



COLORADO

Department of Education

MEMO

TO: State Board of Education

FROM: Sheldon Rosenkrance, Chief District Operations Officer
Jennifer Okes, District Operations Special Advisor and
Corey Evans, School Finance Executive Director

RE: Discussion Item on Upcoming Rulemaking for 1 CCR 301-39 Rules for Administration of the Public School Finance Act

DATE: June 2025

Below, please find information concerning an agenda item at the board's June meeting for a discussion on the upcoming rulemaking for updates to 1 CCR 301-39, Rules for Administration of the Rules for Administration of the Public School Finance Act.

The presentation will cover the rule changes that were implemented through SB25-125, effective May 15, 2025. Additionally, staff will outline the seven identified areas that may warrant updates to the School Finance Rules, including:

- Proposed rules to simplify at-risk count requirements for students in schools participating in the Community Eligibility Provision (CEP)
- Incorporation of to be determined rules for suspension and restart of student-level census block data collection pursuant to HB25-1320
- Discussion of guidance and proposed rules related to private school students enrolled in public schools and submitted for funding
- Proposed rules to clarify requirements for supplemental online courses for homebound, expelled and incarcerated students
- Technical rule changes following the rule review by the Office of Legislative Legal Services
- Discussion of guidance and potential rules related to meal-times
- Update to the work-based learning definition to align with SB25-315

In BoardDocs, please see a "red-lined" document showing the updated proposed amendments to these rules and a Power Point presentation discussing the proposed changes.

If you have any questions, please contact Jennifer Okes at Okes_J@cde.state.co.us.

