

# CASB BRIEF



## Policy Newsletter

### Frequently Requested Forms/Lists

Click below for a comprehensive list of policies required by law or highly recommended for Board adoption and a list of policies to distribute to students/parents annually. Free to all members!

[Complete List Here](#)



### Key People Reminder!

If you are your district's Key Person (all school district support personnel serving as superintendent secretaries and/or secretaries to the board of education) don't forget to register for this year's [Key People Program](#) at CASB's 84th Annual Convention.

[Register for Convention Here!](#)

### Why Do We Need Policy?

"Under state law, one of the Board's most important duties is to adopt policies to govern the school district.

Colorado law requires local boards of education to adopt policies and prescribe rules and regulations necessary and proper for the efficient administration of the affairs of the district. C.R.S. 22-32-109(b).

Policies are principles adopted by the Board to chart a course of action. They tell what is wanted and may include why and how much. They are broad enough to indicate a line of action to be taken by the administration in meeting a number of day after day problems; they need to be narrow enough to give the administration clear guidance."

*Definition from the National School Board Association*



### CASB Connections Podcasts: The Legal Framework of Policy Making

[Listen Here!](#)

### Upcoming Events

**Tuesday, 15 October**

#### [Rural Board Member Roundtable](#)

Virtual | 12 - 1:00 p.m.

Join CASB and the Colorado Rural Schools Alliance for this monthly roundtable discussion

**Thursday-Saturday, 5-7 December**

#### [84th Annual Convention](#)

Colorado Springs, Colo.

John K. Coyle, one of the world's leading experts in "Design Thinking" and Innovation, will be Friday's keynote speaker

**Thursday, 13 February**

#### [CASB Student Day at the Capitol](#)

Denver, Colo. | 7:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Students will have their chance to meet with their legislators and experience the legislative process

**Friday-Saturday, 18-19 October**

#### [Fall Conference & Delegate Assembly](#)

Pueblo, Colo.

Debra Fina and Anne Brown will be this year's keynote presenters for the Fall Conference

**Thursday, 6 February**

#### [CASB Days at the Capitol](#)

Denver, Colo. | 7:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

School board members will have their chance to meet with their legislators and experience the legislative process

**Thursday-Friday, 27-28 February**

#### [Winter Legislative Conference](#)

Denver, Colo.

CASB's Winter Legislative Conference registration is **OPEN** and will have an early bird discount until January 31