

**VERNON PUBLIC SCHOOLS**  
**Vernon, Connecticut 06066**  
**BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING**

DATE: Monday, May 8, 2023

TIME: 7:00 p.m.

PLACE: Vernon Board of Education, Administration Building, 30 Park Street, Vernon – 3rd Floor Board Conference Room

ZOOM MEETING: [zoom.us](https://zoom.us) US: +1 646 558 8656 Webinar ID: 978 8381 1680 Passcode: 335536

**Mission Statement**

*The Vernon Public Schools, in partnership with family and community, is committed to provide a quality education, with high expectations, in a safe environment where all students become independent learners and productive contributors to society.*

**Goals**

1. *Build and improve relationships and partnerships with family and community.*
2. *Increase the achievement of every student through high quality curriculum, instruction and assessment.*
3. *Promote safe environments that are socially, emotionally, and physically conducive to learning.*

**Civility Statement**

*The Board of Education expects mutual respect, civility and orderly conduct among all individuals on school property or at school-sponsored events. District staff will treat parents and other members of the public with respect and have the right to expect the same in return. The Board encourages positive communication and discourages volatile, hostile or aggressive actions. The Board seeks public cooperation with this endeavor.*

AGENDA	NOTES
<p><b>1.0 Establish Quorum</b></p>	
<p><b>2.0 Call to Order</b></p>	
<p><b>3.0 Pledge of Allegiance</b></p>	
<p><b>4.0 Recognitions &amp; Presentations</b></p> <p>4.1 Presentation by Rockville High School Students (BOE Goal #1, #2)</p> <p>4.2 Recognition of RHS Art Student's Exhibits at Central Office (BOE Goal #1, #2)</p> <p>4.3 Presentation of Vernon Youth Voices Count Survey Results 2023 (BOE Goal #3)</p>	
<p><b>5.0 Secretary's Report</b></p> <p>5.1 Opportunity for Board of Education to add/delete urgent agenda items</p> <p>5.2 Rockville High School Student Representative Report</p>	
<p><b>6.0 Community Forum</b></p> <p>Opportunity for comments on agenda items, potential future agenda items, or general information provided to the Board from citizens and community organizations (Individual speakers shall be limited to five minutes and the total time for public forum shall be limited to 15 minutes.)</p>	
<p><b>7.0 Consent Agenda</b></p> <p>7.1</p> <p>(a) Approval of the Minutes of the Regular Board of Education Meeting held on April 24, 2023</p> <p>(b) Approval of the Minutes of the Board of Education Policy Committee Meeting held on May 1, 2023</p> <p>(c) Approval of Reviewed Board of Education Policy #6000 – Instruction – Priority of Instructional Program</p>	

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- (d) Approval of Revised Board of Education Policy #6010 – Instruction – Goals and Objectives
- (e) Approval of Revised Board of Education Policy #6111 – Instruction – School Calendar
- (f) Approval of Revised Board of Education Policy #6112 – Instruction – School Day – Grades K – 12
- (g) Approval of Deleted Board of Education Policy #6112.1 – Instruction – Opening Exercises, Observations, Ceremonies, Programs
- (h) Approval of Revised Board of Education Policy #6113 – Instruction – Class Size
- (i) Approval of Revised Board of Education Policy #6114 - Instruction – Emergency and Disaster Preparedness
- (j) Approval of Revised Board of Education Policy #6114.3 – Instruction – Bomb and Toxic Substances Threats

**8.0 Personnel**

8.1 Vernon Public Schools Teacher Vacancies (BOE Goal #2)

**9.0 Teaching and Learning**

9.1 Update on RHS College Career Pathways (BOE Goal #2)

**10.0 General Business**

10.1 Board of Education Finance Committee Report (BOE Goal #1, #2, #3)  
(a) Asset Disposal Request  
(b) Donation from Adopt-a-Classroom  
(c) Facilities Study Bid Waiver

**11.0 Review and Update Board of Education Calendar**

<https://www.vernonpublicschools.org/district-information/district-calendar>

**12.0 Opportunity for Questions from the Press Regarding Agenda Items**

**13.0 Adjournment**