WOODBRIDGE TOWNSHIP BOARD OF EDUCATION
AGENDA
FEBRUARY 19, 2026

1. Roll Call
2. Closed Session
3. Salute to the Flag
4. Minutes to be Approved
    A. January 15, 2026 Regular Meeting
    B. January 15, 2026 Closed Session Meeting
5. Open Public Session – Agenda Items Only
6. Superintendent
7. Items for Discussion:
    A. Communication, Policy & Planning
    B. Curriculum, Extra-Curricular Activities, & Technology
    C. Finance & Insurance
    D. Dining & Transportation
    E. Personnel
8. Board Attorney
9. Old Business
10. New Business
11. Open Public Session
12. Adjournment

Superintendent

February 19, 2026

The **Superintendent of Schools** presents the following recommendations:

1. That the Board of Education approve the list of Professional Development conferences dated February 19, 2026.

2. That the Board of Education accept the monthly report of Harassment, Intimidation, and/or Bullying (HIB) for the period January 16, 2026, through and including February 19, 2026.

3. That the Board of Education accept the Bi-Annual Report of Violence, Vandalism and Harassment, Intimidation and Bullying for July 1, 2025, through and including December 31, 2025.

4. That the Board of Education accept tuition payment for the following homeless student from Franklin Township School District, 2301 Route 27 Somerset, NJ, to attend Woodbridge Township Schools for the 2025-2026 school year, retroactive to February 18, 2026, through and including June 23, 2026:

Case No.	Tuition	Transportation	Total Days	Total Cost
BL-1411-220-04	$92.22/day	$89.00/day	81	$14,678.82

5. That the Board of Education accept tuition payment for the following student from Perth Amboy School District, 178 Barracks Street, Perth Amboy, NJ 08861, to attend Woodbridge Township Schools for the 2025-2026 school year, retroactive to February 18, 2026, through and including June 23, 2026*****:

Case No.	Tuition	Total Days	Total Cost
FR-1009-050-09	$162.78	87	$14,160.99

6. That the Board of Education grant permission to allow the Colonia High School DECA Club to attend the DECA State Conference in Atlantic City, NJ, beginning March 3, 2026, through and including March 5, 2026, at no cost to the district, provided that all policies and regulations governing overnight trips are adhered to prior and during the trip.

7. That the Board of Education grant permission to allow the Woodbridge High School DECA Club to attend the DECA State Conference in Atlantic City, NJ, beginning March 3, 2026, through and including March 5, 2026, at no cost to the district, provided that all policies and regulations governing overnight trips are adhered to prior and during the trip.

8. That the Board of Education grant permission to allow the Colonia High School FBLA Club to attend the State Leadership Conference in Atlantic City, NJ, beginning March 9, 2026, through and including March 11, 2026, at no cost to the district, provided that all policies and regulations governing overnight trips are adhered to prior and during the trip.

9. That the Board of Education grant permission to allow the Colonia High School Wrestling Team to attend the NJSIAA Individual Championships in Atlantic City, NJ, beginning March 11, 2026, through and including March 14, 2026, at no cost to the district, provided that all policies and regulations governing overnight trips are adhered to prior and during the trip.

10. That the Board of Education grant permission to allow the John F. Kennedy Memorial High School FBLA Club to attend the State Leadership Conference in Atlantic City, NJ, beginning March 9, 2026, through and including March 11, 2026, at no cost to the district, provided that all policies and regulations governing overnight trips are adhered to prior and during the trip.

11. That the Board of Education grant permission to allow the John F. Kennedy Memorial High School Varsity and Junior Varsity Baseball Teams to attend a baseball game and Washington DC Monument Tour in Washington, D.C., beginning March 20, 2026, through and including March 21, 2026, at no cost to the district, provided that all policies and regulations governing overnight trips are adhered to prior and during the trip.

12. That the Board of Education grant permission to allow the John F. Kennedy Memorial High School FCCLA Club to attend the 2026 NJ State Leadership Conference in Cherry Hill, NJ., beginning March 25, 2026, through and including March 26, 2026, at no cost to the district, provided that all policies and regulations governing overnight trips are adhered to prior and during the trip.

13. That the Board of Education grant permission to allow the Colonia High School Rho Kappa History Honor Society to attend Rho Kappa Historical Trip in Washington, D.C., beginning April 2, 2026, through and including April 3, 2026, at no cost to the district, provided that all policies and regulations governing overnight trips are adhered to prior and during the trip.

14. That the Board of Education adopt the attached resolution commending sixty-four students from Colonia High School for being inducted into the Rho Kappa Social Studies Honor Society.

15. That the Board of Education adopt the attached resolution commending twenty-one students from Colonia High School for earning the designation of AP Scholar for their performance on the 2024-2025 College Board Advanced Placement exams.

16. That the Board of Education adopt the attached resolution commending eleven students from Colonia High School for earning the designation of AP Scholar with Honor for their performance on the 2024-2025 College Board Advanced Placement exams.

17. That the Board of Education adopt the attached resolution commending nine students from Colonia High School for earning the designation of AP Scholar with Distinction for their performance on the 2024-2025 College Board Advanced Placement exams.

18. That the Board of Education adopt the attached resolution commending forty students from John F. Kennedy Memorial High School for earning the designation of AP Scholar for their performance on the 2024-2025 College Board Advanced Placement exams.

19. That the Board of Education adopt the attached resolution commending twenty-one students from John F. Kennedy Memorial High School for earning the designation of AP Scholar with Honor for their performance on the 2024-2025 College Board Advanced Placement exams.

20. That the Board of Education adopt the attached resolution commending twenty-eight students from John F. Kennedy Memorial High School for earning the designation of AP Scholar with Distinction for their performance on the 2024-2025 College Board Advanced Placement exams.

21. That the Board of Education adopt the attached resolution commending thirty-two students from Woodbridge High School for earning the designation of AP Scholar for their performance on the 2024-2025 College Board Advanced Placement exams.

22. That the Board of Education adopt the attached resolution commending eight students from Woodbridge High School for earning the designation of AP Scholar with Honor for their performance on the 2024-2025 College Board Advanced Placement exams.

23. That the Board of Education adopt the attached resolution commending eighteen students from Woodbridge High School for earning the designation of AP Scholar with Distinction for their performance on the 2024-2025 College Board Advanced Placement exams.

24. That the Board of Education adopt the attached resolution commending twenty-four students from John F. Kennedy Memorial High School for their induction into the Tri-M Music Honor Society.

25. That the Board of Education adopt the attached resolution commending seven students from John F. Kennedy Memorial High School for being selected to participate in the Central Jersey Music Educators Association Region II High School Chorus.

26. That the Board of Education adopt the attached resolution commending three students from Woodbridge High School for receiving the 2025 Joy Prescott Humanitarian Award for Leadership and Dedication established by the Holocaust Resource Center and Council on Global Education and Citizenship at Kean University.

27. That the Board of Education adopt the attached resolution commending two district students for their excellence in writing for the New Jersey Association for Gifted Children 2026 Writing Contest.

28. That the Board of Education adopt the attached resolution commending Hriti Patel, a fifth-grade student from Lafayette Estates School #25 for their excellence in the visual arts for the New Jersey Association for Gifted Children 2026 Distinguished Student Award for Visual Arts.

29. That the Board of Education adopt the attached resolution commending sixteen district students for their writing excellence in the Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Essay Contest 2026 sponsored by the Woodbridge Township School District.

30. That the Board of Education approve the agreement with Kean University Dept. of Advanced Studies in Psychology Mini Social-Emotional Program for Early Primary Grades. This pilot program is at no cost to the District.

31. That the Board of Education approve payment to Riverside Insights to renew the subscription for at the rate of $18,235.10 for the 2026-2027 School Year.

32. That the Board of Education, as required by state law (partially reimbursable in state aid), approve the enrollment of the following disabled students in a Special School Year Program for 2025-2026, in accordance with their Individual Educational Programs (IEPs) as shown below:

Case No.	Recommended Placement	Effective Date	Tuition
B2303-15-06-SLD	Collier School	1/20/2026	$37,151.00
H2512-17-09-AU	Somerset Academy - Career Ctr. 1:1	1/20/2026	$22,422.00
P2105-14-06-AU	Bancroft Neurohealth	1/27/2026	$27,590.00
M2503-11-09AU	Academy 360 - Lower	3/2/2026	$33,794.25
M2503-11-09AU	Academy 360 - Lower 1:1	3/2/2026	$17,250.00
B2503-05-09-PD	Hawkswood School	3/2/2026	$29,174.72
H2505-03-09-PD	Summit Speech	5/4/2026	$12,919.50

33. That the Board of Education approves the following student(s) to receive the services of the New Jersey Commission for the Blind and Visually Impaired for the 2025-2026 School Year. (Costs to be taken from the district's State Aid ASSA entitlement):

Case No.	Cost
NF-09-30	$1,258.00
EN-10-31	$2,541.00

34. That a note be made in the minutes that the following out-of-district placement(s) have been terminated for the 2025-2026 Special School Year Program:

Case No.	Recommended Placement	Effective Date	Tuition
B2412-16-06-ERI	Hunterdon Preparatory School	1/12/2026	$53,352.00
P2105-06-14-AU	Developmental Learning Center-Warren	1/26/2026	$108,021.00
P2105-06-14-AU	Developmental Learning Center-Warren 1:1	1/26/2026	$76,569.00
P2105-06-14-AU	Preferred Home Health Care & Nursing Services, Inc. d/b/a Care Options for Kids	1/26/2026	$63,000.00
S2410-06-09-AU	Somerset Academy	1/30/2026	$73,690.00
S2410-06-09-AU	Somerset Academy 1:1	1/30/2026	$39,960.00
T2111-13-09-AU	Center for Lifelong Learning	2/6/2026	$60,120.00

35. That a note be made in the minutes that the following student contract be terminated by the New Jersey Commission for the Blind and Visually Impaired for the 2025-2026 School Year:

Case No.	Cost
KW-09-12	$2,541.00

36. That a note be made in the minutes amending Item #22 of the July 17, 2025, Superintendent's Agenda to read as follows, with regard to the Tuition/Start date for the following student(s):

Case No.	Recommended Placement	Effective Date	Tuition
R2410-06-06-MD	Epic Health Services, Inc. d/b/a Aveanna Healthcare	7/1/2025	$70/hr. LPN $75/hr. RN $150/hr. transportation only

37. That a note be made in the minutes amending Item #33 of the July 17, 2025, Superintendent's Agenda to read as follows, with regard to the Case No. for the following student(s):

Case No.	Cost
ZS-07-26	$2,541.00

38. That a note be made in the minutes amending Item #33 of the January 15, 2026, Superintendent's Agenda to read as follows, with regard to the Tuition/Start date for the following student(s):

Case No.	Recommended Placement	Effective Date	Tuition
S2501-12-06-MD	Lakeview School	2/2/2026	$50,599.82

Superintendent

February 19, 2026

I move for the adoption of the foregoing.

Motion by: _____

Seconded by: _____

Resolution

***WHEREAS**, sixty-four students from Colonia High School were selected for induction into the Rho Kappa Social Studies Honor Society; and*

***WHEREAS**, the following students were selected for their academic excellence:*

Olatumi Abitogun
Amarius Alba
Sandina Almeida
Gillian Amoroso
Leah Andrews
Abigail Araujo
Giana Barbosa
Emily Cholewa
Sarah Ciottariello
Rishi Dangi
Nicholas Demarco
Rohanpreet Dhillon
Timothy Dooley
Grace Downes
Romina Enriquez Navarrete
Grace Fernandez
Allison Fleischman
Gargi Gade
Cristina Gesumaria
Yousef Ghazi
Evan Gibb
Jake Gotti
Madelein Grabiel
Camila Grande Calixto
Kellie Hastrup
Johan Hernandez
Baylee Hoang
Crystal Holland
Nashaelah Hooker
Rene Howard
Maya Jasiukiewicz
Elizabeth Jegede
Chaitanya Kanagal
Chaitanya Krishna
Ava Kurzeja
Gabriella Lazo
Sophia Leanza
Malea Marrow-Boston
Alona Mathew
Carmella May
Zachary McGeehan
Lauren McKinney
Meaghan McSorley
Aubrey Merideth
Gia Nigro
Emmanuel Niotis
Julia Pajdak
Arabella Palmeri
Simran Ram
Leah Resende
Laila Ribeiro
Cameron Roodenburg
Eliezer Salgado
Agamjot Sandhu
Katyayani Sarin
Maha Shakeel
Patricia Sinaga
Aikam Singh
Gurwin Singh
Jessica Solecki
Jenna Sorce
Isabella Tavares
Sophia Vitale
Andrew Wanko

***WHEREAS**, these accomplishments bring honor and acclaim not only to the families of the aforementioned students but also to their school and to the entire community; and*

***WHEREAS**, it is the desire of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge to express their congratulations to the aforementioned students; and*

***NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the congratulations and best wishes of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge be hereby expressed to the aforementioned students for bringing this honor to the school district and to the Township of Woodbridge; and*

***BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education and a copy sent to Colonia High School and to each of the honored students expressing the congratulations of the Board of Education.*

Resolution

***WHEREAS**, twenty-four students from John F. Kennedy Memorial High School were selected for induction into the Tri-M Music Honor Society; and*

***WHEREAS**, this achievement is the highest honor a school district is able to confer upon a student; and*

***WHEREAS**, the following students were selected for their musical excellence:*

Bella Almonte	***Isabella Jones***	***Melissa Ramos***
Seher Awais	***Leonardo Kabaria***	***Nathaniel Ramos***
Christian Cabrera	***Aahi Patel***	***Nathan Regis***
Diya Chandawalla	***Jiya Patel***	***Khloe Rey***
Alexander Concepcion	***Riddhi Patel***	***Nandini Shah***
Bhakti Desai	***Tirthkumar Patel***	***Anushka Verma***
Lilly Heyer	***Tithi Patel***	***Anagha Vineeth***
Nayelli Howell	***Arnav Pofale***	***Kayla Willard***

***WHEREAS**, these accomplishments bring honor and acclaim not only to the families of the aforementioned students but also to their school and to the entire community; and*

***WHEREAS**, it is the desire of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge to express their congratulations to the aforementioned students; and*

***NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the congratulations and best wishes of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge be hereby expressed to the aforementioned students for bringing this honor to the school district and to the Township of Woodbridge; and*

***BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education and a copy sent to John F. Kennedy Memorial High School and to each of the honored students expressing the congratulations of the Board of Education.*

Resolution

WHEREAS *the following students from John F. Kennedy Memorial High School have been accepted to participate in the Central Jersey Music Educators Association Region II High School Chorus.*

Lily Bausch
Alvi Khan
Jason Delos Reyes
Arnav Pofale
Mihir Kanduri
Anagha Vineeth
Mayumi Victoria Villaflor

WHEREAS*, these accomplishments bring honor and acclaim not only to the families of the aforementioned students but also to their school and to the entire community; and*

WHEREAS*, it is the desire of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge to express their congratulations to the aforementioned students; and*

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED*, that the congratulations and best wishes of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge be hereby expressed to the aforementioned students for bringing this honor to the school district and to the Township of Woodbridge; and*

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, *that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education and a copy sent to John F. Kennedy Memorial High School and to each of the honored students expressing the congratulations of the Board of Education.*

Resolution

***WHEREAS**, the Joy Prescott Humanitarian Award recognizes students who demonstrate an exceptional commitment to human rights and social justice by working to support an environment of belonging and inclusivity within their schools or communities; and*

***WHEREAS**, the following three students from Woodbridge High School received the 2025 Joy Prescott Humanitarian Award for Student Leadership and Dedication established by the Holocaust Resource Center and Council on Global Education and Citizenship at Kean University:*

Emma Aponte
Syeda Anayah Asif
Crystal Boakye

***WHEREAS**, this outstanding achievement brings honor and acclaim not only to the student and their families, but also to their school and to the entire community; and*

***WHEREAS**, it is the desire of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge to express their congratulations to the aforementioned students, for bringing this honor to their school district, and the Township of Woodbridge; and*

***NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the congratulations and best wishes of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge be hereby expressed to the aforementioned students; and*

***BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education and that copies be forwarded to the students and Woodbridge High School expressing the congratulations of the Board of Education.*

Resolution

***WHEREAS**, the New Jersey Association for Gifted Children sponsored a 2026 Gifted Children Writing Contest; and*

***WHEREAS**, this recognition honors students who demonstrate exceptional creativity and skill in their writing through imagination, technique, originality; and*

***WHEREAS**, the following students received recognition in the 2026 Gifted Children Writing Contest:*

Milana Idnay
Oak Tree Road School #29
2nd Place

Maira Mehta
Port Reading School #9
Honorable Mention

***WHEREAS**, this outstanding achievement brings honor and acclaim not only to the aforementioned students and their families, but also to their school and to the entire community; and*

***WHEREAS**, it is the desire of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge to express their congratulations to the aforementioned students, for bringing this honor to the school district, and the Township of Woodbridge; and*

***NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the congratulations and best wishes of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge be hereby expressed to the aforementioned students; and*

***BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education and that copies be forwarded to the students and their schools expressing the congratulations of the Board of Education.*

Resolution

***WHEREAS**, the New Jersey Association for Gifted Children sponsored a 2026 Distinguished Student Award for Visual Arts; and*

***WHEREAS**, this recognition honors students in grades 3–5 who demonstrate exceptional creativity and skill in the visual arts through imagination, technique, originality, and thoughtful artistic expression; and*

***WHEREAS**, **Hriti Patel,** a fifth grade student from Lafayette Estates School #25 received the 2026 Distinguished Student Award for Visual Arts; and*

***WHEREAS**, this outstanding achievement brings honor and acclaim not only to **Hriti Patel** and her family, but also to her school and to the entire community; and*

***WHEREAS**, it is the desire of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge to express their congratulations to **Hriti Patel**, for bringing this honor to her school district, and the Township of Woodbridge; and*

***NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the congratulations and best wishes of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge be hereby expressed to **Hriti Patel**; and*

***BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education and that copy be sent to **Hriti Patel** and Lafayette Estates School #25 expressing the congratulations of the Board of Education.*

Resolution

***WHEREAS**, the following students were selected as winners for their writing excellence in the Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Essay Contest 2026 sponsored by the Woodbridge Township School District:*

School District Winner

Delilah Pires
Oak Ridge Heights School #21

Individual School Winners

Nate Simon
Mawbey Street School #1
Xavier Boxley
Avenel Street School #4/5
Alyssa Scullion
Port Reading School #9
Audrey Randolph
Ross Street School #11
Jahnavi Jayakarthick
Indiana Avenue School #18

Daniella Aponte
Menlo Park School #19
Calvin Murphy
Claremont Avenue School #20
Delilah Pires
Oak Ridge Heights School #21
Aarya Singh
Lynn Crest School #22
Jenil Patel
Woodbine Avenue School #23

Deekshika Bojaraj
Lafayette Estates School #25
Shrey Bathani
Robert Mascenik School #26
Kelsey Markovic
Pennsylvania School #27
Thea Hummel
Matthew Jago School #28
Harshil Dedhiya
Oak Tree Road School #29

***WHEREAS**, these outstanding accomplishments bring honor and acclaim not only to the students and their families, but also to the school district and the entire community; and*

***WHEREAS**, it is the desire of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge to express their congratulations to the aforementioned students for bringing these honors to the school district and to the Township of Woodbridge; and*

***NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the best wishes of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge be hereby expressed to the students**;** and*

***BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education and that copies be forwarded to the students and to their schools expressing the congratulations of the Board of Education.*

Resolution

***WHEREAS**, to earn the AP Scholar Award, a student must obtain scores of 3 or higher on four or more Advanced Placement Exams through the College Board; and*

***WHEREAS**, the following twenty-one students from Colonia High School have earned the AP Scholar Award during the 2024-2025 school year from the College Board:*

Jannah Abdelwahab	***Rene Howard***	***Pratham Patel***
Olatumi Abitogun	***Maya Jasiukiewicz***	***Yash Rajput***
Gillian Amoroso	***Elizabeth Jegede***	***Agamjot Sandhu***
Giana Barbosa	***Somit Kumar***	***Patricia Sinaga***
Hritish Chopra	***Lauren McKinney***	***Gurwin Singh***
Grace Downes	***Julia Pajdak***	***Isabella Tavares***
Crystal Holland	***Hrishita Paranjape***	***Jake Woodhull***

***WHEREAS**, these accomplishments bring honor and acclaim not only to the families of the aforementioned students but also to their school and to the entire community; and*

***WHEREAS**, it is the desire of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge to express their congratulations to the aforementioned students; and*

***NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the congratulations and best wishes of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge be hereby expressed to the aforementioned students for bringing this honor to the school district and to the Township of Woodbridge; and*

***BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education and a copy sent to Colonia High School and to each of the honored students expressing the congratulations of the Board of Education.*

Resolution

***WHEREAS**, to earn the AP Scholar Award with Honor, a student must receive an average score of at least 3.25 on all Advanced Placement Exams taken through the College Board, and scores of 3 or higher on four or more of these exams; and*

***WHEREAS**, the following eleven students from Colonia High School have earned the AP Scholar Award with Honor during the 2024-2025 school year from the College Board:*

Amarius Alba	***Chaitanya Kanagal***	***Gabriel Padullo***
Abhay Ganesh	***Malea Marrow-Boston***	***Eliezer Salgado***
Camila Grande	***Emmanuel Niotis***	***Tanvi Trivedi***
Johan Hernandez		***Camilla Westcott***

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Resolution

***WHEREAS**, to earn the AP Scholar Award with Distinction, a student must receive an average score of at least 3.5 on all Advanced Placement Exams taken through the College Board, and scores of 3 or higher on five or more of these exams; and*

***WHEREAS**, the following nine students from Colonia High School have earned the AP Scholar Award with Distinction during the 2024-2025 school year from the College Board:*

Rishi Dangi	***Evan Gibb***	***Sophia Leanza***
Rohanpreet Dhillon	***Madelein Grabiel***	***Aubrey Merideth***
Yousef Ghazi	***Chaitanya Krishna***	***Katyayani Sarin***

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***WHEREAS**, it is the desire of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge to express their congratulations to the aforementioned students; and*

***NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the congratulations and best wishes of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge be hereby expressed to the aforementioned students for bringing this honor to the school district and to the Township of Woodbridge; and*

***BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education and a copy sent to Colonia High School and to each of the honored students expressing the congratulations of the Board of Education.*

Resolution

***WHEREAS**, to earn the AP Scholar Award, a student must obtain scores of 3 or higher on four or more Advanced Placement Exams taken through the College Board; and*

***WHEREAS**, the following forty students from John F. Kennedy Memorial High School have earned the AP Scholar Award during the 2024-2025 school year from the College Board:*

Eyad Amer Ibrahim
Nishant Baandal
Riya Bandivdekar
Saanvi Barge
Aarush Bhat
Liam Chang
Sanjaykrishna Chezhian
Regina Devaraj
Jeshav Edwardraj
Nanaki Gill
Anusha Gupta
Rayan Hussain
Jasleen Kaur
Sarvesh Kuppani
Avni Mehta
Paul Mills
Rudraksh Nagar
Priyam Nayak
Eric Olszewski
Hansika Papisetti
Krish Parekh
Dweep Parikh
Raj Parikh
Brij Patel
Heli Patel
Krish Patel
Netra Patel
Prachi Patel
Shivani Patel
Tejas Pawar
Achyut Prabhu
Rameen Rana
Gabrielle A. Reyes
Krisha Shah
Pratha Shah
Hamza Shazad
Darsheel Shinde
Niyatiba Solanki
Dilakshy Thavachelvan
Mahee Vyas

***WHEREAS**, these accomplishments bring honor and acclaim not only to the families of the aforementioned students but also to their school and to the entire community; and*

***WHEREAS**, it is the desire of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge to express their congratulations to the aforementioned students; and*

***NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the congratulations and best wishes of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge be hereby expressed to the aforementioned students for bringing this honor to the school district and to the Township of Woodbridge; and*

***BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education and a copy sent to John F. Kennedy Memorial High School and to each of the honored students expressing the congratulations of the Board of Education.*

Resolution

***WHEREAS**, to earn the AP Scholar Award with Honor, a student must receive an average score of at least 3.25 on all Advanced Placement Exams taken through the College Board, and scores of 3 or higher on four or more of these exams; and*

***WHEREAS**, the following twenty-one students from John F. Kennedy Memorial High School have earned the AP Scholar Award with Honor during the 2024-2025 school year from the College Board:*

Dhruv Ajwani	***Arjun Jagadeesh Nair***	***Ayana Sears***
Vaishnavi Amin	***Subham Kansara***	***Romil Shah***
Jason Delos Reyes	***Ziyan Kodua***	***Yashraj Shah***
Resham Desai	***Afrin Fahima Mohamed Abdul Kadar***	***Fazeelat Syed***
Avaneesh Gore	***Zeinab Amir Abdalah Mohamed-Ali***	***Shaurya Telang***
Ronak Gowda	***Dhruv Patel***	***Mohammed Uddin***
Aditi Harbola	***Jiya Patel***	***Matthew Velarde Lopez***

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***WHEREAS**, it is the desire of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge to express their congratulations to the aforementioned students; and*

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***BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education and a copy sent to John F. Kennedy Memorial High School and to each of the honored students expressing the congratulations of the Board of Education.*

Resolution

***WHEREAS**, to earn the AP Scholar Award with Distinction, a student must receive an average score of at least 3.5 on all Advanced Placement Exams taken through the College Board, and scores of 3 or higher on five or more of these exams; and*

