review process
  - Recommendations for revision
  - Position Statement

- Presentation by the math and ELA leads on key features of the new standards
  - ELA: Revised vertical progression, creation of the a Foundational Literacy strand, clarification of early grades expectations
  - Math: New formatting, narrowed Algebra II content, creation of new fourth year course offerings
Since First Reading

- Continued to collect feedback from Board member constituents and made several revisions in response to that feedback

- **English Language Arts:**
  - Clarification regarding the progression of standards
  - Grammatical changes
  - Changes to glossary definitions

- **Math:**
  - Clarification of student expectations for mathematical formulas
  - Corrected several examples
  - Added mathematical vocabulary
  - Corrected the Integrated Math sequence
  - Eliminated of Several Bridge Math Standards
  - Corrected to the Precalculus standards
The Result

- Fulfilled the rigorous review process laid out in TN statute
- Offered unprecedented opportunity for Tennesseans to provide feedback
  - Reviewed more than 200,000 pieces of feedback from more 3,000 individuals
  - Traveled across the state to meet directly with hundreds of teachers and parents
- Engaged our state’s leading educators as content experts
- Maintained a commitment to rigor and high expectations

As a result we have new, rigorous Tennessee-specific standards that will push our state forward and prepare our students for postsecondary and workforce success.
Other Subjects
Science Review

1st Public Feedback Period
- Website

Educator Advisory Team Revisions
- Review public feedback
- Use professional expertise
- Revise standards

2nd Public Feedback Period
- Website
- Higher education
- Roundtables
- External review

Standards Recommendation Committee
- Review revisions and feedback
- Make recommendations for revision
- Recommend to the SBE
Social Studies Review

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- Website

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- Use professional expertise
- Revise standards

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Other Subjects

- Physical Education: First reading tomorrow
- Health: Currently available for public review
- Fine arts: Available for public review later this month

http://tn.gov/sbe/topic/standards-review