# #MIBoardAwards



The Certified Board Member Awards Program offers school board leaders a way to develop new skills, stay up to date on educational issues and earn recognition for professional development as a school board member.

There are <u>seven</u> individual award levels, <u>seven</u> whole board recognition levels and two specialty certifications.



To achieve Level 1 status, the Certified Board Member Award, you must complete all 100-Level classes, including:

101: Fundamentals of School Board Service

102: Governing Through Policy

103: Basic School Finance

104: Basic School Law

105: Curriculum and Instruction

**106: Community Relations** 

107: Labor Relations

108: Navigating the Legislative Process

109: Data-Informed Decisionmaking

Awards are granted based on classes completed by Dec. 31. The certification is cumulative so, if you don't complete all classes in one year, you can finish and earn the award in the next or future years.

## Other Recommended Courses for Your First Year

#### **CBA 214: Open Meetings Act**

Foundational understanding of this law is imperative to effective school board service. Join MASB's Legal Services staff for a thorough overview of Michigan's Open Meetings Act.

### **Tool-Specific Superintendent Evaluation Training**

Training on your district's superintendent evaluation instrument is a state requirement. If your district uses MASB's tool, there are monthly virtual offerings to get up to speed on the evaluation process.

Available opportunities can be found at masb.org/calendar.

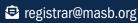
#### **NEW!** Training Reimbursement Available

Local districts may be reimbursed up to \$100 per course by the Michigan Department of Education for individual board members receiving training intended to develop and enhance board member knowledge of school operations and education law, including all 100-level courses.



MASB Leadership Development and Executive Search Services





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