

Meeting Month	Adequacy Study Topic
June 2015	Adequacy history and legal framework Adequacy definition Matrix, foundation funds, URT and State Aid Adequacy study process
July 2015	Partnership Program ** Facilities Distress
August 2015	** Fiscal Distress ** State status under No Child Left Behind
September 2015	** National School Lunch categorical funding ** Arkansas Comprehensive School Improvement Plan
October 2015	English Language Learner categorical funding ** Student Growth funding ** Declining Enrollment funding
November 2015	** Special Education ** Arkansas Comprehensive Testing, Assessment and Accountability Program
December 2015	** Curriculum Frameworks/Common Core State Standards Transportation
January 2016	Student Achievement Statistics ** Legislative Audit report ** Academic Distress
February 2016	Comments from Education Groups Arkansas Association for Educational Administrators Arkansas Education Association Arkansas Rural Ed Association Arkansas School Boards Association Others? ** Review 2014 Adequacy Report prior to Fiscal Session (§10-3-2104(d))
March, 2016 Day 1	** Resource Allocation, Part 1, Staffing
March 2016 Day 2	** Resource Allocation, Part 2, School and District-Level Resources
April 2016	** Teacher Salaries Teacher Recruitment and Retention
May 2016	Alternative Learning Environment Workforce and Career Education
June 2016	Professional Development Teacher Evaluation (Teacher Excellence and Support System)
July 2016	** Isolated Funding ** Equity
August 2016	**Inflation/Deflation Introduce Draft Adequacy Report (blank section for recommendations) Discussion of adequacy issues and potential recommendations
September 2016	Discussion of Draft Adequacy Report Discussion of Adequacy Recommendations
October 2016	Discussion of Adequacy Recommendations **Adopt Recommendations
November 2016	Deliver final Adequacy Report

**Indicates study item that is statutorily required.