



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

BEDFORD SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

Tuesday, October 15, 2024

SAU Office board room

103 County Road, Bedford NH 03110

7:00 p.m.

AGENDA

1. Call to Order/Pledge of Allegiance/Roll Call

7:00 p.m.

2. Affirm Agenda Items

3. Participation at School Board Meetings

Citizen participation can occur in two ways:

1. Written comments can be submitted directly to the School Board at bedfordschoolboard@sau25.net. If you would like your written comment to be included in meeting minutes please specify this and include your full name and address.
2. Comments can be made in person during the designated time for public comments.

The following procedures pertain to Public Participation at Board meetings as per policy BEDH:

- Individual speakers will be allotted up to 3 minutes per person. Speakers may not relinquish allotted time to another 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 comments of complaints of school personnel nor against any person connected with the school system.
- Please refer to Policy [BEDH Public Participation at Board Meetings](#) for more details.

4. Community Senate Update

Proposed Action:

Kaylee Mangiafico and Brody Hoang, Members of the Bedford High School Community Senate will update the Board on the items they have been discussing.

5. Interactive Panel Presentation

Proposed Action:

Nicole Cassamassino, Digital Learning Specialist, will give a presentation to the Board on Interactive Panels. Her colleague, Peter Olsen and Director of Technology, Larry Baker will be present to address any questions from the Board.

Supporting Documents:

- [Interactive Panel Presentation](#)

6. Kindergarten Feedback Sessions

Proposed Action:

Elementary School Principals, Ms. Daley, Ms. McCarthy, and Mr. Schappler along with Kindergarten teachers, Katie Loi, Sheila Whitman, Wendy Sanclemente, Stephanie Zimmerman, and Jill Manning will present the community feedback they received regarding the potential implementation of full-day kindergarten in Bedford.

Supporting Documents:

- [Memorial Feedback](#)
- [Peter Woodbury Feedback](#)
- [Riddle Brook Feedback](#)

7. Lead Paint Remediation Grant

Proposed Action:

Superintendent Fournier will seek the Board's approval to proceed with lead remediation using grant funding.

Supporting Documents:

- [Lead Remediation Grant](#)
- [Supporting Documentation](#)

8. Policy Updates

Proposed Action:

Superintendent Fournier will present the Board with the following policies for review:

First Read:

- [Draft Policy JI: Student Rights and Responsibilities](#)
- [Draft Policy JICD: Student Discipline and Due Process](#)
- [Draft Policy JKAA: Use of Restraints and Seclusion](#)
- [Draft Policy JRA: Student Records and Access - FERPA](#)

Second Read:

- [Draft Policy DID: Inventory and Management of Assets](#)
- [Draft Policy GBCD-RG: Background Investigation and Criminal History Records Check - Internal Controls and Procedures](#)
- [Draft Policy IHBA: Programs for Pupils with Disabilities](#) (Procedure [IHBA-R](#))

- [Draft Policy IMGA: Service Animals](#)
- [Draft Policy JFABE: Education of Children in Foster Care](#)

9. Minutes

- [Draft Minutes of 09.24.2024](#)

10. Materials Included

- [Governance Questionnaire](#)
 - Enrollment Report
 - [October 2024](#)
 - Suspension Reports
 - [ISS for August/September 2024](#)
 - [OSS for August/September 2024](#)
 - [Bullying Report for August/September 2024](#)
 - [Saturday School Detentions for August/September 2024](#)

11. Consent Agenda

- [Manifest of 10.16.2024](#)

12. Short Subjects and Good News Notes

13. Nonpublic Session Per RSA 91-A:3, II (c)

- Employee matter

14. Adjournment

TBD