***WHEREAS**, the following twenty-eight students from John F. Kennedy Memorial High School have earned the AP Scholar Award with Distinction during the 2024-2025 school year from the College Board:*

Prateek Reddy Baddam
Kaysha Bhagat
Tanish Bhojawala
Priyanka Bist
Taylor Daan
Lamaq Dahodwala
Pruthvi Dave
Isha Dsouza
Aishwariya Ganeshkumar
Ihtesham Hassan
Yogesh Jaganathan
Vishwanth Janjanam
Vishnu Khatri
Javin Khergaonkar
Kruthvik Aaryan Maruboina
Darsh Patel
Jimi Patel
Nikhil Patel
Satvik Pogiri
Joel Raj
Raheen Rana
Pramod Sesh
Pearl Shah
Vamig Shahpalangov
Vaibhav Shenoy
Rahil Shrof
Hargundip Singh
Angelica Viteri

***WHEREAS**, these accomplishments bring honor and acclaim not only to the families of the aforementioned students but also to their school and to the entire community; and*

***WHEREAS**, it is the desire of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge to express their congratulations to the aforementioned students; and*

***NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the congratulations and best wishes of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge be hereby expressed to the aforementioned students for bringing this honor to the school district and to the Township of Woodbridge; and*

***BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education and a copy sent to John F. Kennedy Memorial High School and to each of the honored students expressing the congratulations of the Board of Education.*

Resolution

***WHEREAS**, to earn the AP Scholar Award, a student must obtain scores of 3 or higher on four or more Advanced Placement Exams taken through the College Board; and*

***WHEREAS**, the following thirty-two students from Woodbridge High School have earned the AP Scholar Award during the 2024-2025 school year from the College Board:*

Camilla Arenas
Angelise Benimadho
Vanessa Benson
Crystal Boakye
Keira Caverly
Sophia Costa
Annabelle Crespo
Aaron Crowell
Natalie Dos Santos
Jethan Esquivel
Shara Grande
Bryce Haniff
Sophia Holness
Sandra Ines
Max Kalin
Harnit Kaur
Catherine Kotsianas
Macey Le
Janae Li
Brianna Lozano
Simon Monsanto
Niyah Morris
Randy Peralta
Enzo Piastre
Raahim Qureshi
Ryan Sadowski
Marisa Santiago
Angelina Smolder
Ayushi Thaker
Jordan Waites
Renee Wu
Adrianna Zarzuela

***WHEREAS**, these accomplishments bring honor and acclaim not only to the families of the aforementioned students but also to their school and to the entire community; and*

***WHEREAS**, it is the desire of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge to express their congratulations to the aforementioned students; and*

***NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the congratulations and best wishes of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge be hereby expressed to the aforementioned students for bringing this honor to the school district and to the Township of Woodbridge; and*

***BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education and a copy sent to Woodbridge High School and to each of the honored students expressing the congratulations of the Board of Education.*

Resolution

***WHEREAS**, to earn the AP Scholar Award with Honor, a student must receive an average score of at least 3.25 on all Advanced Placement Exams taken through the College Board, and scores of 3 or higher on four or more of these exams; and*

***WHEREAS**, the following eight students from Woodbridge High School have earned the AP Scholar Award with Honor during the 2024-2025 school year from the College Board:*

Ali Atif	***Leeana Lucas***	***Kamila Ramirez***
Ayan Atif	***Lucas Philpot***	***Christos Sistasis***
Mandeep Kaur		***Nicholas Tong***

***WHEREAS**, these accomplishments bring honor and acclaim not only to the families of the aforementioned students but also to their school and to the entire community; and*

***WHEREAS**, it is the desire of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge to express their congratulations to the aforementioned students; and*

***NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the congratulations and best wishes of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge be hereby expressed to the aforementioned students for bringing this honor to the school district and to the Township of Woodbridge; and*

***BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education and a copy sent to Woodbridge High School and to each of the honored students expressing the congratulations of the Board of Education.*

Resolution

***WHEREAS**, to earn the AP Scholar Award with Distinction, a student must receive an average score of at least 3.5 on all Advanced Placement Exams taken through the College Board, and scores of 3 or higher on five or more of these exams; and*

***WHEREAS**, the following eighteen students from Woodbridge High School have earned the AP Scholar Award with Distinction during the 2024-2025 school year from the College Board:*

Sifa Ansari	***Aidan Farano***	***Brianna Lozano***
Tyler Boelhower	***Alaina Haniff***	***Simon Monsanto***
Jake Carbone	***Lily Hickok***	***Niyah Morris***
Vedang Chada	***Daniel Jumarito***	***Randy Peralta***
April Chang	***Gatleen Kaur***	***Enzo Piastre***
Jaya Duvvuri	***Justin Li***	***Raahim Qureshi***

***WHEREAS**, these accomplishments bring honor and acclaim not only to the families of the aforementioned students but also to their school and to the entire community; and*

***WHEREAS**, it is the desire of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge to express their congratulations to the aforementioned students; and*

***NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the congratulations and best wishes of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge be hereby expressed to the aforementioned students for bringing this honor to the school district and to the Township of Woodbridge; and*

***BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education and a copy sent to Woodbridge High School and to each of the honored students expressing the congratulations of the Board of Education.*

Communication, Policy and Planning

February 19, 2026

The **Communication, Policy and Planning Committee,** on recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, presents the following recommendations:

1. That the Board of Education adopt the attached resolution proclaiming March 1-7, 2026, as School Social Worker Week with the theme of "Unite to Ignite: Celebrating our Impact."

2. That the Board of Education adopt the attached resolution proclaiming March 2-6, 2026, as National Foreign Language Week.

3. That the Board of Education adopt the attached resolution proclaiming March 2026 as Women's History Month with the theme "Leading the Change: Women Shaping a Sustainable Future."

4. That the Board of Education adopt the attached resolution proclaiming March 2026 as Gifted and Talented Students Month.

5. That the Board of Education adopt the attached resolution proclaiming March 2026 as Music In Our Schools Month with the theme of "United through Music."

6. That the Board of Education adopt the attached resolution proclaiming March 2026 as Youth Art Month with the theme of "The World Needs Art."

7. That the Board of Education adopt the attached resolution acknowledging the Middlesex County Sheriff's Office for successfully conducting the 2025-2026 Drug Abuse Resistance Education (D.A.R.E.) program at 7 district elementary schools.

8. That the Board of Education adopt the attached resolution in recognition of the time and volunteer efforts from Woodbridge Police Detective Brian Vella toward the elementary students of Woodbridge Township School District.

9. That the Board of Education adopt the attached resolution in recognition of the time and volunteer efforts from Colonia High School Teacher, Dr. Joel Ferris, for organizing the districtwide Black History Month Celebration in Woodbridge Township School District.

10. That the Board of Education adopt the following revised mandated policy:

Policy No.	**Description**
5132	Student Dress and Grooming (1st Reading)

I move for the adoption of the foregoing.

Motion by: _____

Seconded by: _____

Resolution

***WHEREAS**, school social workers are employed by school districts to help students reach their fullest potential as human beings; and*

***WHEREAS**, school social workers provide supportive services to students, families, and the community through crisis prevention and intervention, individual and group counseling and support groups, student and family advocacy, transition services, social and developmental assessments, and information and referral services; and*

***WHEREAS**, today's students face many social and personal problems that threaten their ability to do well in school and inhibit their progress toward becoming productive citizens; and*

***WHEREAS**, school social workers' daily activities focus on removing these barriers to learning, maximizing academic opportunities, promoting safe schools, and ensuring educational success for all; and*

***NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge does proclaim the week of March 1 – 7, 2026, as **School Social Worker Week** with the theme **"Unite to Ignite: Celebrating Our Impact"**, in the Woodbridge Township School District; and*

***BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge hereby extend their gratitude and best wishes to all the school social workers in our schools; and*

***BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge and a copy sent to each school in the district.*

Resolution

***WHEREAS**, **National Foreign Language Week** provides dedicated time to celebrate and promote the importance of learning and understanding different world languages and cultures, while raising awareness of the benefits of multilingualism; and*

***WHEREAS**, any student who wishes to learn a world language should have the opportunity to do so given the valuable role that world languages and cultural understanding play in fostering international cooperation and understanding; and*

***WHEREAS**, the study of world languages meets the needs of all students, both college and non-college bound; and*

***WHEREAS**, the study of world languages provides a system of communication that fosters positive cross-cultural communication.*

***NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge proclaims the week of March 2-6, 2026, to be recognized as **National Foreign Language Week**; and*

***BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge supports the goal of having the district provide outstanding programs in world languages; and*

***BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge and a copy sent to each school in the district.*

Resolution

***WHEREAS**, **Women's History Month** is a celebration of women's achievements and contributions to history, culture, and society and has been observed annually in the month of March since 1987 when the United States Congress officially designated the month as such; and*

***WHEREAS**, **Women's History Month** is a time to honor and highlight the role of women in shaping society, promote gender equality, and raise awareness about the challenges and barriers that women have faced and continue to face; and*

***WHEREAS**, **Women's History Month** serves as a reminder of the importance of the voices of ordinary and extraordinary women in shaping the past, present, and future; and*

***WHEREAS**, **Women's History Month** is a dedicated month to educate, empower, and inspire individuals to understand and appreciate the significant impact of women in various fields and communities; and*

***NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge proclaims the month of March, to be recognized as **Women's History Month** with the theme **"Leading the Change: Women Shaping a Sustainable Future"**; and*

***BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge and a copy sent to each school in the district.*

Resolution

***WHEREAS**, gifted children require early identification and intervention and need special academic programs in their schools; and*

***WHEREAS**, public schools must provide for those needs as well as encourage and support gifted children; and*

***WHEREAS**, gifted and talented programs provide gifted and talented students with curricula adapted to the pace and depth of their learning; and*

***WHEREAS**, without the help of those tailored programs, many gifted and talented students would never reach their full potential and development; and*

***WHEREAS**, the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey have passed a joint resolution designating the month of March of each year as **Gifted and Talented Students Month** in the State of New Jersey; and*

***NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge endorses the observance of **Gifted and Talented Students Month** as an opportunity to support the purposes and practices of raising public awareness of gifted and talented students so that they may be identified and matched with a program that will nurture their abilities; and*

***BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge, for its own part, rededicates itself to the maintenance of a gifted and talented program that will be relevant to the needs of the children placed in its care and will reach and positively influence these students; and*

***BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge and a copy sent to each school in the district.*

Resolution

***WHEREAS**, for 40 years, March has been officially designated by the National Association for Music Education (NAfME) as **Music In Our Schools Month** (MIOSM), encouraging communities across the nation to focus on music education; and*

***WHEREAS**, the purpose of this celebration is to raise awareness of the lasting positive impact of music education on the academic, personal and professional growth of our students; and*

***WHEREAS**, music education shapes the way our students understand themselves and the world around them, allowing for a deep engagement with learning; and*

***WHEREAS**, **Music In Our Schools Month** reminds us that school is where all children should have access to music; and*

***WHEREAS**, music educators, students and communities throughout New Jersey demonstrate the importance of quality music education programs to the lives of young people; and*

***WHEREAS**, the state of New Jersey joins our music students, educators and communities throughout New Jersey celebrating the power of music education; and*

***WHEREAS**, the National Association for Music Education has designated March 2026 as **Music In Our Schools Month** focusing on the theme "**United Through Music**"; and*

***NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge endorses the observance of **Music In Our Schools Month** as an opportunity to support the purposes and practices of music education and encourages teachers, parents, students, and all citizens to participate in this support; and*

***BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge and a copy sent to each school in the district.*

Resolution

***WHEREAS**, the study of art contributes educational benefits to young people's development through heightened skills in self-expression and creativity; and*

***WHEREAS**, the importance of art in education is recognized as being an influential part of students' development and provides the following benefits:*

- *cultivates students creative problem-solving skills and critical thinking abilities*
- *teaches insight to beauty, order and other expressive qualities*
- *provides students with an understanding of multi-cultural values and beliefs*
- *strengthens and brings to life what students learn in other subjects*
- *interrelates student learning in art production, art history, art criticism and aesthetics; and*

***WHEREAS**, it is the stated objective of public schools to prepare all students for a productive role in our society; and*

***WHEREAS**, **Youth Art Month**, sponsored by The Council for Art Education, Inc., has been observed nationally, and March is officially recognized as **Youth Art Month** with the theme **"The World Needs Art"**; and*

***NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, **Youth Art Month**, sponsored by The Council for Art Education, Inc., has been observed nationally, and March is officially recognized as **Youth Art Month** with the theme **"The World Needs Art"**; and*

***BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge and a copy sent to each school in the district.*

Resolution

***WHEREAS**, the **Middlesex County Sheriff's Office** has successfully conducted the 2025-2026 Drug Abuse Resistance Education program (D.A.R.E) for the Woodbridge Township School District at the following schools; and*

