



The mission of the Bedford School District is to develop a community of learners who are intellectually curious, resourceful, and respectful of self and others. Academic achievement through constantly improving standards is the district's highest priority.

BEDFORD SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

Monday, August 23, 2021

BHS Theater

47B Nashua Road, Bedford NH 03110

7:00 p.m.

AGENDA

Meeting time is approximate. Will directly follow the School Board Retreat.

7:00 p.m. 1. Call to Order/Roll Call

7:01 p.m. 2. Affirm Agenda Items

7:02 p.m. 3. Comments or Written Statements from the Public

While we encourage public participation at board meetings, please refrain from expressions of support or disagreement (applause, etc.) during the meeting. Residents who take 2-3 minutes to make formal comments bearing difficult feedback, unconventional, or unpopular ideas are welcome and should feel comfortable commenting. Outbursts of any kind can disrupt the decorum of the meeting and the purpose of public comments.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Citizen participation can occur in two ways:

- a. Written comments can be submitted directly to the School Board at bedfordschoolboard@sau25.net
- b. Comments can be made in person during the designated time for public comments.

The following procedures pertain to public participation at Board meetings:

- Written or oral statements can take up to 2 to 3 minutes per speaker.*

- *An individual desiring to speak shall give his/her name, address, and the group, if any, that is represented.*
- *The School Board will not hear personal complaints of school personnel nor against any person connected with the school system.*
- *Unless an answer to a question is provided in the Board's written policies or in established regulations, the Board will not respond to the request at the same meeting, nor will it take action on a proposed recommendation, but shall defer the item to a later meeting.*

7:10 p.m.

4. Opening Plan

Proposed Action: Superintendent Fournier will share the most current information with the Board relative to the Reopening Plan for the 2021/22 school year.

Supporting Documents

- [Reopening Plan Updated 08.16.21 Draft](#)
- [Updated Mitigation Measures](#)

8:00 p.m.

5. Suspension Authority

Proposed Action: Superintendent Fournier is requesting annual authorization to extend suspensions beyond the 10 days allowed at the school level if he deems it necessary.

Supporting Documents

- [Suspension Authority 2021/2022](#)

8:15 p.m.

6. Consent Agenda

- [Nominations-new hires](#)

TBD

7. Adjournment