

Board of Education of Harford County

Agenda

Monday, August 18, 2025

Board Open Session: 5:30 PM - Board Room

Board Closed Session: 5:35 PM - Board Executive Conference Room

Board Business Meeting: 6:00 PM - Board Room

**Times are approximate*

6:00 PM		Call to Order: Board President Quorum Roll Call Adoption of Agenda Pledge of Allegiance
6:05 PM		Public Comment
7:05 PM		Board Member Comments
7:20 PM		Old Business
7:25 PM	A.	Consent Agenda
		1. Monthly Personnel Report: July 2025
		2. Appointment of 2026-2027 Calendar Committee Members
		3. School-Sponsored Project: Aberdeen Middle School DPW Sponsored Tree Plantings
		4. Contract Award: Musical Instruments and Marching Band Uniforms
		5. Contract Award: Private Duty Nurses
		6. Contract Award: Microsoft Campus Renewals
		7. Contract Award: On Call Paving and Concrete
		8. Minutes of Previous Board Meetings: July 21, 2025
7:30 PM		Meeting Break
7:40 PM		New Business
7:45 PM	B.	Administrative and Supervisory Appointments, Mr. Ben Richardson, Assistant Superintendent for Human Resources
8:00 PM	C.	Decision on Proposed New Board Policy: Student Elopement, Mr. Bernard Hennigan, Assistant Superintendent for Student Support Services Student Elopement Policy

8:15 PM	D.	Decision on Proposed Revised and Renamed Board Policy: Final Examinations, Grade Changes, and Calculation of Final Grades, Dr. Dyann Mack, Deputy Superintendent for Academics, and Ms. Natalie Holloway, Director of Secondary Schools • Final Examinations, Grade Changes, and Calculation of Final Grades
8:30 PM	E.	Presentation of Proposed New Board Policy: Volunteers, Ms. Mary Beth Stapleton, Manager of Family and Community Partnerships, and Mr. Jason Wilkinson, Endpoint Services Team Leader
8:50 PM	F.	Presentation of Draft 2025-2026 Harford County Public Schools Synchronous Instruction Plan for Inclement Weather Days, Ms. Katie Ridgway, Chief of Staff • Draft 2025-2026 HCPS Synchronous Instruction Plan for Inclement Weather Days and FAQ • Board Presentation
9:10 PM	G.	Superintendent's Report
9:20 PM		Future Meetings Review Adjournment

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Harford County Board of Education Strategic Plan:

Goal 1: Prepare every student for success in postsecondary education and career.

Goal 2: Engage families and the community to be partners in the education of our students.

Goal 3: Hire and support highly effective staff who are committed to building their own professional capacity in order to increase student achievement.

Goal 4: Provide safe, secure, and healthy learning environments that are conducive to effective teaching and learning, creativity and innovation.

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