

Descriptor Term: STAFF MEETINGS Certified Personnel

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The Board of Trustees recognizes the need to conduct periodic and regular staff meetings on varying levels involving all and special members of the staff. Such meetings should be scheduled to cause as little inconvenience to the staff members as possible. Reasonable refreshments may be provided. Additionally, working breakfast, lunch, and dinner meals may be provided when necessary to prevent interruption of the school day. Likewise, full day in-service meetings may provide meals as a part of the organized activity. Meal per diem allowed for state travel plus tax/tips will serve as a guide for cost of meal served. Agendas must be provided when refreshments/meals are served.

Faculty members will meet at least once a year at a time other than scheduled instructional time to review and revise the district-level planned instructional program. The Principal will provide formal opportunities for teachers to set school performance goals and to develop academic incentives.

The Principal will provide specific training activities to help classroom teachers and support staff improve inadequate instructional practice and provide specific training activities to help teachers handle recurring school disciplinary problems.

The Gulfport School District will have an approved comprehensive staff development plan.  
§37-17-8

Legal Reference: Mississippi Code 1972, as cited above  
Mississippi Accountability Standards