



# PELICAN RAPIDS PUBLIC SCHOOL - ISD 548

## SCHOOL BOARD AGENDA

### PRHS Conference Room

#### DISTRICT PRIORITIES:

Community Engagement  
Educate the Whole Child  
Increase Student Enrollment  
Sound and Transparent Financial Practices

#### SCHOOL BOARD:

Jon Karger, Chairperson  
Molly Welch, Vice-Chair  
Brenda Olson, Clerk  
Staci Allmaras, Treasurer  
Greg Larson, Director  
Andrew Sorum, Director

#### ADMINISTRATION:

Brian Korf, Superintendent  
Derrick Nelson, Elementary Principal  
Laura Januszewski, High School Principal  
Rudy Martinez, Finance Director

August 7, 2025 - 5:00pm

### 5:00-5:45 Policy Committee Meeting to discuss upcoming policy updates.

#### Policy 503: Student Attendance

*District's last update: May 2023*

The purpose of this policy is to encourage regular school attendance. It is intended to be positive and not punitive.

*(Updates excused absences. 6/2025 MSBA update)*

#### \*Policy 506: Student Discipline

*District's last update: May 2024*

The purpose of this policy is to ensure that students are aware of and comply with the school district's expectations for student conduct.

*(Adds unscheduled student removal provision and updated info about restraints. 6/2024 MSBA update)*

#### Policy 507: Corporal Punishment and Prone Restraint

*District's last update: October 2023*

The purpose of this policy is to describe limitations on corporal punishment and prone restraints.

*(Adds reasonable force language and corrects legal references. 6/2024 MSBA update)*

#### Policy 509: Enrollment of NonResident Students

*District's last update: 2019*

The purpose of this policy is to set forth the application and exclusion procedures used by the school district in making said determination.

*(Removes School Readiness Plus and adds School of Parents' Choice Law. 6/2024 MSBA update)*

#### Policy 512: School-sponsored Student Publications and Activities

*District's last update: 2019*

The purpose of this policy is to protect students' rights to free speech in production of school-sponsored media and activities while at the same time balancing the school district's role in supervising student publications and operation of public schools.

*(New terminology: "school-sponsored media", Adds student journalism law. 2/25 MSBA update)*

#### Policy 514: Bullying Prohibition Policy

*District's last update: December 2022*

The purpose of this policy is to assist the school district in its goal of preventing and responding to acts of bullying, intimidation, violence, reprisal, retaliation, and other similar disruptive and detrimental behavior.

*(Revised Article V.A; clarified posting requirements and updated other sections. 5/2024 MSBA update)*

#### Policy 603: Curriculum Development

*District's last update: 2019*

The purpose of this policy is to provide direction for continuous review and improvement of the school curriculum.

*(Removal of WBWF and adds broken down duties of committees. 6/2024 MSBA update)*

### Policy 606.5 Library Materials

*New to District*

The purpose of this policy is to provide direction and to delegate responsibility for selection and reconsideration of library materials.

*(2023 MSBA)*

### Policy 613: Graduation Requirements

*District's last update: 2023*

The purpose of this policy is to set forth requirements for graduation from the school district.

*(Correct graduation requirements and paragraph references, 6/2025 MSBA update)*

### Policy 620: Credit for Learning

*District's last update: April 2024*

The purpose of this policy is to recognize student achievement that occurs in postsecondary enrollment option and other advanced enrichment programs.

*(Specific dates added for enrollment deadlines, 6/2025 MSBA update)*

### Policy 624: Online Instruction

*District's last update: November 2023*

The purpose of this policy is to provide adequate opportunity for students identified as having individualized education program (IEP), Rehabilitation Act of 1973, Section 504 accommodation plan (504 plan), or English Learner (EL) needs to participate in statewide assessment systems designed to hold schools accountable for the academic performance of all students.

*(Adds tuition & fee provision. 6/2025 MSBA update)*

### \*Policy 722: Public Data Requests & Form

*District's last update: April 2024*

The purpose of this policy is for the school district to recognize its responsibility relative to the collection, maintenance, and dissemination of public data as provided in state statutes.

*(Annual Policy Review)*

### \*Policy 806: Crisis Management & Form

*District's last update: May 2024*

The purpose of this policy is to act as a guide for school district and building administrators, school employees, students, school board members, and community members to address a wide range of potential crisis situations in the school district.

*(Annual Policy Review)*

No formal board action needed for approval of "technical updates" moving forward. ([416](#), [425](#), [621](#), [906](#))

## **5:45-6:15 Discussion/Review of:**

Policy 524.5 School Cell Phone Policy