Oak Ridge Heights #21
Lynn Crest #22
Woodbine Avenue #23
Lafayette Estates #25
Robert Mascenik #26
Pennsylvania Avenue #27
Matthew Jago #28

***WHEREAS**, the D.A.R.E lesson program is designed to equip students with drug information, to enhance self-esteem and to develop decision making skills that are required in preventing drug use among school children; and*

***WHEREAS**, this program provided a cooperative approach to drug prevention by law enforcement officers and teachers; and*

***WHEREAS**, the D.A.R.E. program has been a valuable enhancement to the curriculum of the Woodbridge Township School District; and*

***WHEREAS**, it is the desire of the members of the Woodbridge Board of Education to express their appreciation to the **Middlesex County Sheriff's Office** for presenting the 2025-2026 D.A.R.E. program to the aforementioned schools; and*

***NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge to express their gratitude to the **Middlesex County Sheriff's Office**; and*

***BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge and a copy presented to the **Middlesex County Sheriff's Office**.*

Resolution

***WHEREAS**, the Woodbridge Township School District and the Woodbridge Police Department have a rich history of working together for the betterment of the youth of our Township; and*

***WHEREAS**, many elementary schools during the month of December embraced the magic of the season with visits from Santa Claus to spread holiday joy and happiness to our students; and*

***WHEREAS**, Woodbridge Police **Detective Brian Vella** volunteered his time and expertise to dress up as, and portray, the man from the North Pole, to provide a personal encounter that some children never get to experience; and*

***WHEREAS**, **Detective Brian Vella** has given a precious gift of wonder and enjoyment to many elementary students of the Woodbridge Township School District through his portrayal of Santa Claus; and*

***WHEREAS**, it is the desire of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge to hereby express their deep appreciation to **Detective Brian Vella** for his dedication to these students; and*

***NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the gratitude and best wishes of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge be hereby expressed to **Detective Brian Vella**; and*

***BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education and a copy forwarded to both the Woodbridge Police Department and **Detective Brian Vella** with a suitable expression of congratulations from the members of the Board of Education.*

Resolution

***WHEREAS**, since 1976, the month of February has been proclaimed and recognized nationwide as Black History Month; and*

***WHEREAS**, the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge in union with this nationwide recognition, proclaimed February 2026 as Black History Month; and*

***WHEREAS**, **Dr. Joel Ferris**, teacher at Colonia High School, organized a districtwide celebration of Black History Month; and*

***WHEREAS**, the many hours spent by **Dr. Joel Ferris** to make the districtwide celebration of Black History Month a success brings honor and acclaim, not only to the Woodbridge Township School District, but also to the entire Woodbridge Township community; and*

***WHEREAS**, it is the desire of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge to express their appreciation to **Dr. Joel Ferris** for coordinating this event; and*

***NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the best wishes of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge are hereby expressed to **Dr. Joel Ferris**; and*

***BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education and a copy forwarded to **Dr. Joel Ferris** expressing the appreciation of the Board of Education.*

WOODBRIDGE TOWNSHIP BOARD OF EDUCATION **FILE CODE: 5132**
Woodbridge, New Jersey

Policy

STUDENT DRESS AND GROOMING

It is the intention of the Woodbridge Township Board of Education to insure that all students recognize the need to be appropriately dressed each time they enter the school building. All students are encouraged to dress in a way that is in good taste and is appropriate for school. Appropriate dress would be the type attire which would identify the serious and important nature of the educational process. Not only should appropriate student dress be clean and neat but it should not make a statement which would offend good judgment, be in poor taste, incite others, and may not be a disruptive influence, present a threat to safety and health, or violate the law.

Appropriate dress for students can only be achieved with the total cooperation of students, parents, and guardians. In order to achieve good taste in student dress, the board of education appeals to parents to insure that they purchase appropriate school attire for their children and supervise what they wear to school.

A. Regulations:

Regulating student dress shall be the responsibility of the ~~principal~~ administration of each school. The teacher is to play a most important role in regulating student dress and is required to refer a student to the office whenever an individual's attire may interfere with the educational process.

1. Any clothing which is excessively tight or which displays ~~excessive~~ nudity, such as sheer or transparent blouses or shirts, ~~brief or low-cut blouses or shirts, or apparel that bares the midriff,~~ shall not be permitted. Tank tops, halters, and tube tops are not permitted. Clothing on the upper body must cover the chest and midriff at all times.
2. Any type of clothing, apparel or accessory which indicates that a student has membership in, or affiliation with, any gang associated with criminal activities is prohibited on school property.
3. ~~Tank tops, halters, and tube tops are not permitted.~~
4. ~~Sweatshirts, warm-ups, and Sleeveless shirts are permitted if they are not torn and if they are not cut or tied to expose the midriff and do not display excessive nudity.~~
5. ~~Students may not wear short-shorts. Shorts and skirts shall be mid thigh or longer in length~~. . Clothing on the lower body must cover the genitalia and buttocks at all times.
6. ~~Students may not wear excessively long tee shirts.~~
7. Bedroom and sleep attire, such as pajama tops and/or bottoms, will not be permitted.
8. Footwear is required and must have some sort of back to keep it on the wearer. ~~Students must wear shoes or sneakers.~~ Footwear that can easily come off or poses a safety hazard, such as cleated shoes, shoes with wheels, slippers, sandals, flip-flops or excessively high heels are not permitted~~. as they pose a safety hazard to the wearer.~~
9. Any article of clothing which displays indecent, inappropriate, or offensive writing, pictures, or slogans shall not be permitted.
10. "Quasi-attire," such as armbands, wristbands, non-functional headbands, bandanas, buttons, pins or other methods of symbolic expression are not permitted if determined by the teacher or principal to cause disruption, disorder, or a clear and present danger. Clothing which displays words or pictures that depict alcohol, drugs, or articles of clothing or jewelry associated with gangs, shall not be worn.
11. Any article of clothing or jewelry considered to be harmful, or which may cause damage to another student's person or property, such as spiked bracelets and/or necklaces, shall not be permitted.
12. Clothing which is excessively worn, ripped, damaged, or soiled shall not be permitted.
13. Hats are never to be worn inside the school building, except where such use is pursuant to the observance of religious beliefs. ~~Headbands and/or bandanas may not be worn in school.~~
14. Sunglasses may not be worn in school by students unless a medical excuse has been filed with the office.

STUDENT DRESS AND GROOMING (continued)

15. Outerwear, such as coats and jackets, shall not be worn during the school day. Exceptions may be made by the building administration.
16. Safety and protective clothing, as well as athletic or gym clothing, shall be worn as required.
17. Book bags (backpacks) may be used by students to and from school and must be stored in a locker during the school day.
18. ~~Electronic devices may only be used in accordance with school rules. Any other unauthorized use of electronic devices is prohibited and subject to consequences.~~
19. Students attending any school functions (field trips, dances, activities during school hours) will not be permitted to participate unless they are properly attired.
20. The administration reserves the right to determine if any article of clothing is inappropriate for school.

B. Enforcement:

Students not conforming to the dress code shall be disciplined by the ~~principal~~ administration in accordance with other board policies. If any employee has concerns about a student's attire, they should notify the administration immediately.

C. Distribution:

A copy of this dress code shall be distributed to all students by publication in the student handbook ~~or by mailing to their homes~~ as well as on our district website.

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Revised:	December 21, 1978; December 8, 1988; March 21, 1991; July 15, 2004; September 21, 2006; January 17, 2008, July 14, 2014
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Key Words

Dress, Grooming, Attire

Possible Cross References;

*5131	Student conduct and discipline
*5142	Student safety

*Indicates policy is included in the Critical Policy Reference Manual.

February 19, 2026

The Curriculum, Extra-curricular Activities and Technology Committee, on recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools and the Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum and Instruction, presents the following:

1. That the Board of Education approve retroactively the payment to Imagine Learning at a cost not to exceed $20,420.55 for MS Chinese for the second semester of the school year 2025-2026. (Payment will be from budget account #11-000-252-500-75-Z-AB-T3.) This contract is awarded without competitive bidding as an "Educational Service" under the provisions of the Public School Contract Law N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-5(a)(5).

2. That the Board of Education approve payment not to exceed $1,800 to Staff Development Workshops, Inc. for two professional development workshops for the district K-5 teachers on the topic "The Social Studies Classroom as a Civics Laboratory". (Payment will be from budget account # 11-000-223-320-75-T-CH-PD.)

3. That the Board of Education approve payment not to exceed $1,800 to Staff Development Workshops, Inc. for two professional development workshops for the district 6-12 teachers on the topic "The Social Studies Classroom as a Civics Laboratory". (Payment will be from budget account # 11-000-223-320-75-T-CH-PD.)

4. That the Board of Education approve payment not to exceed $500 to Summit Speech School, 705 Central Avenue, Suite 1, New Providence, New Jersey, for a professional development workshop for our district nurses on March 2, 2026. (Payment will be from budget account #11-000-223-320-75-T-CH-PD.)

5. That the Board of Education approve payment not to exceed $18,400 to Curriculum Associates, 153 Rangeway Road, North Billerica, MA 01862, for professional development for elementary math. (Payment will be from Title IIA funded account # 20-271-200-300-75-F-00-00.)

6. That Board of Education approve payment not to exceed $1,800 to Staff Development Workshops Inc., for two professional development sessions for the district 6-12 Math teachers on the topic, "Sheltered Instruction for Secondary Math Teachers" on March 2, 2026. (Payment will be from Title III funded account # 20-241-200-300-75-F-00-00)

7. That the Board of Education approve payment not to exceed $3,100 to Benchmark Education Company, 6295 Commerce Center Drive, Groveport, OH 43125, for on-site professional development during the 2025-2026 school year. (Payment will be from Title I funded account # 20-231-200-300-28-F-00-00.)

8. That the Board of Education approve payment not to exceed $12,000 to Curriculum Associates and $2,500 to Amplify for professional development during the 2025-2026 school year. (Payment will be from Title I funded account # 20-231-200-300-23-F-00-00.)

9. That the Board of Education approve payment not to exceed $34,500 to Curriculum Associates and $5,000 to Secret Stories for professional development during the 2025-2026 school year. (Payment will be from Title I funded account # 20-231-200-300-18-F-00-00.)

10. That the Board of Education approve the 2026 Title III Extended School Year Level Up Jr., Elementary School Summer Program for Multilingual Learners in grades 3-5, for the summer of 2026 to commence on Monday, July 6, 2026 and conclude on July 23, 2026 (Monday through Thursday).

11. That the Board of Education approve the 2026 Title III Immigrant Extended School Year Level Up Kids, Middle School Summer Program for Multilingual Learners in grades 6-8, for the summer of 2026 to commence on Monday, July 6, 2026 and conclude on July 23, 2026 (Monday through Thursday).

12. That a note be made in the minutes correcting the account number of item #3 of the Curriculum, Extra-Curricular Activities and Technology 1/15/26 agenda to 20-281-100-300-75-F-00-00.

13. That the Board of Education approve the adoption of the Perkins Occupation Safety & Health Plan Program.

14. That the Board of Education adopt the attached resolution commending Avenel Middle School as the Middle School Boys' Basketball 2026 Champions.

15. That the Board of Education adopt the attached resolution commending Iselin Middle School as the Middle School Boys' Basketball 2026 Sportsmanship winner.

16. That the Board of Education adopt the attached resolution commending Avenel Middle School as the Middle School Girls' Basketball 2026 Champions.

17. That the Board of Education adopt the attached resolution commending Iselin Middle School as the Middle School Girls' Basketball 2026 Sportsmanship winner.

18. That the Board of Education adopt the attached resolution commending the Colonia High School athletes who gained individual honors for outstanding performances in the 2025 Fall sports season.

19. That the Board of Education adopt the attached resolution commending the Colonia High School Girls Soccer Team for having won the 2025-26 Greater Middlesex Conference White Division Championship.

20. That the Board of Education adopt the attached resolution commending the John F. Kennedy Memorial High School athletes who gained individual honors for outstanding performances in the 2025 Fall sports season.

21. That the Board of Education adopt the attached resolution commending John F. Kennedy Memorial High School Girls' Soccer Team for winning the Blue Division Championship.

22. That the Board of Education adopt the attached resolution commending Michael Henderson of John F. Kennedy Memorial High School on his selection as the 2025 United Silver Division Coach of the Year.

23. That the Board of Education adopt the attached resolution commending the Woodbridge High School student-athletes who gained individual honors for outstanding performances in the 2025-26 Fall sports season.

24. That the Board of Education adopt the attached resolution commending the Woodbridge High School Boys Soccer Team for having won the 2025-26 Greater Middlesex Conference White Division Sportsmanship Award.

25. That the Board of Education adopt the attached resolution commending the Woodbridge High School Girls Soccer Team for having won the 2025-26 Greater Middlesex Conference White Division Sportsmanship Award.

