



2021 NEW BOARD MEMBER ACADEMY

ISBA helps newly elected board members become acquainted with their new role in public education by offering a curriculum of essential board materials to assist new members as they assume their roles and responsibilities as board members.

During their first year of service, new board members can become acquainted with much of the critical information needed, the resources available to them, and finish the courses with valuable, practical information they can begin to use immediately!

Every new board member that participates in the entire program in 2021 will earn 40 EGA points. By just attending their region’s Spring and Fall Regional programs, plus the 2021 Fall Conference, these new members will qualify as Commendable EGA Level participants.

Not a new board member? No problem! This program is also a great refresher curriculum for veteran members!

The New Board Member Academy begins the first week of February 2021. The academy will begin with **four** “live” virtual clinic sessions (each one offered twice) beginning in February followed by **eight** recorded webinars covering a variety of subjects that will be released from April through June. Attendees can view and review from the release date through the remainder of the year. All attendees will have access to course materials and will receive the 2021 revised Model of Board Governance manual.

**To register and learn more details, visit www.isba-ind.org/new-board-member-academy
Registration is open now through July 2021. This program costs \$380.**

LIVE VIRTUAL CLINIC SESSIONS

Session 1 - Feb 2 & 4:
Effective Governance
Board-Superintendent Relations

Session 2 - Feb 9 & 11:
Speaking with One Voice
Superintendent Evaluation

Session 3 - Feb 23 & 25:
Managing Social Media Parliamentary Procedure

Session 4 - March 2 & 4:
Managing Disagreement Effective Communication

WEBINAR SUBJECTS AND AVAILABILITY DATES

April:
Open Door Law

Legislative Policy and Grassroots Diplomacy

Policy Development and Maintenance

Collective Bargaining and the Law

May:
School Budget & Funding Formula Overview

Foundational Statements and Strategic Planning

June:
Community-Board Relations

Crisis Leadership