



Agenda of Public Hearing

The Board of Trustees Florence Independent School District

A Public Hearing of the Board of Trustees of Florence Independent School District will be held July 20, 2026, beginning at 6:30 PM in the Florence High School Library, 401 FM-970, Florence, TX 76527.

Videoconference Notice: A quorum of the Board of Trustees will be physically present at the Florence High School Library, 401 FM 970, Florence, Texas 76527, and it is the intent to have a quorum of the Board present at that location. Pursuant to Texas Government Code 551.127 if a quorum of the Board is physically present at the designated location, other Trustees may attend and participate in this meeting via videoconference.

In accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, the board may enter into closed session at any time during deliberations pursuant to TOMA Governance Code Sections.

- 551.071 (consultation with attorney):
- 551.072 (deliberation regarding real property):
- 551.073 (deliberation regarding prospective gift):
- 551.074 (personnel matters):
- 551.076 (deliberation regarding security devices):
- 551.082 (discipline of student or complaints against employees):
- 551.083 (consultation with representative of employee group): and
- 551.084 (excluding witnesses from board investigation):

When appropriate the board may provide a brief clarification of board actions (not exceeding five minutes) immediately prior to closed session and/or prior to adjournment.

The subjects to be discussed or considered or upon which any formal action may be taken are listed below. Items do not have to be taken in the same order as shown on this meeting notice.

- I. **Call to Order**
- II. **Public Hearing**
 - II.A. Public Hearing Regarding Florence Independent School District's Intent to Apply for Federal Grants
Presenter: Dr. Kelly Avritt
- III. **Adjournment**



FLORENCE ISD

Every Student Succeed Act (ESSA) Consolidated Grant & IDEA B Grant

06/15/2026

Overview

Florence ISD will be applying for the 2026-2027 ESSA consolidated grant, including the components, Title I Part A, Title II Part A, Title III Part A, and Title IV. FISD will also be applying for IDEA-B grant funds.

2025-2026

Last year our district was supported with \$275,085 in funds from ESSA Consolidated Grant.

2026-2027

We are planning to use awarded grant funds in the 2026-2027 school year as outlined on the following slides. Grant projection is \$242,511.

Title I Part A- Basic Services

25-26 School Year

- School-Wide funds for both the Elementary, and Middle School.

26-27 School Year Plan

- Continue School-Wide funds for both Florence Elementary, and Middle School.

Title II Part A- Basic Services

25-26 School Year

- Provided high quality professional development at all campuses.
Focuses included
 - Reading & Math
 - Student Engagement
 - Intervention Strategies
 - Social Emotional Learning

26-27 School Year Plan

- Continue to provide high level of professional development, across content areas.

Title III

25-26 School Year

- Provided supplemental educational platforms to our Emergent Bilingual population.
- Provided support staff and professional development at all levels regarding our Emergent Bilingual populations and best teaching practices.

26-27 School Year Plan

- Continue to provide staff and support to the strategies/practices put in place in 25-26. Ensuring students get consistent high level supplemental education opportunities.

Title IV

25-26 School Year

- Provided professional development and extension materials to enrich our social emotional learning district wide.

26-27 School Year Plan

- Continue supporting practices put in place in 25-26 to expand and deepen the social emotional supports in FUSD.

2025-2026

Last year our district was supported with \$241,297 in funds from IDEA-B & IDEA -B Pre-School.

2026-2027

We are planning to use awarded grant fund in the 2026-2027 school year as outlined on the following slides. Grant projection is \$243,563.

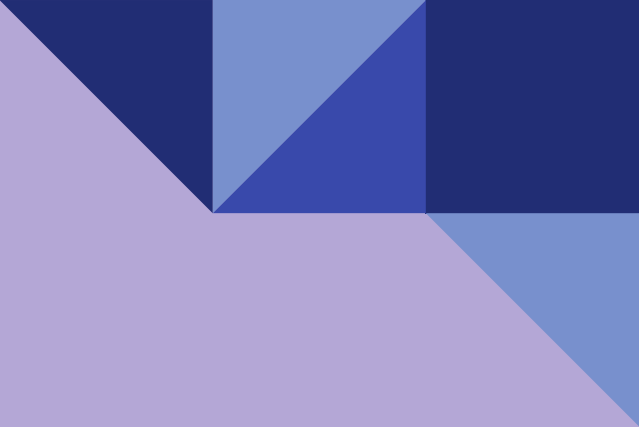
IDEA B & IDEA PreSchool

25-26 School Year

- Funds used for staff salaries, contracted services, IEP supports & services.

26-27 School Year Plan

- Continue using funds for staff salaries, contracted services, & IEP supports & services.



Questions