



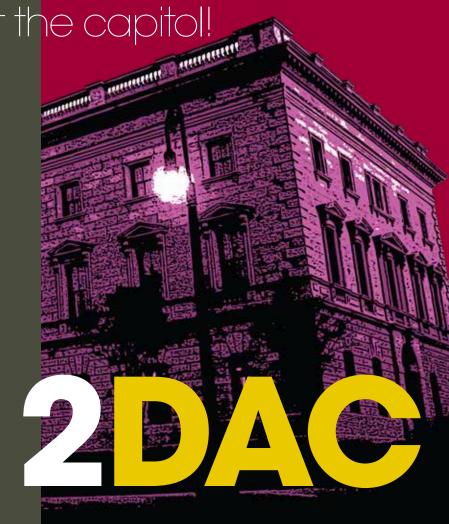
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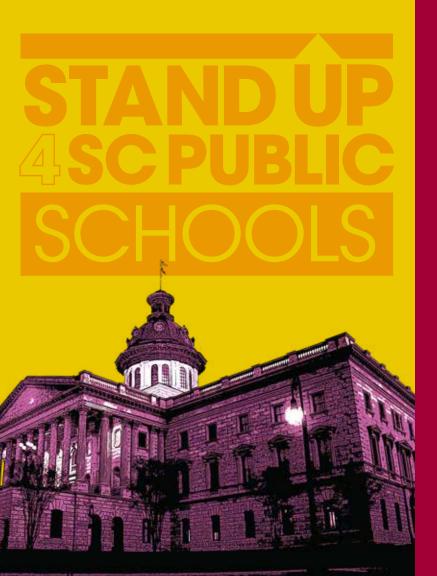
As a leading voice for local public schools, your visibility in front of state lawmakers is important.

School funding reform, revisions to the state "sunshine" laws and expanded tuition tax credit/voucher programs are some of the legislative issues that will require you to stand up for South Carolina's public schools at the State House in 2015.

2DAC – Two Days at the Capitol – is a two-day advocacy program during the legislative session for board members, superintendents and other public school advocates to:

- spend time at the State House meeting with legislators to discuss public school issues
- attend legislative committee meetings
- increase the visibility and voice of local school boards





Each day is designated for school boards in specific regions; however, board members may choose the date that best meets their schedule. The regions by date are as follows:

- Wednesday, March 18, 2015 for school boards in Allendale, Bamberg, Barnwell, Beaufort, Berkeley, Calhoun, Chesterfield, Charleston, Clarendon, Colleton, Darlington, Dillon, Dorchester, Florence, Georgetown, Hampton, Horry, Jasper, Lee, Marion, Marlboro, Orangeburg, Sumter, and Williamsburg counties.
- Wednesday, May 13, 2015 for school boards in Abbeville, Aiken, Anderson, Cherokee, Chester, Edgefield, Fairfield, Greenville, Greenwood, Kershaw, Laurens, Lancaster, Lexington, Newberry, Oconee, Pickens, McCormick, Richland, Saluda, Spartanburg, Union and York counties.

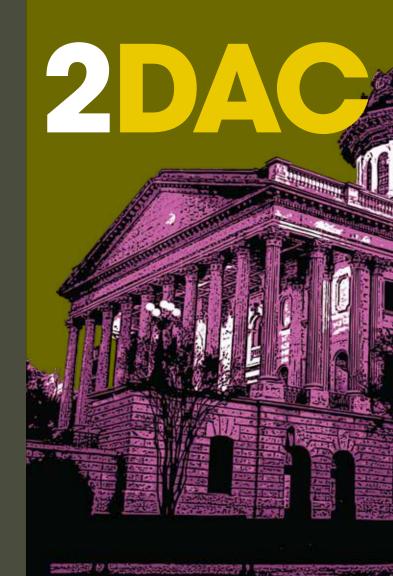
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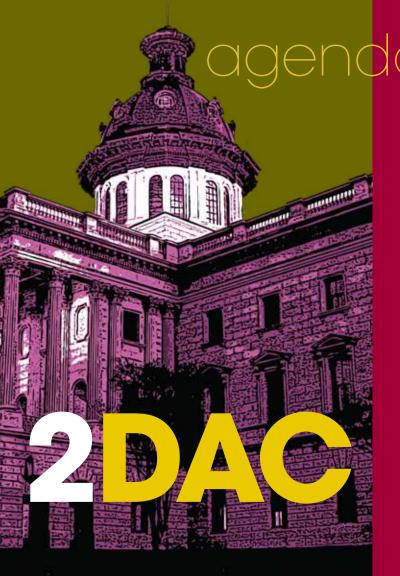
Online registration is open. The registration fee per person is \$50, which includes continental breakfast and buffet lunch. To prevent duplicate registrations, invoicing and credit card charges, conference registration should be done as follows:

