Stokes County Schools

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Stokes County Board of Education
Administrative Office
Danbury, NC
August 17, 2026 6:00 PM
Regular Session

I. Welcome and Pledge

II. Call to Order

III. Approval of the Agenda

IV. Good News

V. Public Comments

The agenda for each regular monthly meeting will include a time period for citizens to address the Board of Education through public comment. Prior to each meeting a form will be available for any individual or group to indicate a desire to address the Board of Education and the topic to be addressed. A three-minute time limit will apply to each speaker. Groups are to select one spokesperson to address the Board of Education on the group's behalf.

Except when deemed necessary by the Board of Education due to an emergency or other exigent circumstances, information received during public comments will not be acted upon at the time it is received. An official response on behalf of the Board of Education requires the approval of a majority of the Board and will be issued by the Board Chair or his/her designee. Any response by an individual member of the Board of Education shall not be deemed an official response of the Board.

Grievances, complaints, or concerns related to individual school personnel or students will not be heard at this forum. Other channels have been established for the consideration and disposition of a grievance, complaint, or concern that involves school personnel or students. The superintendent will discuss with, and make available to, any individual or group the policies and procedures for this purpose.

VI. Consent Agenda

A. Approval of Regular Session Minutes, July 20, 2026
B. Approval of Work Session Minutes, August 3.2026
C. Approval of Policy 3221 Generative AI

VII. Superintendent Report

A. Stokes County Education Foundation Update

VIII. Discussion Agenda
- A. Discussion of Back- to -School Update
  1. Enrollment
  2. Vacancies
  3. Class Size
  4. Combos Classes
  5. Transportation
  6. School Nutrition
  7. Dojo – Online Registration

IX. Action Agenda
- A. Approval of Personnel and Coaching Report
- B. Approval of Summer Policy Update based on provisions in the 2026 Appropriations Act (S.L. 2026-41)

  Revised:
  1. 3200, Selection of Instructional and Supplementary Materials
  2. 3210, Inspection of and Objection to Instructional and Supplementary Materials
  3. 6420, Contracts with the Board
  4. 3510, Religious-Based Exemptions from School Programs
  5. 6220, Operation of School Nutrition Services
  6. 5150/7313, Reporting to External Agencies
  7. 6442, Vendor Lists
  8. 9115, Prequalification of Bidders for Construction Projects
  9. 9120, Bidding for Construction Work

  Repealed:
  1. 6402, Participation by Historically Underutilized Businesses (repealed)
  2. 9125, Participation by Minority Businesses (repealed)
- C. Approval of Behavioral Framework NC, LLC Contract

X. Information and Announcements
- A. Announcements
- B. Fund Raisers for Information
- C. Calendars

XI. Next Board Meetings

September 21, 2026	Regular Session	6:00PM	Administrative Office
October 5, 2026	Work Session	6:00PM	Administrative Office
October 19, 2026	Regular Session	6:00PM	Administrative Office

XII. Closed Session NC General Statute 143-318.11 (a)(1)(3)(6)