

Louisiana will continue the state’s tradition of professional reviews of the state’s student standards by reviewing the science standards during the 2016-2017 school year. Districts and organizations nominated hundreds of experienced nominees representing a diverse array of experts and practitioners from around the state.

STANDARDS COMMITTEE 39 members

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K-2	Latrenda Knighten*	East Baton Rouge Parish School System
K-2	Bridget Corley*	Sabine Parish School System
K-2	Karen Parrino*	Livingston Parish School System
3-5	Troy Lawson*	New Orleans College Prep
3-5	Bianca Deliberto*	Zachary Community School System
3-5	Donna Reyes*	St. Charles Parish School System
6-8	Heather Howle*	West Feliciana Parish School System
6-8	Brian Fontenot*	Calcasieu Parish School System
6-8	Cathi Cox-Boniol*	Lincoln Parish School System
High School	Lydia Hill*	International High School
High School	Dr. Rhonda Matthews*	Iberville Parish School System
High School (STEM)	Dr. Paulette Perrin*	St. Tammany Parish School System
Louisiana Association of Educators (LAE)	Dr. Michael McCoy	Louisiana Association of Educators
Louisiana Federation of Teachers (LFT)	Krystal Swain	Louisiana Federation of Teachers
Associated Professional Educators of Louisiana (A+PEL)	Patrick Turk	Associated Professional Educators of Louisiana
The Louisiana Council of Engineering Deans	Dr. Michelle Sanchez	The Louisiana Council of Engineering Deans
Louisiana Association of Teachers of Mathematics	Jean May-Brett*	Louisiana Association of Teachers of Mathematics
Louisiana Academy of Sciences	Dr. Susan Sullivan	Louisiana Academy of Sciences
University	Dr. Chad Young	Nicholls State University
University: Experimental Program to Stimulate Competitive Research (EPSCOR)	Dr. Brenda Nixon	University: Experimental Program to Stimulate Competitive Research (EPSCOR)
Louisiana Science Teachers Association (LSTA)	Patrice Mire*	Louisiana Science Teachers Association
Louisiana Association of Science Leaders (LASL)	Jeff Holcomb*	Louisiana Association of Science Leaders
Louisiana Early Childhood Association (LAECA)	Dr. Michelle Joubert*	Louisiana Early Childhood Association
Louisiana Board of Regents (BoR)	Dr. Jeanne Burns	Louisiana Board of Regents
Louisiana Parent Teacher Association (PTA)	Bonita Crawford	Louisiana Parent Teacher Association

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Black Alliance for Educational Options (BAEO)	Dr. RaeNell Houston	Black Alliance for Educational Options
Urban League of Greater New Orleans	Dr. Calvin Mackie	Urban League of Greater New Orleans
Louisiana Association of Principals (LAP)	Joseph David	Louisiana Association of Principals
Louisiana Association of School Superintendents (LASS)	Scott Devillier	Louisiana Association of School Superintendents
Louisiana School Board Association (LSBA)	Andre Deshotel	Louisiana School Board Association
Louisiana Association of Public Charter Schools (LAPCS)	Akhundov Elkhan*	Louisiana Association of Public Charter Schools
Louisiana Association of Business and Industry (LABI)	Michelle Savoy	Louisiana Association of Business and Industry
LSU Agricultural Center	Josh Dahlem	LSU Agricultural Center
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Louisiana Family Forum	Dr. Wade Warren	Louisiana Family Forum
Board of Elementary and Secondary Education (BESE)	Danny Pennington	Board of Elementary and Secondary Education, Ouachita Parish School System
Board of Elementary and Secondary Education (BESE)	Dr. John Oller, ULL	Board of Elementary and Secondary Education, University of Louisiana Lafayette
Board of Elementary and Secondary Education (BESE)	Joni Smith	Board of Elementary and Secondary Education, Livingston Parish School System
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K-8 WORKGROUP 35 members