26. That the Board of Education adopt the attached resolution commending Woodbridge High School Football Team for winning the 2025-26 Big Central Conference Liberty Gold Division Championship.

27. That the Board of Education approve the purchase for St. James School, 341 Amboy Avenue, Woodbridge, NJ 07095 Quote 2112391522 for a total of $5,884.99 from Apple Education. (Payment will be made using the Nonpublic Technology Account to Apple Education, 5505 W. Parmer Lane, Building 7, Austin, TX 78727).

Item #	Description	Qty	Unit Price	Total
PD4A4LL/A	Personalized iPad 128GB	12	329.00	3948.00
S774LL/A	3-year AppleCare+ for schools	12	79.00	948.00
BCX93LL/A	STM dux Ultra Case (10-pack)	2	419.50	839.00
MW443ll/A	Wireless Bluetooth Speaker	1	149.99	149.99

I move for the adoption of the foregoing.

Motion by _____

Seconded by _____

Resolution

WHEREAS, ***the Avenel Middle School Boys' Basketball Team*** *are the Middle School Boys Basketball 2026 Champions; and*

WHEREAS, ***the Avenel Middle School Boys' Basketball Team*** *completed the season with 8 wins and 0 defeats and registered an overall record of 10 wins and 0 defeats; and*

WHEREAS, *this outstanding accomplishment brings honor and acclaim not only to the school but also to the entire community; and*

WHEREAS, *it is the desire of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge to express their congratulations to the*

Avenel Middle School Boys' Basketball Team
Allan Arias-Abreu
Jayceon Brown
Jace Burnam
Lamar Dugger-Carter
Josiah Guillaume
Russell Herman
Tyler Holloway
Chad Johnson
Mark Joseph
Joel Leonard
Logan Strasle
Brycen Thomas

and ***Coach Jonathan Siswo*** *for bringing this honor to Avenel Middle School and the Township of Woodbridge; and*

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, *that the gratitude and best wishes of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge be hereby expressed to* ***Avenel Middle School Boys' Basketball Team and Coach Jonathan Siswo****; and*

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, *that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education and a copy be forwarded to Avenel Middle School with a suitable expression of the congratulations of the Board of Education for display at the school; and*

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, *that a copy of this resolution is forwarded to the* ***Avenel Middle School Boys' Basketball Team and Coach Jonathan Siswo*** *expressing the congratulations of the Board of Education.*

Resolution

WHEREAS, *the* ***Iselin Middle School Boys' Basketball Team*** *were selected as the Middle School Boys' Basketball 2026 Sportsmanship winners; and*

WHEREAS, *this outstanding accomplishment brings honor and acclaim not only to the school but also to the entire community; and*

WHEREAS, *it is the desire of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge to express their congratulations to the*

Iselin Middle School Boys' Basketball Team
Umar Amin
Tanish Ankulkar
Louis Castellucci
Jayden Castor
Excellent Ebiareneyin
Keith Kemboi
Shivansh Jariwala
Julian Mendez
Derris Molina-Ayson
Krishna Patel
Aditya Shah
Malav Shah
Samarth Shah
Hartej Shergill

and ***Coach Kyle McGarry*** *for bringing this honor to Iselin Middle School and the Township of Woodbridge; and*

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, *that the gratitude and best wishes of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge be hereby expressed to* ***Iselin Middle School Boys' Basketball Team and Coach Kyle McGarry****; and*

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, *that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education and a copy be forwarded to Iselin Middle School with a suitable expression of the congratulations of the Board of Education for display at the school; and*

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, *that a copy of this resolution is forwarded to the* ***Iselin Middle School Boys' Basketball Team and Coach Kyle McGarry*** *expressing the congratulations of the Board of Education.*

Resolution

WHEREAS, ***the Avenel Middle School Girls' Basketball Team*** *are the Middle School Girls Basketball 2026 Champions; and*

WHEREAS, ***the Avenel Middle School Girls' Basketball Team*** *completed the season with 8 wins and 0 defeats and registered an overall record of 10 wins and 0 defeats; and*

WHEREAS, *this outstanding accomplishment brings honor and acclaim not only to the school but also to the entire community; and*

WHEREAS, *it is the desire of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge to express their congratulations to the*

Avenel Middle School Girls' Basketball Team
Brynn Bartko
Alyssa Bases
Ela Bognar
Ava Bryant
Aaliyah Fontaina
Quinn Henry
Makalyla Hollinger
Malaysia Isaac
Genesis Pujols
Ava Seijo
Mackenzie Wendel

and ***Coach Joseph Kroner*** *for bringing this honor to Avenel Middle School and the Township of Woodbridge; and*

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, *that the gratitude and best wishes of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge be hereby expressed to* ***Avenel Middle School Girls' Basketball Team and Coach Joseph Kroner****; and*

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, *that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education and a copy be forwarded to Avenel Middle School with a suitable expression of the congratulations of the Board of Education for display at the school; and*

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, *that a copy of this resolution is forwarded to the* ***Avenel Middle School Girls' Basketball Team and Coach Joseph Kroner*** *expressing the congratulations of the Board of Education.*

Resolution

WHEREAS, *the* ***Iselin Middle School Girls' Basketball Team*** *were selected as the Middle School Girls' Basketball 2026 Sportsmanship winners; and*

WHEREAS, *this outstanding accomplishment brings honor and acclaim not only to the school but also to the entire community; and*

WHEREAS, *it is the desire of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge to express their congratulations to the*

Iselin Middle School Girls' Basketball Team
Aspen Adams
Hadiya Ahmed
Ellora Clark
Skylyn Gallegos
Kimberly Garcia
Ayla Glenn
Bhumika Gowda
Abigail Hylton
Deekshika Papisetti
Angelina Quinones
Genevieve Romero
Rilee Sparks
Natalia Taistra

and ***Coach Shaunte Evans*** *for bringing this honor to Iselin Middle School and the Township of Woodbridge; and*

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, *that the gratitude and best wishes of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge be hereby expressed to* ***Iselin Middle School Girls' Basketball Team and Coach Shaunte Evans****; and*

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, *that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education and a copy be forwarded to Iselin Middle School with a suitable expression of the congratulations of the Board of Education for display at the school; and*

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, *that a copy of this resolution is forwarded to the* ***Iselin Middle School Girls' Basketball Team and Coach Shaunte Evans*** *expressing the congratulations of the Board of Education.*

Resolution

WHEREAS, *Colonia High School athletes gained individual honors for outstanding performances in the various 2025 - 2026 fall sports; and*

WHEREAS, *these outstanding accomplishments bring honor and acclaim not only to the school but also to the entire community; and*

WHEREAS, *it is the desire of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge to express their congratulations to the following athletes:*

FOOTBALL

Rynal Wortman	*NJ.com –3rd Team All-State Offense* *Big Central Conference – All Division – 1st Team* *Home News Tribune – 1st Team All-Area* *NJ.com – 1st Team All-Group 4 Offense*
Julien Jones	*NJ.com –3rd Team All-Group 4 Defense* *Big Central Conference – All Division – 1st Team* *Home News Tribune – 1st Team All-Area*
Dylan Chiera	*NJ.com –3rd Team All-Group 4 Defense* *Big Central Conference – All Division – 1st Team* *Home News Tribune – 1st Team All-Area*
A.J. Reinoso	*Big Central Conference – All Division – 1st Team* *Home News Tribune – 2nd Team All-Area*
George Simpson	*Big Central Conference – All Division – 1st Team*
Harsimran Mann	*Big Central Conference – All Division – 1st Team*
Yisrael Custodio	*Big Central Conference – All Division – 2nd Team*
Jaylen McRae	*Big Central Conference – All Division – 2nd Team*
Aaron Gonzalez	*Big Central Conference – All Division – 2nd Team*

BOYS' SOCCER

Kosiso Okonkwo	*Greater Middlesex Conference – All Conference* *Greater Middlesex Conference – All White Division*
Justin Trott	*Greater Middlesex Conference – All White Division*
R.J. Miller	*Greater Middlesex Conference – All White Division*

GIRLS' SOCCER

Abigail Araujo	*Greater Middlesex Conference – All Conference* *Greater Middlesex Conference – All White Division*
Alissa Mendes	*Greater Middlesex Conference – All White Division*
Kaima Okonkwo	*Greater Middlesex Conference – All White Division*
Bella DaSilva	*Greater Middlesex Conference – All White Division*
Kyra Bridgeforth	*Greater Middlesex Conference – All White Division*
Melina Baldeon	*Greater Middlesex Conference – All White Division*

GIRLS' VOLLEYBALL

Nashaelah Hooker	*Greater Middlesex Conference – All Red Division*

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, *that the gratitude and best wishes of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge be hereby expressed to the athletes of Colonia High school; and*

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, *that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education and a copy be forwarded to Colonia High School with a suitable expression of the congratulations of the Board of Education for display at the school and copies be forwarded to each of the honored athletes at Colonia High School.*

Resolution

WHEREAS, *the* ***Colonia High School Girls' Soccer Team*** *are the 2025-26 Greater Middlesex Conference White Division Champions; and*

WHEREAS, *this outstanding accomplishment brings honor and acclaim not only to the school but also to the entire community; and*

WHEREAS, *it is the desire of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge to express their congratulations to the* ***Colonia High School Girls' Soccer Team and Coach Stephen Carew*** *for bringing this honor to Colonia High School and to the Township of Woodbridge; and*

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, *that the gratitude and best wishes of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge be hereby expressed to the members of the* ***Colonia High School Girls' Soccer Team and Coach Stephen Carew;*** *and*

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, *that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education and a copy be forwarded to the* ***Colonia High School Girls' Soccer Team and Coach Stephen Carew*** *with a suitable expression of the congratulations of the Board of Education for display at the school.*

Resolution

WHEREAS, *John F. Kennedy Memorial High School athletes gained individual honors for outstanding performances in the various 2025 Fall sports; and*

WHEREAS, *this outstanding accomplishment brings honor and acclaim not only to the school but also to the entire community; and*

WHEREAS, *it is the desire of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge to express their congratulations to the following athletes;*

Girls Tennis

Bella Almonte	*All White Division*
Shantal Almonte	*All White Division*

Girls' Volleyball

Samara Riaz	*All White Division*
Pratha Shah	*All White Division*

Girls' Soccer

Gabriela Goodridge	*All Blue Division*
Kathryn McDermid	*All Blue Division*
Kylie Ondeyko	*All Blue Division*
Sanai Trotman	*All GMC and All Blue Division*
Alanna Doran	*Blue Division Coach of the Year*

Boys' Soccer

Noah Matos	*All Gold Division*
Juan Saenz	*All Gold Division*
Naelson Velasquez	*All Gold Division*

Girls' Cross Country

Jazlin Ortiz	*All Gold Division*
Jiya Patel	*All Gold Division*

Boys' Cross Country

Ayaan Amin	*All Gold Division*
Nathan Regis	*All Gold Division*
Shaurya Telang	*All Gold Division*

Football

Jahsir Broy	*1st Team All United Silver Division*
Jamir Campbell	*2nd Team All United Silver Division*
Fiheem Howell	*3rd Team All BCC,* *2nd Team All County,* *1st Team All United Silver Division*
Grant Lorentzen	*United Silver Division Player of the Year,* *2nd Team All Group 4,* *NJFCA Super 100 Team,* *1st Team All BCC,* *1st Team All County,* *1st Team All United Silver Division*
Richard Trotman	*2nd Team All County* *1st Team All United Silver Division*
Jugraj Singh	*2nd Team All United Silver Division*
Abdul Wahab	*2nd Team All United Silver Division*
Michael Henderson	*United Silver Division Coach of the Year*

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, *that the gratitude and best wishes of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge be hereby expressed to the athletes of John F. Kennedy Memorial High School; and*

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, *that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education and a copy forwarded to John F. Kennedy Memorial High School with a suitable expression of the congratulations of the Board of Education for display at the school and copies be forwarded to each of the honored athletes at John F. Kennedy Memorial High School.*

Resolution

WHEREAS, *The John F. Kennedy Memorial High School Girls' Soccer Team won the Blue Division Championship;*

WHEREAS, *this outstanding accomplishment brings honor and acclaim not only to the school but also to the entire community; and*

WHEREAS, *it is the desire of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge to express their congratulations to* ***Coach Alanna Doran and the members of the 2025 John F. Kennedy Memorial High School Girls' Soccer Team*** *for bringing this honor to John F. Kennedy Memorial High School and to the Township of Woodbridge and;*

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, *that the gratitude and best wishes of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge be hereby expressed to the* ***Coach Alanna Doran and members of the John F. Kennedy Memorial High School Girls' Soccer Team****;*

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, *that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education and a copy be forwarded to John F. Kennedy Memorial High School with a suitable expression of the congratulations of the Board of Education for display at the school and;*

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, *that a copy of this resolution is forwarded to* ***Coach Alanna Doran*** *expressing the congratulations of the Board of Education.*

