

# New School Board Member Orientation *Agenda*

**DAY ONE: October 29, 2020**

1:00 p.m.	Welcome and Overview	
1:30 p.m.	Education's Governance Structure	<i>Ben Torres, TSBA Assistant Executive Director and General Counsel</i>
2:15 p.m.	BREAK	
2:30 p.m.	Basics of Boardmanship	<i>Dr. Tammy Grissom, TSBA Executive Director</i>
4:30 p.m.	BREAK	
4:45 p.m.	School Law	<i>Ben Torres</i>
6:15 p.m.	Dinner	
6:45 p.m.	The Board/Superintendent Relationship	<i>Dr. Tammy Grissom and Ben Torres</i>
8:00 p.m.	Adjourn	

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**DAY TWO: October 30, 2020**

8:00 a.m.	School Finance	<i>Ben Torres</i>
9:30 a.m.	BREAK	
9:45 a.m.	Planning	<i>Dr. Tammy Grissom</i>
10:15 a.m.	Promotion of the School System	<i>Dr. Tammy Grissom</i>
10:45 a.m.	Policy	<i>Jennifer White, Director of Policy &amp; Staff Attorney</i>
11:45 a.m.	LUNCH	
12:45 p.m.	Board/Staff Relations	<i>Emily Warren, Assistant Director of Policy &amp; Staff Attorney</i>
2:30 p.m.	BREAK	
2:45 p.m.	Board/Student Relations	<i>Dr. Tammy Grissom</i>
3:30 p.m.	Question and Answer	
3:45 p.m.	Wrap-up and Evaluations	
4:00 p.m.	Adjourn	