Board of Education Meeting

Wednesday, October 7, 2026 6:30 PM
BOE Auditorium and via Zoom Meeting Platform, 129 Church Street, Bristol, CT 06010

1. **CALL TO ORDER/PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE/MOMENT OF SILENCE**

1.1. Aidan Collins - Bristol Eastern H.S.- Class of 2024 February 11, 2006 - September 19, 2026

2. **STAFF AND STUDENT RECOGNITION**

2.1. School Staff Appreciation Days

3. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

3.1. September 9, 2026 -Regular Meeting Minutes

3.2. September 9, 2026 -Special Meeting Minutes

3.3. September 23, 2026 -Special Meeting Minutes

4. **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

5. **STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE REPORTS**

5.1. Bristol Central High School
- Senior: Ann-Marie Beauchemin

5.2. Bristol Eastern High School
- Senior: Erin Martin

6. **CHAIR REPORT**

7. **SUPERINTENDENT REPORT**

7.1. Bus Patrol (School Cameras) Implementation Update

7.2. Bus Passes for High Schoolers

7.3. 2026-27 Budget Planning Update

7.4. PSAT/SAT Data Presentations

7.5. Attendance and Discipline Data Presentations

8. **CONSENT AGENDA**

8.1. PERSONNEL

8.1.a. Teacher Hires
- Blumetti, Olivia – ID – Kindergarten Teacher effective September 10, 2026
- Davis, Anitra – CHMS – Special Education Teacher effective September 24, 2026
- Dubin, Timothy – CW – Instrumental Teacher effective September 3, 2026
- Gianni, Nicole – CW – School Psychologist

effective August 24, 2026

- Good, Mary – CW/BOE – Special Education Teacher effective September 29, 2026
- Jimenez, Rebeca – GH – Speech and Language Pathologist effective September 22, 2026
- Newton, Sarah – STAF/EPH – Speech and Language Pathologist effective September 22, 2026
- Rimkie, Olivia – EPH/ID – Special Education Teacher effective September 15, 2026

8.1.b. Teacher Leave of Absence Requests

- Knopf, Brittany – CHMS – Special Education Teacher effective September 23, 2026 through the end of the 26-27 School Year
- LaRocca, MacKensie – GH – Grade 3 Teacher effective November 20, 2026 through the end of the 26-27 school year

8.1.c. Teacher Retirements

- Archangelo, Stacia – CW – Physical Education Teacher effective October 9, 2026
- Monaco-Walsh, Kristine – CW – Art Teacher effective June 30, 2027

8.1.d. A1 Hires effective August 24, 2026

- Behrendt, Sarah – CHMS – Co-Orange Team Leader

8.1.e. A2 Hire effective September 1, 2026

- Abucewicz, Danielle – BE/BC – Special Performing Groups, Strawberry Fields
- Nelson, David – CHMS – Special Performing Groups, Choral
- Wodatch, Sara – NEMS – Climate Coordinator

8.1.f. A2 Resignations effective June 30, 2026

- Abucewicz, Danielle – CHMS – Special MS Performing Groups, Choral
- Coderre, Michael – BEHS – Special Performing Groups, Strawberry Fields

8.1.g. Administrative Resignation effective October 30, 2026

- Broderick, Ryan – BCHS – Assistant Principal

8.2. GRANTS

8.2.a. Federal Adult Education - PEP Comprehensive 2

8.2.b. Prudence Crandall Center - CT Coalition Against Domestic Violence (CCADV)

8.2.c. United Way of Central and Northeastern CT - Family Resource Center Operating Funds

8.2.d. Early Start (formerly School Readiness)

8.2.e. Mainstreet Community Foundation - Jim & Eleanor Frawley Community Fund

8.2.f. The Barnes Foundation - Storytelling Residency Program

8.2.g.	Connecticut High Dosage Tutoring Program	
8.2.h.	CT Learner Engagement and Attendance Program (LEAP)	
8.2.i.	McKinney-Vento Homeless Children & Youth Program	
9.	**PUBLIC COMMENT**	
10.	**DELIBERATED ITEMS/DISTRICT LEADERSHIP TEAM REPORTS**	
10.1.	Pupil Personnel Services Report	
10.1.a.	Pupil Personnel Services Report	
11.	**CURRICULUM REVISION**	
11.1.	Decision: Latin Historical Prose, New Course	**Presenter:** Leszek Ward
11.2.	Decision: Algebra 2 Revision	**Presenter:** Laura Lanza
11.3.	Decision: Grade 6-8 Science Revision	**Presenter:** Laura Lanza
12.	**POLICY REVISION**	
12.1.	Revision: Policy 3231 - Medical Reimbursement for Special Education Students	
12.2.	Revision: Policy 5114 - Suspension and Expulsion/Due Process	
12.3.	Revision: Policy 5131.913 - Cyberbullying	
12.4.	Revision: Policy 4111/4211 - Recruitment and Selection	
12.5.	Policy 5117 - School Attendance Areas	
12.6.	Policy 1120 Public Participation at Board of Education Meetings	
12.7.	Bylaw 9325 Meeting Conduct	
12.8.	Bylaw 9322 Public and Executive Sessions	
13.	**NEW BUSINESS**	
13.1.	Donation from the BCHS Athletics Activities account to the BCHS Press Box project	
13.2.	Graduation Date for Class of 2027	
13.3.	First Review of Proposed School Calendars for 2027/2028 SY & 2028/2029 SY	
13.4.	First Review of Proposed 2027 Board of Education Meeting Dates	
14.	**INFORMATION/LIAISON REPORTS**	
14.1.	City Council Liaison Report	
14.2.	BOE Liaison Reports	

15. **ADJOURNMENT**