



Board Policy to Classroom Practice: Data Informed Decision-Making

May 23, 2008 • 8:30 a.m.–2:30 p.m.

MASB Board Room • 1001 Centennial Way, Suite 400 • Lansing, MI 48917-8249

Michigan Association of School Boards (MASB) and Michigan Association of School Administrators (MASA) are partnering to present a professional development program on data-informed decision-making that will show how using data to drive instructional decisions leads to increased student performance.

Schools are facing increasing challenges to improve student performance and growth. Research has shown that high-performing schools have clear academic goals for students that are based on standards, developed from data and used to guide instructional practices. The *Board Policy to Classroom Practice: Data Informed Decision-Making* workshop will take your district's team on a journey of understanding the role of school board members and that of administration in gathering, analyzing and implementing a data-driven school district.

This workshop is presented by: Dr. J. Mark Rainey, an educator/board member and Dr. Walter Burt, retired superintendent/Western Michigan University professor.

The foundation of The *Board Policy to Classroom Practice: Data Informed Decision-Making* workshop is based on the Michigan Department of Education's School Improvement Framework and Western Michigan University's partnership with the Wallace Readers Digest Foundation on Data Informed Decision-Making.

From this workshop, you'll discover answers to the following questions:

- What is data informed decision-making?
- How does it improve school performance?
- What data should we be gathering and analyzing for achievement, growth and positive results for students?
- How does the board's role in policy making impact data informed decision-making?
- Based on data, how do we create strategies and action plans for the district improvement plan to promote continuous improvement?
- How does the school improvement framework act as a foundation for data informed decision-making?

Who should attend?

Board members
Superintendents
Administrators

**Space is limited.
Register soon!**



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REGISTRATION

Online	FAX	Mail	Questions?
Visit our Web site at www.masb.org	Fax registration form to Mary McCarthy at 517.327.0776	Mail registration form and payment to: MASB Business Office 1001 Centennial Way, Ste. 400 Lansing, MI 48917-8249	Registration questions contact Mary McCarthy at 517.327.5918 or 1.800.968.4627, ext. 271
Payment Information			
Payment is appreciated at time of registration. (A \$25 service fee will be added to any balance due after May 23, 2008.)			
Check <input type="checkbox"/> Check enclosed made payable to MASB Check# _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Check to follow—Registration faxed in advance	Invoice <input type="checkbox"/> Invoice school district (A \$25 billing fee will be applied.) Attn: _____	Credit Card <input type="checkbox"/> VISA <input type="checkbox"/> MASTERCARD Exp. Date _____ Account Number _____ Signature _____	

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Board Policy to Classroom Practice: Data Informed Decision-Making	Conference Continental breakfast and lunch provided
 Administrators earn .4 CEU's for full conference attendance Board members earn 10 MASB Education Credits for full day attendance	\$125
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Cancellations:

A \$25 cancellation fee will be charged for any and all cancellations. Substitutions are accepted. All cancellations must be in writing. **No refunds after May 16, 2008.**

Conference questions contact Deborah Keys @ 800.968.4627 ext. 226 or 517.327.5904.