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K-8 Workgroup Seat	Name	District/Organization
Kindergarten	Karen Parrino*	Livingston Parish School System
Kindergarten	Latrenda Knighten*	East Baton Rouge Parish School System
1st grade	Dawn Barnett	East Feliciana Parish School System
1st grade	Emily Swenson	Rapides Parish School System
2nd grade	Rebecca Jones	Franklin Parish School System
2nd grade	Rachel Loque	St. James Parish School System
K-2nd grades	Bridget Corley*	Sabine Parish School System
3rd grade	Bianca Deliberto*	Zachary Community Schools
3rd grade	Ashly Rathburn	Allen Parish School System
4th grade	Emily McGrath	KIPP Public Charter Schools
4th grade	Alvester Barfield	Red River Parish School System
5th grade	Kizzy Crockett	West Baton Rouge Parish School System
5th grade	Troy Lawson*	New Orleans College Prep
3rd-5th grades	Donna Reyes*	St. Charles Parish School System
6th grade	Dr. Shannon Lafont	Lafourche Parish School System
6th grade	Sheila Banks	Orleans Parish School System
7th grade	Lyndsey Ewing	Monroe City Schools
7th grade	Jodi Sanchez	Lusher Charter School
8th grade	Charlene Byrd	Jefferson Parish School System
8th grade	Kyle Duhon	Jefferson Davis Parish School System
Elementary	Kendra Pullen	Caddo Parish School System
Elementary	Jessica Church	Natchitoches Parish School System
Middle school	Brian Fontenot*	Calcasieu Parish School System
Middle school	Wendy DeMers	Homer A. Plessy Community School
K-8th grades	Cathi Cox-Boniol*	Lincoln Parish School System
Louisiana Science Teachers Association (LSTA)	Shavonne Garner-Price	Louisiana Science Teachers Association
University	Dr. Brenda Nixon	Louisiana State University
Louisiana Association of Early Childhood (LAECA)	Dr. Michelle Joubert*	Louisiana Association of Early Childhood
Elementary special education	Marsha Medine	Assumption Parish School System
Middle school special education	Annice Greer	Sabine Parish School System
Louisiana Association of Teachers of Mathematics (LATM)	Jessica Rivero	Louisiana Association of Teachers of Mathematics
Technology	Cecilia Lanier	Tangipahoa Parish School System
K-8 STEM	Heather Howle*	West Feliciana Parish School System
K-8 STEM	Loren Klein	Iberia Parish School System
High School Science	John Provost	Acadia Parish School System

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High School Workgroup Seat	Name	District/Organization
Biology	Lydia Hill*	International High School
Biology	Casey McMann	Plaquemines Parish School System
Biology	Jed Pitre	Lafourche Parish School System
Biology	Regina Chustz*	Board of Elementary and Secondary Education, Lafourche Parish School System
Chemistry	Cody Cole	Beauregard Parish School System
Chemistry	Mamie Brauer	Vernon Parish School System
Chemistry	Dr. Rhonda Matthews*	Iberville Parish School System
Chemistry	Anthony McElligott	Collegiate Academies
Earth Science	Rene Naquin	Terrebonne Parish School System
Earth Science	James Oubre	St. John Parish School System
Environmental Science	Lisa Nance	Caddo Parish School System
Environmental Science	Jean May-Brett*	Louisiana Association of Teachers of Mathematics
Astronomy	John Sorrel	St. Mary Parish School System
University	Dr. Waneene Dorsey	Grambling State University
Physical Science	Conrad Browne	St. Bernard Parish School System
Physical Science	Stephen Knight	St. Martin Parish School System
Physics	Suzanne Prince	Lafayette Parish School System
Physics	Catherine Raziano	Zachary Community School System
STEM	Lisa Ranney	Lafayette Parish School System
STEM	Nathan Cotten	Terrebonne Parish School System
STEM	Akhundov Elkhan*	Kenilworth Charter School
STEM	Dr. Paulette Perrin*	St. Tammany Parish School System
General Science	Patrice Mire*	Vermilion Parish School System
Louisiana Association of Science Leaders (LASL)	Jeff Holcomb*	Louisiana Association of Science Leaders
High school special education	Tracy Hoffman	St. Tammany Parish School System
Technology	Steve Babcock	University Laboratory School – Louisiana State University
Laser Interferometer Gravitational-wave Observatory (LIGO)	Dr. Amber Stuver	Laser Interferometer Gravitational-wave Observatory
Cyber Innovation Center (CIC)	John Ownby	Cyber Innovation Center