Resolution

WHEREAS, ***Coach Michael Henderson*** *of John F. Kennedy Memorial High School was selected as the 2025 United Silver Division Coach of the Year and;*

WHEREAS, *this outstanding accomplishment brings honor and acclaim not only to the school but also to the entire community; and*

WHEREAS, *it is the desire of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge to express their congratulations to* ***Coach Michael Henderson*** *for bringing this honor to John F. Kennedy Memorial High School and to the Township of Woodbridge and;*

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, *that the gratitude and best wishes of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge be hereby expressed to the* ***Coach Michael Henderson*** *and;*

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, *that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education and a copy be forwarded to John F. Kennedy Memorial High School with a suitable expression of the congratulations of the Board of Education for display at the school and;*

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, *that a copy of this resolution is forwarded to* ***Coach Michael Henderson*** *expressing the congratulations of the Board of Education.*

Resolution

WHEREAS, *Woodbridge High School athletes gained individual honors for outstanding performances in the various 2025 - 2026 fall sports; and*

WHEREAS, *these outstanding accomplishments bring honor and acclaim not only to the school but also to the entire community; and*

WHEREAS, *it is the desire of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge to express their congratulations to the following athletes:*

FOOTBALL

Joshua Allen	*Big Central Conference – All Division – 1st Team* *Home News Tribune – 1st Team All-Area* *NJ.com – 2nd Team All-Group 4 Offense*
A'Arrow Andrewz	*Big Central Conference – All Division – 1st Team* *Home News Tribune – 2nd Team All-Area*
Campos Kyle	*Big Central Conference – All Division – 1st Team* *Home News Tribune – 2nd Team All-Area*
Johnny Colado	*Big Central Conference – All Division – 1st Team* *Home News Tribune – 1st Team All-Area*
Jeremiah Colon	*Big Central Conference – All Division – 1st Team*
Jack Kobylakiewicz	*Big Central Conference – All Division – 2nd Team*
Dylan Mastrola	*Big Central Conference – All Division – 1st Team* *Home News Tribune – 1st Team All-Area*
Kenneth Mongelli	*Big Central Conference – All Division – 2nd Team*
Dylan Saab	*Home News Tribune – 2nd Team All-Area*
Dylan Stephen	*Big Central Conference – All Division – 2nd Team*
Damien Vaccaro	*Big Central Conference – All Division – 1st Team*

BOYS' SOCCER

Francesco Carabajal	*Greater Middlesex Conference – All White Division*
Papy Musombo	*Greater Middlesex Conference – All White Division*

GIRLS' SOCCER

Milan Green	*Greater Middlesex Conference – All White Division*
Ciara Murphy	*Greater Middlesex Conference – All White Division*
Jennavecia Teixeira	*Greater Middlesex Conference – All White Division*

GIRLS' VOLLEYBALL

Lina Cateriano	*Greater Middlesex Conference – All Red Division* *Greater Middlesex Conference – All Conference*
Marissa Martinez	*Greater Middlesex Conference – All Red Division*

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, *that the gratitude and best wishes of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge be hereby expressed to the athletes of Woodbridge High school; and*

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, *that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education and a copy be forwarded to Woodbridge High School with a suitable expression of the congratulations of the Board of Education for display at the school and copies be forwarded to each of the honored athletes at Woodbridge High School.*

Resolution

WHEREAS, *the* ***Woodbridge High School Boys' Soccer Team*** *are the 2025-26 Greater Middlesex Conference White Division Sportsmanship Award Winners; and*

WHEREAS, *this outstanding accomplishment brings honor and acclaim not only to the school but also to the entire community; and*

WHEREAS, *it is the desire of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge to express their congratulations to the* ***Woodbridge High School Boys' Soccer Team and Coach Anthony Clarke*** *for bringing this honor to Woodbridge High School and to the Township of Woodbridge; and*

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, *that the gratitude and best wishes of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge be hereby expressed to the members of the* ***Woodbridge High School Boys' Soccer Team and Coach Anthony Clarke;*** *and*

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, *that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education and a copy be forwarded to the* ***Woodbridge High School Boys' Soccer Team and Coach Anthony Clarke*** *with a suitable expression of the congratulations of the Board of Education for display at the school.*

Resolution

WHEREAS, *the* ***Woodbridge High School Girls' Soccer Team*** *are the 2025-26 Greater Middlesex Conference White Division Sportsmanship Award Winners; and*

WHEREAS, *this outstanding accomplishment brings honor and acclaim not only to the school but also to the entire community; and*

WHEREAS, *it is the desire of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge to express their congratulations to the* ***Woodbridge High School Girls' Soccer Team and Coach Kristen Bradley*** *for bringing this honor to Woodbridge High School and to the Township of Woodbridge; and*

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, *that the gratitude and best wishes of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge be hereby expressed to the members of the* ***Woodbridge High School Girls' Soccer Team and Coach Kristen Bradley;*** *and*

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, *that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education and a copy be forwarded to the* ***Woodbridge High School Girls' Soccer Team and Coach Kristen Bradley*** *with a suitable expression of the congratulations of the Board of Education for display at the school.*

Resolution

WHEREAS, *the* ***Woodbridge High School Football Team*** *are the 2025 Big Central Conference Liberty Gold Division Champions; and*

WHEREAS, *the* ***Woodbridge High School Football Team*** *completed the season with 4 wins and 0 defeats, in the division and registered an overall record of 8 wins and 3 defeats; and*

WHEREAS, *this outstanding accomplishment brings honor and acclaim not only to the school but also to the entire community; and*

WHEREAS, *it is the desire of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge to express their congratulations to the* ***Woodbridge High School Football Team and Coach Joseph Goerge*** *for bringing this honor to Woodbridge High School and to the Township of Woodbridge; and*

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, *that the gratitude and best wishes of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge be hereby expressed to the members of the* ***Woodbridge High School Football Team and Coach Joseph Goerge****; and*

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, *that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education and a copy be forwarded to the* ***Woodbridge High School Football Team and Coach Joseph Goerge*** *with a suitable expression of the congratulations of the Board of Education for display at the school.*

The **Finance and Insurance Committee**, on recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools and the Business Administrator/Board Secretary, presents the following:

1. That the Board of Education approves payment of the bills in the amount of $36,060,298.38 Capital Projects bills in the amount of $1,277,459.94 and Food Service Department bills in the amount of $863,363.22.

2. That the Board of Education accept the attached Business Administrator/Board Secretary's Monthly Interest and Investment Report for the month of January 2026.

3. That the Board of Education accept the Report of the Treasurer for the month January 2026.

4. That the Board of Education accept the Report of the Secretary for the month of January 2026.

5. That the Board of Education readopt the 2025-2026 School Year Budget changing the total from $400,046,083.20 to $400,183,622.43 to reflect the following:

WTEA Award Dinner Grant	8,000.00
IDEA-B	121,500.00
JROTC Grant	8,039.23

6. That the members of the Board of Education certify that to the best of their knowledge no major account or fund has been over expended in violation of N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-16.10(b) and that sufficient funds are available to meet the district's financial obligations for the remainder of the fiscal year.

7. That the amount of district taxes needed to meet the obligations of this Board for the next thirty-day period, beginning March 1, 2026 is:

   Requisition for Taxes for the General Fund in the amount of $17,225,040.00 and for the Debt Service in the amount of $425,574.00 totaling $17,650,614.00 and that the Township Council is hereby requested to place in the hands of the Treasurer of School Monies that amount by March 10, 2026.

8. That the Board of Education approve the following resolution:

   Be it resolved, that the Retainer Agreement between the Board and Yolanda Ciccone Mediation & Arbitration is hereby approved in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth therein and that the Board President is authorized to execute the same on the behalf of the Board.

9. That the Board of Education approve the following resolution:

   WHEREAS, a proposal has been received from Concord Energy Services, 520 South Burnt Mill Road, Voorhees, NJ 08043 for energy consulting services

   NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge, County of Middlesex, New Jersey, as follows:

   a. The President and Secretary of said Board are hereby authorized and directed to execute an agreement with Concord Energy Services, 520 South Burnt Mill Road, Voorhees, NJ 08043, for energy consulting services, in accordance with their proposal.

b. This contract is awarded without competitive bidding in a fair and open process as a "Professional Service" under the provisions of the Public Schools Contract Law (N.J.S.A.18A:18A-5, et seq.)

10. That the Board approves the transfer of $4,000,000 from the Capital Reserve Account to the Operating Account. The purpose of this transfer is to cover the additional costs related to the modification of the project originally planned to build a new elementary school in Avenel. The original project faced inflationary costs which required the plan to be modified. The new plan consisted of an addition to the current elementary school in Avenel as well as upgrade to the existing structure. New drawings, plans, and filings were necessary and the drawing and plans related to the original project which had been paid were no longer of use.

11. That the Board of Education approve the agreement for the pledge of certain PILOT payments for the construction of Hopelawn School 10 and for various improvements to other Township schools.

12. That the Board of Education approve the proposal for professional services related to the construction of a new elementary school in Hopelawn to Parette Somjen Architects, 439 Route 46 East, Rockaway, NJ 07866 for a fee not to exceed $3,925,700.00.

13. That the Board of Education approve the proposal for professional services related to the districtwide door replacement project to Parette Somjen Architects, 439 Route 46 East, Rockaway, NJ 07866 for a fee not to exceed $1,782,860.00.

14. That the Board of Education approve the proposal for professional services related to the districtwide PA system and multicom system upgrades project to Parette Somjen Architects, 439 Route 46 East, Rockaway, NJ 07866 for a fee not to exceed $252,330.00.

15. That the Board of Education approve the proposal for professional services related to the construction of a new elementary school in Hopelawn to Legacy Construction Management Inc., 5021 Industrial Road, Wall, NJ 07727 for a fee not to exceed $500,000.00 through November 2028.

16. That the Board of Education approve the previous submission of the 2026 IDEA B (Individuals with Disabilities Education Act) application revision to the New Jersey Department of Education to include the allocation of the roll over funds.

17. That the Board of Education approve the following resolution:

WHEREAS, the Woodbridge Township Board of Education ("the Board") is empowered by N.J.S.A. 18A:11-1 (d) to perform all acts and do all things, consistent with law and the rules of the state board, necessary for the lawful and proper conduct, equipment and maintenance of the public schools of the district; and

WHEREAS, the Board is the owner of certain real property located at Ford Avenue/Burnham Drive, known and designated as a portion of Block 326, Lot 8, on the tax map of the Township of Woodbridge, Middlesex County, New Jersey; and

WHEREAS, the Township of Woodbridge, County of Middlesex, State of New Jersey ("the Township") has requested an access easement be granted by the Board so that it may be used a permanent public right of way access for a traffic signal/right of way; and

WHEREAS, The Township of Woodbridge adopted a resolution authorizing the Township's acceptance of a permanent public right-of-way easement from the Board; and

WHEREAS, the Board wishes to cooperate with the Township, such that the Township may install a traffic signal at the school driveway, located as hereinabove described;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board hereby grants to the Township, its successors and assigns, a permanent public right of way easement (the "Access Easement") in the area identified in the Access Easement Agreement, which Access Easement shall continue for such time as the Easement granted by the Board shall remain in effect, subject to the following conditions:

A. The within action by the Board is subject to approval by the Executive County Superintendent and the New Jersey Department of Education;
B. The Township, and its successors and assigns, shall adhere to all applicable federal, state and local laws regarding its actions in conjunction with the Access Easement;
C. The Township, and its successors and assigns, shall comply with all applicable state and local laws requiring permits prior to beginning construction, and shall obtain all such permits as may be required;
D. The Township, and its successors and assigns, shall indemnify, defend and hold harmless the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge, its officers, agents and servants from any and all claims of liability or loss, bodily injury and/or property damage resulting from or arising out of the acts or omissions of the Township and its agents in connection with the access to, use and occupancy of the traffic signal located as hereinabove described;
E. The Township, at its own cost and expense, shall maintain commercial general liability insurance with limits not less than $1,000,000 for injury to or death of one or more persons in any one occurrence, and $500,000 for damage or destruction to property in any one occurrence. The policy shall include the Woodbridge Township Board of Education, its agents and servants as additional insured. A certificate of insurance confirming the appropriate coverages shall be provided to the Board as a condition precedent to the Access Easement becoming effective; and
F. The Township shall be responsible for the full cost of repair of any and all damage to Board property arising from its actions arising under the Access Easement.

I move for the adoption of the foregoing.