- school board members, district administrators and advocates must register through their board secretary/clerk
- associate members must register through their company SCSBA contact
- all others can register by clicking on the "registration link" on the 2DAC webpage at scsba.org

location

The Capital City Club, located on the 25th floor of the Capitol Center building at 1201 Main Street in Columbia (corner of Assembly and Gervais streets and across the street from the State House). Parking is available in the parking garage adjacent to the building and can be accessed on Assembly Street or Lady Street. Two-hour metered parking is also available on Assembly and Main streets.





9 a.m. **Registration & continental breakfast**

Capital City Club

9:30 a.m. **Welcome and legislative briefing**

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10:15 a.m. Visits/meetings with legislators

State House

Noon **Lunch**

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steps to take before arriving

- 1. **Contact** members of your legislative delegation to arrange a meeting between 10:30 a.m. to 11:45 p.m. at the State House.
- 2. **Study** the legislative issues, position statements and talking points handout that SCSBA will email prior to the event to prepare for your meetings with legislators.
- 3. **Review** the education-related committee meetings that may be scheduled for the day. (SCSBA will email a list prior to the event.)
- 4. **Check** the weather forecast for chances of rain to pack an umbrella and don't forget the coins if planning to park on the street for parking meters.

upcoming

February 19, 2015 **New Board Orientation**, Myrtle Beach, Kingston Plantation

February 19, 2015: **Board Chair Workshop**, Myrtle Beach, Kingston Plantation

February 19-22, 2015: **SCSBA Annual Convention**, Myrtle Beach, Kingston Plantation

March 18 and May 13, 2015: **2DAC** (Two Days at the Capital), Columbia

March 21-23, 2015: **NSBA Annual Conference**, Nashville, TN

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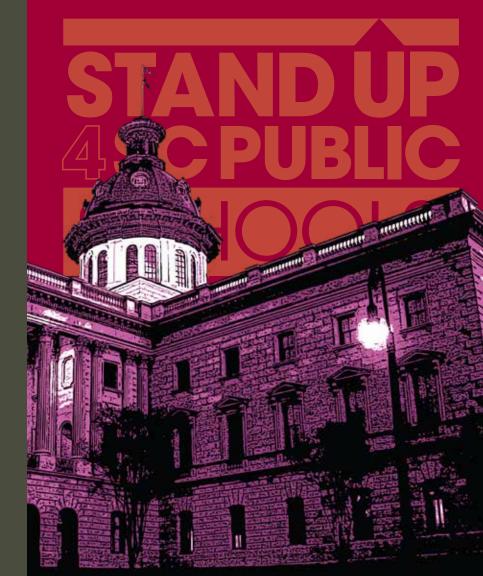


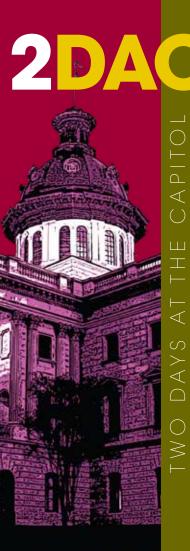
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