



**KENTUCKY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION (KDE)  
Kentucky United We Learn Council  
BOLD NEW FUTURE (BNF)**

**JUNE 5, 2023**

**Agenda Item:** Kentucky Board of Education (KBE) Update

**Presenter:** Meredith Brewer, Kentucky Department of Education

Brewer provided a brief overview of the upcoming June and August KBE meetings.

**Agenda Item:** Update on Kentucky District Portrait of a Learner (POL) Implementation

**Presenter:** Jon Alfuth, KnowledgeWorks

**Summary of Discussion:**

Alfuth provided an overview of the current Portrait of a Learner implementation status for Kentucky school districts that completed the optional survey disseminated by the KDE Division of Innovative Learning.

**Agenda Item:** Member Feedback on Implementation of Grad Requirement Proposal

**Presenter:** Meredith Brewer, Kentucky Department of Education, and Caleb Bates, Standing Committee Chair

**Summary of Discussion:**

KBE intends to entertain proposed amendments to 704 KAR 3:305, Minimum requirements for high school graduation, during their October 2023 regular meeting. The amendments will propose a strategy for incorporating either the state's POL or an aligned local portrait into the requirements for high school graduation.

Members of the Bold New Future committee were asked to reflect on the different “networks” of which they are a member. Using a provided script and questions, members were charged with gathering feedback on the proposed changes via this Google form.

Bates and Brewer provided an overview of the submitted feedback and BNF committee members shared their reactions to the overview.

**Follow-up Required:**

Continue to solicit feedback on proposed changes via the provided Google form.

**Agenda Item:** Planning for Committee Engagement at August Board Retreat

**Presenter:** Tammy Schiff, Kentucky Department of Education, and Caleb Bates, Standing Committee Chair

**Summary of Discussion:**

Schiff and Bates discussed the plan for developing a BNF presentation for the August KBE retreat and regular meeting.

**Follow-up Required:**

Members will be asked to contribute to the development of the BNF KBE presentation.

**Answer the following questions:**

**What do the other committees need to know?** The BNF standing committee will present an update during the August 2023 KBE meeting.

**What issues and updates have come up regarding Portrait of a Learner?** See above.

**SUMMARY:**

The Kentucky United We Learn Building a Bold New Future (BNF) Standing Committee met on Monday, June 5. To begin, the committee reviewed an overview of the current Portrait of a Learner implementation status for Kentucky school districts using data collected via an optional survey disseminated by the KDE Division of Innovative Learning. Members then provided feedback on possible changes to graduation requirements to incorporate defenses of learning aligned with an approved portrait of a learner. Lastly, the committee discussed the plan for developing a BNF presentation for the August KBE retreat and regular meeting. The committee will meet again on Tuesday, July 11.