## BRANFORD BOARD OF EDUCATION TEACHING & LEARNING COMMITTEE MEETING

**WEDNESDAY** Walsh Intermediate School

6:00 PM Collaboration & Innovation Center (Room 112)

January 8, 2025 185 Damascus Road, Branford CT

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### AGENDA

- I. Call to Order
- II. Public Comment
- **III.** Approval of Minutes
- **IV.** Presentations
  - A. K-4 Math Textbook Selection Process
  - **B.** Summer School Data
- V. Adjourn

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1 (646) 558-8656 Meeting ID: 815 6405 4671 Passcode: 812124

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# BRANFORD BOARD OF EDUCATION PERSONNEL & FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING

WEDNESDAY	Walsh Intermediate School
7:00 PM	Collaboration & Innovation Center (Room 112)
<b>January 8, 2025</b>	Branford, CT 06405

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- I. Call to Order
- **II.** Public Comment
- III. Approval of Minutes
- IV. Discussion/Update Items
  - A. 2024/2025 Monthly Finance Reports
    - a. 2024/2025 Special Education Tuition & Transportation Monthly Expenditures
    - b. Personnel Report
  - **B.** Chief Operating Officer Updates
  - C. FY26 Budget Resolutions
- VI. Adjourn

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### BRANFORD BOARD OF EDUCATION POLICY COMMITTEE

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### AGENDA

- I. Call to Order
- **II.** Public Comments
- **III.** Approval of Minutes
- **IV.** Discussion/Action Items
  - A. 1000 Non-Discrimination (Community)
  - **B.** 4600 Non-Discrimination (Personnel)
  - C. 5000 Non-Discrimination (Students)
  - D. 5025 Student Records
- V. Adjourn

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## BRANFORD BOARD OF EDUCATION COMMUNICATION COMMITTEE MEETING

WEDNESDAY	Walsh Intermediate School
6:00 PM	Collaboration & Innovation Center (Room 112)
<b>January 15, 2025</b>	185 Damascus Road, Branford, CT 06405

[Chair: Laura Troidle; Judith Barron, Adam Greenberg & Marie McNamara]

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#### **AGENDA**

- I. Call to Order
- II. Public Comment
- III. Approval of Minutes
- IV. Discussion/Action Items
  - A. Communication Updates
  - **B.** Community Engagement
- V. Adjourn

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#### BRANFORD BOARD OF EDUCATION

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185 Damascus Road, Branford, CT

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#### FULL REGULAR BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING AGENDA

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#### **AGENDA**

- I. Call to Order
- II. Agenda Changes
- **III.** Communications
- **IV.** Public Comment
- V. Approve Minutes
- VI. BOE Student Representatives Report
- VII. Superintendent's Report
- VIII. Standing Committee: Reports and Referrals to Full Board for Action
  - A. Teaching & Learning Committee
  - **B.** Personnel & Finance Committee
  - C. Policy and Board Governance Committee
  - **D.** Communication Committee
- IX. Consent Agenda Items
  - A. To Consider and if Appropriate, Vote to Approve the Second Reading of policies:
    - a. 5700 Graduation Requirements
    - b. 5010 Admission to Public Schools at or Before Age 5
    - c. 5350 Attendance, Truancy and Chronic Absenteeism
  - B. K-4 Math Textbook Selection
- X. Discussion/Action Items
  - A. To Consider and if Appropriate, Vote to Approve the First Reading of policies:
    - A. 1000 Non-Discrimination (Community)
    - **B.** 4600 Non-Discrimination (Personnel)
    - C. 5000 Non-Discrimination (Students)
    - D. 5025 Student Records
- **XI.** Board Reports:
  - A. ACES
  - B. CABE
- XII. PTA Updates
- XIII. Adjourn

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#### **UPCOMING BOE MEETINGS**

(All meetings will take place in the WIS Collaboration & Innovation Center – Room 112)

BOE Committee Chairs (Virtual)	February 5, 2025@ 5:00 PM
Budget Workshop	February 5, 2025 @ 6:00 PM
Policy Committee	February 12, 2025 @ 6:00 PM
Budget Workshop/Personnel & Finance Committee	February 12, 2025 @ 6:30 PM
Budget Adoption	February 19, 2025 @ 6:00 PM
Communication Committee	February 26, 2025 @ 6:00 PM
Full BOE Meetings	February 26, 2025 @ 6:30 PM

#### **COMMITTEE CHAIRS & MEMBERS**

#### Teaching & Learning

Ellen Michael, Chair; Meaghan DeLucia, Ram Shrestha, Shawn Tiernan

#### Personnel & Finance

Meaghan DeLucia, Chair; Ellen Michaels, Judith Barron, Adam Greenberg

#### Policy & Board Governance

Shawn Tiernan, Chair; Marie McNamara, Ram Shrestha, Laura Troidle

#### Communication

Laura Troidle, Chair; Judith Barron, Adam Greenberg, Marie McNamara

## BRANFORD BOARD OF EDUCATION SUPERINTENDENT'S BUDGET PRESENTATION

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January 22, 2025	Collaboration & Innovation Center (Room 112)
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### **AGENDA**

- I. Call to Order
- II. Presentation
  - A. Superintendent's FY 26 Budget
- III. Adjourn

## BRANFORD BOARD OF EDUCATION BOE BUDGET WORKSHOP MEETING

TUESDAY January 27, 2025 6:00 PM

Walsh Intermediate School Cafeteria 185 Damascus Road, Branford, CT 06405

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- **II.** Public Comment
- **III.** Discussion/Action Item
  - A. FY 26 Operating & Capital Budget
- IV. Adjourn

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