Note: In addition to the Education Code, the Election Code, and other applicable laws, the district remains subject to Art. 2783d, V.A.T.S.

Membership
The district shall be divided into nine single-member districts, each such trustee district to be composed of a contiguous and compact territory and all board member districts to contain as nearly as may be practicable an equal number of inhabitants. Each board member district shall be entitled to elect one member to the board. Art. 2783d, V.A.T.S.

Terms
Three trustees shall be elected annually for terms of three years. All board members shall serve until their successors have been elected and qualified. Art. 2783d, V.A.T.S.

Board policy shall state the schedule on which specific terms expire. Education Code 11.059 [See BBB(LOCAL)]

Note: For website posting requirements regarding trustee information, see CQA.

Uniform Election Dates
Each general or special election of board members shall be on one of the following dates:

1. The first Saturday in May.
2. The first Tuesday after the first Monday in November.

Election Code 41.001(a)

Joint Elections Required
A district trustee election shall be held on the same date as:

1. The election for the members of the governing body of a municipality located in the district;
2. The general election for state and county officers, which is held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November in even-numbered years under Election Code 41.002;
3. The election for the members of the governing body of a hospital district, if the district:
   a. Is wholly or partly located in a county with a population of less than 40,000 that is adjacent to a county with a population of more than three million; and
   b. Held its election for board members jointly with the election for the members of the governing body of the hospital district before May 2007; or
4. The election for the members of the governing board of a public junior college district in which the district is wholly or partly located.

Elections held on the same date as provided above shall be held as a joint election under Election Code Chapter 271, and the voters shall be served by common polling places consistent with Election Code 271.003(b).

**Education Code 11.0581(a)–(c)**

A board may enter into a joint election agreement with another political subdivision holding an election on the same day in all or part of the same county to conduct the election jointly. The terms of a joint election agreement must be stated in an order, resolution, or other official action adopted by the board. *Election Code 271.002*

**Method of Election**

**Single-Member Districts**

**Redistricting**

Not later than the 90th day before the date of the first regular board election at which trustees may officially recognize and act on the last preceding federal census, the board shall redivide the district into the appropriate number of trustee districts if the census data indicates that the population of the most populous district exceeds the population of the least populous district by more than ten percent. Redivision of the district shall be in the manner provided for division of the district under Education Code 11.052(f). *Education Code 11.052(l), .065; Atty. Gen. Op. GA-108 (2003)*

**Phase-in Option**

The board of a district that adopts a redistricting plan under Education Code 11.052 may provide for the trustees in office when the plan is adopted or the district is redistricted to serve for the remainder of their terms in accordance with Education Code 11.053.

The trustee district and any at-large positions provided by the district’s plan shall be filled as the staggered terms of trustees then in office expire. Not later than the 90th day before the date of the first election from trustee districts and after each redistricting, the board shall determine the order in which the positions will be filled.


**Method of Voting**

Candidates for election from each respective trustee district shall be elected by a majority of the votes cast in that trustee district. *Art. 2783d, V.A.T.S.*