



## LOUISIANA BOARD of ELEMENTARY and SECONDARY EDUCATION

# House Resolution 180 (2025) Truancy Study Group

Wednesday, October 15, 2025 | 1:00 p.m.

Claiborne Building | Louisiana Purchase Room | 1201 North Third St., Baton Rouge, LA 70802

### Truancy Study Group Members

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## AGENDA

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### 1. Opening

- 1.1. Call to Order
- 1.2. Roll Call
- 1.3. Recognition of Guests

### 2. Informational Reports

- 2.1. HR 180 (2025) Summary and Expectations
- 2.2. Louisiana Attendance Landscape
- 2.3. Current Truancy Initiatives and Proposed Solutions
- 2.4. Attendance Data Collection Overview

- 2.5. Enrollment and Attendance in the Minimum Foundation Program (MFP)
- 2.6. Louisiana Department of Education Applications for Average Daily Attendance in Education

### **3. Next Steps**

- 3.1. Future Meeting Dates
- 3.2. Requests of the Truancy Study Group