Motion by: _____

Seconded by: _____

Woodbridge Board of Education
Interest & Investment Report Reconciliation
1/31/2026

INTEREST EARNED THIS MONTH	INTEREST EARNED
Opening Balance	8,506,404.63
Interest Earned from Operating Funds	38,555.91
Interest Earned from Investments	117,210.64
Interest Earned on Reserve Funds	242,380.04
Interest Earned on Scholarship Fund	-
Ending Balance	8,904,551.22

CURRENT INVESTMENT AND PROJECTED INTEREST FOR:

FUND	AMOUNT	RATE	PROJECTED INTEREST
Operating Funds	13,804,895.02	3.00%	34,512.24
Investments	63,173,863.28	3.00%	157,934.66
Reserve Funds	95,370,031.13	3.00%	238,425.08
	172,348,789.43		430,871.97

CURRENT INVESTMENTS	TERM	AMOUNT
BCB BANK		23,159,740.72
BCB BANK CERTIFICATE OF DEPOSIT x1077	11/1/25 - 2/1/26	2,185,179.87
BCB BANK CERTIFICATE OF DEPOSIT x2455	11/7/25 - 2/7/26	5,088,185.79
BCB BANK CERTIFICATE OF DEPOSIT x0142	9/16/25 - 3/16/26	2,060,573.48
CHASE BANK		5,432,712.97
CHASE BANK CERTIFICATE OF DEPOSIT	7/18/25 - 6/18/26	5,202,589.33
CITIZENS BANK		5,452,474.92
COLUMBIA BANK		8,946,970.45
NORTHFIELD BANK		4,682,664.74
		62,211,092.27
		10-111
SCHOLARSHIP CERTIFICATE OF DEPOSIT	12/5/25 - 3/5/26	962,771.01
		20-111

REPORT TO THE TREASURER
TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

WOODBRIDGE

All Funds

Jan-26

CASH REPORT

	FUNDS	1 Beginning Cash Balance	2 Cash Receipts This Month	3 Cash Disburse-ments This Month	4 Ending Cash Balances (1)+(2)-(3)
	GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS				
1A	Operating Fund, Debt Service Fund, and Aftercare - Fund 10, 40, & 65	1,495,653.01	40,778,025.71	31,190,452.58	11,083,226.14
1B	Investment	67,147,977.51	117,210.64	5,054,095.88	62,211,092.27
1C	Reserve Accounts	95,127,651.09	242,380.04	-	95,370,031.13
2A	Special Revenue Fund - Fund 20	2,937,913.39	44,061.23	260,305.74	2,721,668.88
2B	Investment	962,771.01	248,351.33		1,211,122.34
3	**Total Governmental Funds**	167,671,966.01	41,430,028.95	36,504,854.20	172,597,140.76
4					
5	Payroll	2,000.00	9,304,948.84	9,304,948.84	2,000.00
6	Payroll Agency	450.80	9,954,266.89	9,954,266.89	450.80
7	SUI	3,178,208.63	25,048.37	25,048.37	3,178,208.63
8	Flex	97,662.85	65,276.85	65,276.85	97,662.85
9	**Total Trust & Agency Funds**	3,278,322.28	19,349,540.95	19,349,540.95	3,278,322.28
10					
11	**Total All Funds**	170,950,288.29	60,779,569.90	55,854,395.15	175,875,463.04

Prepared and Submitted By:

Treasurer of School Monies **February 12, 2026**
Richard Lorentzen, CTC **Date**

February 19, 2026

The **Dining and Transportation Committee**, on recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools and the Business Administrator/Board Secretary, presents the following:

1. That the Board of Education approve the following temporary route for the 2025-2026 school year to the vendor with the lowest quote, whose quote also met specifications, as follows:

   D&L Bus Service
   79 Juliette St
   Hopelawn, NJ 08861

Rt. FKJC	Colonia High School From New Brunswick 90 Days @ $198.00 Effective 2/4/26-6/23/26	$17,820.00
Rt. FGAA	Avenel Middle School From Piscataway 90 Days @ $198.00 Effective 2/4/26-6/23/26	$17,820.00

2. That the Board of Education hereby approve the purchase of the following vehicle as per Bid item #8A in the Educational Services Commission of NJ Cooperative Bid #ESCNJ 25/26-35: 2026 Model Year 54 Passenger Blue Bird “Vision” School bus w/ Gasoline Engine and Hydraulic Brakes – Qty: 1 at rate of $150,835.99.

3. Item 5 from Agenda 12/18/25 be amended to read as follows due to adding an aide to the route:

   Joy Transport
   383 Somerset St
   Somerset, NJ 08873

29-3	School 29 Aide added 92 Days @ $100.00 Effective 2/2/26-6/23/26	$9,200.00

I move for the adoption of the foregoing.

Motion by _____

Seconded by_____

WOODBRIDGE TOWNSHIP BOARD OF EDUCATION

AGENDA

February 19, 2026

Personnel Committee Recommendations

The Personnel Committee, on recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools and the Assistant Superintendent for Human Resources, presents the following:

1. That the following resignation(s) be accepted:

Name	Assignment	Years/Service	Effective
DeLuca, Peggy	School Aide, #28	2 Years, 9 Months	1/30/26
Mahaffy, Frederick	School Aide, #18	2 Years, 6 Months	2/28/26
Sak, Jodi	Bus Driver, Trans.	5 Years	2/20/26
Valle, Evelyn	Bus Attendant, Trans.	16 Years, 4 Months	2/28/26

2. That the following retirement(s) be accepted:

Name	Assignment	Years/Service	Effective
Caley, Mary	Special Ed., #28	38 Years, 6 Months	2/28/26
Haumacher, Mary	Elementary, #19	27 Years	6/30/26
Lammers, Janice	Special Ed., #9	30 Years	6/30/26
Singalewitch, Rosemarie	Art, CHS	16 Years	6/30/26
Wagner, Colleen	Phys. Ed., #11	16 Years, 6 Months	6/30/26

3. That the following resolution of retirement be approved:

Name	Assignment	Years / Service
Kelly, Joyce	Special Ed., CMS	6 Years, 5 Months

"WHEREAS, the above employee retiring from active service in the public schools of Woodbridge Township after the number of years listed; and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge to express their appreciation for loyal and unselfish service during those years; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the gratitude and best wishes of the members of the Board of Education of the Township of Woodbridge are hereby tendered to the employee in acknowledgment of the service they so faithfully and conscientiously rendered; and be it further

RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of the Board of Education, and a copy be sent to the above employee."

4. That the Board of Education: (1) Approve the suspension with pay for William Sieke, retroactively effective January 20, 2026 through January 30, 2026. (2) Accept the resignation of William Sieke effective January 30, 2026.

5. That the Board of Education approve the end of suspension with pay for Matthew Koch, effective 2/19/26. (Personnel Agenda 1/15/26, item #5.)

6. That a note be made in the minutes changing the start date for Jacqueline Rice to 2/9/2026. (Supersedes Personnel Agenda 12/18/25, item #9.)

7. That the Board of Education approve the following transfer for the 2025-2026 school year.

Name	From	To	Effective
Koch, Matthew	English, JFK	Language Arts, CMS	2/20/26

8. That a note be made in the minutes adjusting the FMLA/NJFL leave end date for Nicole Scalia to 5/26/26. (Personnel Agenda 1/15/26, item #7.)

9. That a note be made in the minutes adjusting the Unpaid Personal leave end date for Evelyn Correa to 4/2/26. (Personnel Agenda 8/28/25, item #8.)

10. That the following be granted an unpaid personal leave of absence and/or maternity leave of absence pursuant to the conditions of the negotiated agreement and/or family leave of absence pursuant to New Jersey Family Leave Act No. N.J.S.A. 34:11,B-1 et.seq. or Federal Family Leave Act No. 29 U.S.C., Section 2601 et.seq.:

Name	Assignment	Effective
^Ataca, Yda	School Aide, #24	4/15/26 – 4/28/26
^Bona, Kimberly	School Aide, #22	4/3/26
*&Chen, Min	World Language, FMS	*2/9/26 – 2/9/27
>Elliott, Lauren	School Nurse, #29	2/18/26 – 3/19/26
<Elliott, Lauren	School Nurse, #29	3/20/26 – 6/19/26
&Giacumbo, Katrina	Speech, Special Services	3/12/26 – 6/11/26
*&McCann, Gabriela	World Language, JFKMHS	*2/2/26 – 2/2/27
*&Mollica, Kathryn	F&CS, CHS	*2/2/26 – 2/2/27
&Paribello, Kristin	Art, #29/#21	2/13/26 – 5/15/26
*&Rodriguez, Delfa	Bus Driver, Transportation	*1/16/26 – 1/16/27
&Skibar, Amy	Paraprofessional, WHS	3/9/26 – 3/27/26
^Trujillo, Samantha	Special Education, #24	3/30/26 – 6/30/26
^Vyas, Rajeshwari	School Aide, #20	2/24/26 – 2/27/26
&Williams, Alison	ESL, #23	3/5/26 – 6/4/26
^Williams, Alison	ESL, #23	6/5/26 – 6/30/26

^Unpaid Personal
&NJFL/FMLA
<NJFL
>FMLA
*Intermittent

11. That the following personnel be appointed for the 2025-2026 school year at the salary rates:

APPOINTMENT CERTIFIED-

Name	Effective	Degree	Step	Subject Area	Loc.	Prog./ Budget	Salary
Izeppi, Claudia	2/20/26	M	3	ASI	#25	Title I	71,250.00

APPOINTMENTS NON-CERTIFIED-

Name	Effective	Assignment/Bldg.	Hourly/Rate	Salary
Goswami, Mananben	3/2/26	School Aide, #29	21.50	7,869.00
Kabara, Karen	3/9/26	School Aide, #29	21.50	7,869.00

12. That the Board approve the following afterschool intramural positions for the 2025-2026. (Payment will be upon timesheet submitted from account # 11-401-100-100-52-Z-AC-00.)

School	Teacher	Position	Hours	Rate	Salary
Colonia HS	Don Diego, Ryan	Girls Flag Football	60	$32	$1920
Colonia HS	Layton, Tyler	Girls Flag Football	60	$32	$1920

13. That the Board of Education approve the following staff member listed to facilitate the registration and administration of the MOS Exams at the high school listed below. (Payment will be upon timesheet submitted from account #11-140-100-101-51-A-AJ-TH).

School	Name	Salary
John F. Kennedy HS	Stacy Napolitano-Gonedes	$1,000

14. That the Board approve the following afterschool intramural positions for the 2025-2026. (Payment will be upon timesheet submitted from account # 11-401-100-100-51-Z-AC-00.)

School	Teacher	Position	Hours	Rate	Salary
John F. Kennedy HS	Carroll, Liam	Girls Flag Football	60	$32	$1920
John F. Kennedy HS	Szoke, Sarah	Girls Flag Football	60	$32	$1920

15. That the Board of Education approve the following adjustments to the Secondary Extra Curricular positions for the 2025-2026. (Payment will be upon timesheet from account # 11-401-100-100-50-Z-AC-00.) (Supersedes Personnel Agenda 9/18/25, Item #14.)

School	Teacher	Position	Adjustment	New Salary
Woodbridge HS	Angatia, Jessie	Art Services Co-Advisor	Decrease	$1,575
Woodbridge HS	Clapcich, Christina	Art Services Co-Advisor	New	$1,575

16. That the Board approve the following afterschool intramural positions for the 2025-2026. (Payment will be upon timesheet submitted from account # 11-401-100-100-50-Z-AC-00.)

School	Teacher	Position	Hours	Rate	Salary
Woodbridge HS	Allen, Eric	Girls Flag Football	60	$32	$1,920
Woodbridge HS	Twomey, Sierra	Girls Flag Football	60	$32	$1,920

17. That the Board approve the following elementary Mad Science advisors for the 2025-26 2nd Winter Session. (Payment will be from Budget account #11-401-100-100-75-Z-AC-00.) (Program will begin 2/24.)

School	Teacher	Hours	Rate	Salary
Mawbey Street	Puehlhorn, Kathleen	12	32.00	$384
Mawbey Street	Corcoran, Michelle	Sub	32.00	
Indiana Ave	Zecchino, Laura	12	32.00	$384
Indiana Ave	Gonzalez, Christine	Sub	32.00	
Claremont Ave	Bonilla, George	12	32.00	$384
Claremont Ave	Filion, Danielle	Sub	32.00	
Kennedy Park	Khamish, Demi	12	32.00	$384
Kennedy Park	Glanton, Nadirah	Sub	32.00	
Kennedy Park	Reyes, Bridget	12	32.00	$384
Kennedy Park	Pietrangelo, Jayme	Sub	32.00	
Lafayette Estates	Margolin, Alyssa*	6	32.00	$192
Lafayette Estates	Yanavok, Kaitlin*	6	32.00	$192

* can also sub

18. That the Board of Education approve the following staff members to be appointed as members of the Elementary Assessment committee during the 2025-2026 school year. (Payment will be upon timesheet submitted from Title IIA funded account #20-271-200-100-75-F-00-00.)

