

**Civics Course  
Proposed Standards Adoption Timeline**

<b>Timeline</b>	<b>Item</b>
November 1, 2025	<p><b>Draft Standards Available</b> The writing committee from Utah Valley University will share their initial draft of course standards. These will be shared to the Board for review.</p> <p>The Board will provide comments and feedback via email to Teaching and Learning staff. Staff will compile and share comments to the UVU writing committee.</p>
November 7, 2025	<p><b>Revise R277-700 (if needed)</b> Proposed revisions will be reviewed in the Standards and Assessment Committee.</p>
January 26, 2026	<p><b>Feedback Incorporation Due Date</b> The writing committee will meet in December and January to address and incorporate Board feedback using the USBE Teaching and Learning feedback chart process to display revisions.</p>
February 5, 2026	<p><b>Release for Public Comment</b> The writing committee's revisions will be reviewed in the full Board Meeting and there will be a vote to release standards for public comment for a 30 day period.</p>
March 13, 2026	<b>Public Feedback Closes (approximate)</b>
March - April, 2026	<p><b>Feedback Review and Incorporation</b> The writing committee will meet in March and April to address and incorporate public feedback using the USBE Teaching and Learning feedback chart process to display revisions.</p>
May 8, 2026	<p><b>Standards and Assessment Committee</b> The Standards and Assessment Committee will review the final draft for approval and forward to the full Board.</p>
June 4, 2026	<p><b>Standards Adoption</b> The full Board will review the final standards draft and approve for adoption.</p>
June 2026	<b>CACTUS Code Creation</b>

SY 2026-2027	<b>Professional Learning and Course Preparation</b> <i>Sophomores</i> can add to their 4-year plan
SY 2027-2028	<b>First Year Implementation</b> <i>Juniors</i> could begin taking the course