

Notice of Rulemaking

Pursuant to Arkansas Code Annotated § 25-15-201 et seq., notice is hereby given that the Arkansas State Board of Education and the Division of Elementary and Secondary Education are considering revisions to the following DESE Rules and are releasing them for public comment: Code of Ethics for Arkansas Educators, Educator Licensure, Eye and Vision Screening Report in Arkansas Schools, Creation of School Districts by Detachment, Distance and Digital Learning, Grading and Course Credit, Uniform Grading Scales (Repeal); Concurrent Credit (Repeal); Advanced Placement and International Baccalaureate Diploma Incentive Program and Advanced Placement Courses in the Four Core Areas in Arkansas High Schools with Guidelines for Endorsed Concurrent Enrollment Courses (Repeal).

A public hearing regarding these new and amended rules will be held on November 18, 2019, at 1:30 p.m. at the Arkansas Department of Education Auditorium, Four Capitol Mall, Little Rock, AR 72201. Written comments regarding these proposed rules may be mailed to the Office of Legal Services at Four Capitol Mall, Room 301A, Little Rock, AR 72201. Comments also may be emailed to ADE.RulesComments@arkansas.gov. A copy of the proposed rules can be found at the Department's website at: <http://www.arkansased.org/divisions/legal/rules/pending>. Copies also may be obtained by contacting ADE's Office of Legal Services at the above address or via phone at (501) 682-4227.