Name	Hours	Rate	Salary
Batista, Sonia	30	$51	$1,530
Dobbin, Christina	30	$51	$1,530
Mangine, Nicole	30	$51	$1,530
Massimino, Cindy	30	$51	$1,530
Ricci, Karan	30	$51	$1,530
Shapowalenko, Danielle	30	$51	$1,530
Weitz, Amy	30	$51	$1,530

19. That the Board of Education approve the adjustment to the following staff members who were appointed to the Title 1 Extended Day Program at the Title 1 School listed below for the 2025-2026 school year. (Payment will be upon timesheet submitted from Title 1 funded account #20-231-100-101-09-F-00-00.) (Supersedes Personnel Agenda 10/16/25, Item #32.)

School	Staff Member	Rate	Adjustment	Total Hrs	Total
Port Reading	Biancamano, Giuliana	$51	+15	35	$1785
Port Reading	Cassano, Alyssa	$51	+15	35	$1785
Port Reading	Cinelli, Sandra	$51	+15	35	$1785
Port Reading	Coppola, Nicolina	$51	+15	35	$1785
Port Reading	Hamblin, Jordan	$51	+15	35	$1785
Port Reading	Mason, Denise	$51	+15	35	$1785
Port Reading	McDonald, Megan	$51	+15	35	$1785
Port Reading	Rodriguez, Michele	$51	+15	35	$1785
Port Reading	Schaefer, Kelli	$51	+15	35	$1785
Port Reading	Skros, Kristine	$51	+15	35	$1785
Port Reading	Tavares, Michelle	$51	+15	35	$1785

20. That the Board of Education approve the adjustment to the staff members who were appointed to the Data Team at the Title 1 School listed below for the 2025-2026 school year. (Payment will be upon timesheet submitted from Title 1 funded account #20-231-200-100-09-F-00-00.) (Supersedes Personnel Agenda 10/16/25, Item #31.)

School	Staff Member	Rate	Adjustment	Total Hrs	Total
Port Reading	Coppola, Nicolina	$51	+6	16	$ 816
Port Reading	Dembiec (Hamblin), Jordan	$51	+6	16	$ 816
Port Reading	McCormick, Barbara	$51	+6	16	$ 816
Port Reading	Nagy, Deena	$51	-10	0	$ 0
Port Reading	Rathore, Arti	$51	+7	21	$1,071
Port Reading	Schaefer, Kelli	$51	+7	21	$1,071
Port Reading	Skros, Kristine	$51	+6	16	$ 816

21. That the Board of Education approve the adjustment to the following staff member who was appointed to the Title 1 Extended Day Program at the Title 1 School listed below for the 2025-2026 school year. (Payment will be upon timesheet submitted from Title 1 funded account #20-231-100-101-09-F-00-00). (Supersedes Personnel Agenda 12/18/25, Item#18.)

School	Staff Member	Rate	Adjustment	Total Hrs	Total
Port Reading	Arvanites, Summer	$51	+15	35	$1785

22. That the Board of Education approve the following additional staff members who were appointed to the Title 1 Extended Day Program at the Title 1 School listed below for the 2025-2026 school year. (Payment will be upon timesheet submitted from Title 1 funded account #20-231-100-101-09-F-00-00.)

School	Staff Member	Hours	Rate	Total
Port Reading	Agostini, Yazmin	22.5	$51	$1147.50
Port Reading	Anderson, Megan	22.5	$51	$1147.50
Port Reading	Malaquias, Kaitlyn	22.5	$51	$1147.50
Port Reading	Roberts, Melissa	22.5	$51	$1147.50
Port Reading	Sterlacci, Lauren	22.5	$51	$1147.50
Port Reading	Tresidder, Brooke	22.5	$51	$1147.50

23. That the Board of Education approve the adjustment to the following staff members who were appointed to the Title 1 SIA Extended Day program at the Title 1 SIA School listed below during the 2025-26 school year. (Payment will be upon timesheet submitted from Title 1 SIA funded account #20-235-100-101-11-F-00-00.) (Supersedes Personnel Agenda 1/6/26, Item #5.)

School	Staff	Rate	Adjustment	Total Hrs	Total
Ross Street	Atieh, Nicola	$51	+10	20	$1,020
Ross Street	Civil, Samantha	$51	+2	20	$1,020
Ross Street	Cook, Nicole	$51	+10	20	$1,020
Ross Street	Crilley, Ken	$51	+10	20	$1,020
Ross Street	Curtis, Silvia	$51	+10	20	$1,020
Ross Street	Diodato, Courtney	$51	+10	20	$1,020
Ross Street	Dubay, Thomas	$51	+10	20	$1,020
Ross Street	Egan, Elizabeth	$51	+3	20	$1,020
Ross Street	Finnegan, Nicole	$51	+10	20	$1,020
Ross Street	Harrell, Nicole	$51	+10	20	$1,020
Ross Street	Ivan, Kimberly	$51	+10	20	$1,020
Ross Street	Lauro, Kourtney	$51	+2	20	$1,020
Ross Street	Massimino, Cindy	$51	+3	20	$1,020
Ross Street	Paulikas, Ashley	$51	+10	20	$1,020
Ross Street	Singer, Jessica	$51	+2	20	$1,020
Ross Street	Spino, Melissa	$51	+10	20	$1,020
Ross Street	Wehrle, Morgan	$51	+10	20	$1,020
Ross Street	Wheeler, Michael	$51	+2	20	$1,020

24. That the Board of Education approve the following additional staff members who were appointed to the Title 1 SIA Extended Day Program at the Title 1 SIA School listed below for the 2025-2026 school year. (Payment will be upon timesheet submitted from Title 1 SIA funded account #20-235-100-101-11-F-00-00, not to exceed the amounts listed below.)

School	Staff Member	Hours	Rate	Total
Ross Street	Acquaviva, Anna	20	$51	$1,020
Ross Street	Braunsdorf, Carmen	20	$51	$1,020
Ross Street	Breney, Aaron	20	$51	$1,020
Ross Street	Butt, Hajrah	20	$51	$1,020
Ross Street	Castellucci, Alexandra	20	$51	$1,020
Ross Street	Jakielaszek, Gabriella	20	$51	$1,020
Ross Street	Jarema, Natalia	20	$51	$1,020
Ross Street	Jung, Amanda	20	$51	$1,020
Ross Street	McGovern, Jacqueline	20	$51	$1,020
Ross Street	Wolfe, Melanie	20	$51	$1,020

25. That the Board of Education approve the following staff members who were appointed to the Indiana Avenue Title 1 Extended Day program at the Title 1 School listed below during the 2025-26 school year. (Payment will be upon voucher submitted from Title 1 funded account #20-231-100-101-18-F-00-00, not to exceed $9,792 for the total program.)

School	Staff Member	Rate	Hours	Total
Indiana Ave	Arthur, Christine	$51	24	$ 1,224
Indiana Ave	DeMarino, Paula	$51	24	$ 1,224
Indiana Ave	Gaud-Moro, Yesenia	$51	12	$ 612
Indiana Ave	Lentini, Michael	$51	12	$ 612
Indiana Ave	Lewkowicz, Gillian	$51	12	$ 612
Indiana Ave	Lublang, Alaina	$51	24	$ 1,224
Indiana Ave	Mata, Alyssa	$51	24	$ 1,224
Indiana Ave	Mirdala, Jennifer	$51	12	$ 612
Indiana Ave	Polo, Catherine	$51	24	$ 1,224
Indiana Ave	Zielinski, Maria	$51	24	$ 1,224

26. That the Board of Education approve the adjustment to the following staff members listed below who were appointed to the Title 1 Extended day program at the Title 1 School listed during the 2025-26 school year. (Supersedes Personnel agenda, 11/20/25, Item #31.) (Payment will be from Title 1 funded account 20-231-100-101-28-F-00-00.)

School	Staff Member	Rate	Adjustment	Total Hrs	Total
Matthew Jago	Amendolia, Alyssa	$51	+8	32	$1,632
Matthew Jago	Bischoff, Renee	$51	+8	40	$2,040

27. That a note be made in the minutes correcting the account number of item #17 of the Personnel 1/15/26 agenda to 20-231-200-100-04-F-PF-ER.

28. That a note be made in the minutes correcting the account number of item #17 of the Personnel 12/18/25 agenda to 20-231-200-100-09-F-PF-ER.

29. That a note be made in the minutes correcting the account number of item #19 of the Personnel 12/18/25 agenda to 20-231-200-100-11-F-PF-ER.

30. That a note be made in the minutes correcting the account number of item #22 of the Personnel 12/18/25 agenda to 20-231-200-100-23-F-PF-ER.

31. That a note be made in the minutes correcting the account number of item #32 of the Personnel 11/20/25 agenda to 20-231-200-100-28-F-PF-ER.

32. That a note be made in the minutes correcting the account number of item #43 of the Personnel 10/16/25 agenda to 20-231-200-100-19-F-PF-ER.

33. That the Board of Education approve the adjustment to the following staff members who were appointed to the Perkins Data/Curriculum Team at the school listed below for the 2025-2026 school year. (Payment will be upon timesheet submitted from Perkins funded account #20-362-200-100-75-F-00-00, not to exceed the amounts below.) (Supersedes Personnel agenda, 11/20/25, Item #27.)

School	Staff Member	Adjustment	Rate	Total Hrs	Total
Colonia HS	Dougher, Thomas	+12	$51	42	$2,142
Colonia HS	Nyers, Jacqueline	+12	$51	42	$2,142
Colonia HS	Smith, Morgan	+12	$51	42	$2,142
Colonia HS	Sousa, Jennifer	+12	$51	42	$2,142
John F. Kennedy HS	Balle, David	+12	$51	42	$2,142
John F. Kennedy HS	Napolitano, Stacy	+12	$51	42	$2,142
John F. Kennedy HS	Seguine, Abbey	+12	$51	42	$2,142
John F. Kennedy HS	Viteri, Ricardo	+12	$51	42	$2,142
Woodbridge HS	Braine, Victoria	+12	$51	42	$2,142
Woodbridge HS	Morrison, Peter	+12	$51	42	$2,142
Woodbridge HS	Nowicki, Ian	+12	$51	42	$2,142
Woodbridge HS	Tolentino, Maria	+12	$51	42	$2,142

34. That the Board of Education approve the adjustment to the following staff members who were appointed for Perkins CTE Liaison at the school listed below for the 2025-2026 school year. (Payment will be upon timesheet submitted from Perkins funded account #20-362-200-100-75-F-00-00, not to exceed the amounts below.) (Supersedes Personnel agenda, 11/20/25, Item #29.)

School	Staff Member	Adjustment	Rate	Total Hrs	Total
Colonia HS	Cerbone, Michelle	+3	$51	13	$663
Colonia HS	Marretta, Cristina	+3	$51	13	$663
John F. Kennedy HS	Blauvelt, Tracy	+3	$51	13	$663
John F. Kennedy HS	Murray, Elaine	+3	$51	13	$663
Woodbridge HS	Moyer, Amy	+3	$51	13	$663
Woodbridge HS	Nowicki, Ian	+3	$51	13	$663

35. That the Board of Education approve Justin Valenti as Boys Volleyball Coach at Avenel Middle School for the 2025-2026 school year, at a salary rate of $2,750.

36. That the following Home Instructors be appointed at the rate of $51.00 per hour for the 2025-2026 school year. (Payment will be upon timesheet submitted.)

Name	Effective
Acure, Matthew	2/2/26
Holmes, Jeffrey	2/2/26
Kaelber, Brian	2/2/26
Mentzel, Amy	2/2/26
Zeizel, Meni	2/2/26

37. That the Board of Education approve Melissa Collazo as Assistant Coach of Softball at Colonia High School for the 2025-2026 school year, at a salary rate of $6,250.

38. That the Board of Education approve Michael Medvetz as Assistant Coach of Baseball at John F. Kennedy Memorial High School for the 2025-2026 school year, at a salary rate of $6,250.

39. That the Board of Education approve Dominick Rella as Assistant Coach of Boys' Volleyball at John F. Kennedy Memorial High School for the 2025-2026 school year, at a salary rate of $5,750.

40. That the Board of Education approve Anthony Nyers as Head Coach of Football at John F. Kennedy Memorial High School for the 2026-2027 school year, at a salary rate of $13,250.

41. That the Board of Education approve Scott Heeney as Head Coach of Boys' Soccer at John F. Kennedy Memorial High School for the 2026-2027 school year, at a salary rate of $9,250.

42. That the following substitutes be approved for the 2025-2026 school year.

Substitute School Aide
Davis Riopedre, Shyanna
Mahaffy, Frederick
Rodriguez, Jalynne

Substitute Paraprofessional
Abreu, Briana Marie
Cambria, Michelle
Garcia, Jackeline
Kawle, Mamta
Korzeb, Danielle
Lyczkowski, Alexis
Morel, Maria
Schreck, Mary

Substitute Secretary
Tibodeau, TJ

Substitute Bus Aide
Davis Riopedre, Shyanna
Rosario, Armani

Substitute Bus Driver
Nunez, Hayana

Substitute Nurse
Carlin, Cynthia

I move for the adoption of the foregoing.

Motion by_____

Seconded by_____