

# Résumé: School Board Meeting

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September 24, 2019 – School Board Meeting  
**LOUDOUN COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD**  
6:30 p.m. School Board Meeting Room  
21000 Education Court, Ashburn, VA  
Presiding: Brenda Sheridan, Vice Chairman

## RECOGNITIONS

Gifted Resource Teacher **Susan Helsley** and Supervisor, World Languages and Culture **Suzette Wyhs** presented Loudoun County Public Schools (LCPS) students who were nominated to attend the 2019 Summer Residential Governor’s Schools and Governor’s Foreign Language Academy. Director of Teaching and Learning Neil Slevin introduced a Deeper Learning Expo, “What? Why? How? And Show Me! Four Points to Transforming High School Culture at Park View High School.”

## ACTION

**The School Board approved:** Minutes; Licensed Personnel Action; Classified Personnel Action; Finance and Facilities Committee: Authorization for Chair to Sign Site Land Development Approvals for ES-23, ES-29, The North Star School, Lucketts Waste Water Treatment Plant, Catoctin ES Renovation, Hutchison ES Renovation, and the Douglass School Renovation; Finance and Facilities Committee: Contract Award for Part 2 Contract for 51 ES & MS Vestibules (Grouping 2); Legislative & Policy Committee: Revision of Policy 2520, Participation by the Public; Business and Financial Services: Calendar Year 2020 Health Insurance Plan; Finance and Facilities Committee: IFB #I20240, Toner and Ink Cartridges; Finance and Facilities Committee: RFP #R18161, Printing, Graphic Design, Mailing and Related Services, Renewal; and Finance and Facilities Committee: RFP #R15087, Instructional Supplies and Related Products and Services, Renewal.

... Disability History and Awareness Month Resolution.

... Adoption of Policy 8220, Student Suspension from School (Current Policies 8-27 and 8-28) and Deletion of Current Policies 8-27 and 8-28.

... School Board Resolution Regarding Equity.

## INFORMATION

**Loudoun Education Foundation Gifts Campaign:** Loudoun Education Foundation Chairman **Scott Miller**, Executive Director **Dawn Meyer** and Director of Development **Samantha S. Courtney** provided an overview of LEF, including its areas of support. Miller presented LEF metrics of success that reflect significant growth from FY15 to FY19 in giving, revenue, pledges, and its endowment. A brief overview of the LEF and the Advancing Excellence gifts campaign will also be shared.

**Joint Board of Supervisors & School Board Committee:** Assistant Superintendent for Support Services **Kevin Lewis** spoke about the county-operated recycling centers located at Hillsboro Charter Academy and Park View High School.

**Curriculum & Instruction Committee:** School Board member **Eric Hornberger** (Ashburn District) and Assistant Superintendent for Instruction **Ashley Ellis** spoke about the possible adoption of Policy 5030, Assessment & Grading (formerly Policy 5-5, Assessment & Grading, Policy 5-14, Homework, and Policy 5-21, Dishonesty In Assigned Work) and Deletion of Policy 5-5, Assessment & Grading, Policy 5-14, Homework, and Policy 5-21, Dishonesty in Assigned Work.

**Curriculum & Instruction Committee:** **Hornberger** detailed the revision of Policy 5011, Unstructured Activity Time.

**HRTD:** Assistant Superintendent for Human Resources and Talent Development **Dr. Lucia Sebastian** and Supervisor, Secondary and Substitutes **Kristi Hurd** explained proposed calendars for 2020-2021, including new options.

## DELEGATIONS

**Katrecia Nolen** spoke about equity issues. **Natassia Grover**, **Angela Wade**, **Judy McDonough**, **Richie Parsons**, **Susannah Lee** and **Katie Staub** spoke about diverse classroom libraries. **Ram Venkatachalam** spoke about recess and calendar options. **Brian Davison** spoke about legal matters involving LCPS. **Bob Ohneiser** asked that the course offerings of the Academy of Science be expanded. **Janice Runge** spoke about assessment and grading. **Ian Serotkin**, **Ella Guzulaitis** and **Shannon Gordon** spoke about the need for middle school recess. **Phillip Thompson** talked about the Equity Committee and called for the superintendent’s resignation. **Andrea Weiskopf** donated a library item to the School Board.

## CALENDAR

Tuesday	5:30 p.m.	Legislative and Policy Committee
October 1	School Administration Building	
Wednesday	6:00 p.m.	Special Education Advisory Committee
October 2	School Administration Building	(SEAC)
Thursday	5:30 p.m.	Ad Hoc Committee on Equity Meeting

October 3	School Administration Building	
Monday October 7	5:30 p.m. School Administration Building	Communications and Outreach Committee
	6:45 p.m. School Administration Building	Charter School Committee
Tuesday October 8	3:30 p.m. School Administration Building	Finance & Facilities Committee
	4:00 p.m. & 6:30 p.m. School Administration Building	2nd Tuesday School Board Meeting
Thursday October 10	4:30 p.m. (Note: Date/Time Change) School Administration Building	Curriculum and Instruction Committee
Monday October 14	<b>COLUMBUS DAY HOLIDAY – All Schools and Administrative Offices Closed</b>	
Tuesday October 15	4:00 p.m. School Administration Building	School Board Work Session regarding Strategic Actions
Wednesday October 16	7:00 p.m. School Administration Building	Minority Student Achievement Advisory Committee (MSAAC)
Thursday October 17	8:00 a.m. School Administration Building	School Business Partnership Executive Council
Tuesday October 22	8:15 a.m. Academies of Loudoun	Career and Technical Education Foundation Board of Trustees
	5:30 p.m. School Administration Building	Finance & Facilities Committee
	6:30 p.m. School Administration Building	4th Tuesday School Board
Wednesday October 23	5:30 p.m. School Administration Building	Discipline Committee
Thursday October 24	8:00 a.m. School Administration Building	Loudoun Education Foundation Board of Trustees
	8:30 a.m. School Administration Building	Student Support and Services Committee
	5:30 p.m. School Administration Building	Human Resources and Talent Development Committee
Friday November 1	9:00 a.m. Waxpool Elementary School	Waxpool Elementary School Dedication Ceremony
Monday-Tuesday November 4-5	<b>STUDENT HOLIDAYS – Planning/Records/ Conference Days</b>	
Monday November 4	5:30 p.m. School Administration Building	Communications and Outreach Committee
Wednesday November 6	5:30 p.m. School Administration Building	Legislative and Policy Committee
	6:00 p.m. School Administration Building	Special Education Advisory Committee (SEAC)
Thursday November 7	5:30 p.m. School Administration Building	Ad Hoc Committee on Equity
	7:00 p.m. School Administration Building	Gifted Education Advisory Committee
Friday November 8	10:00 a.m. Independence High School	Independence High School Dedication Ceremony

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