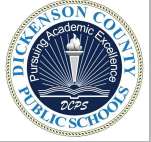


Dickenson County School Board Meeting



August 26, 2026
Ridgeview Middle School Auditorium

Agenda:

Agenda details:

I. CHAIR, Jamie Hackney: Roll Call and Meeting Called to Order

Pledge of Allegiance and Moment of Silence

Approval of Agenda

II. PUBLIC COMMENT

III. CONSENT AGENDA

a. Approval of Minutes

b. Approval of Monthly Bills

c. School Activity Fund

d. Approval of Field Trips

e. Approval of Bank Reconciliation Documents

f. Approval of Construction Invoices

IV. INFORMATION FOR THE BOARD

V. SUPERINTENDENT ROBINSON

g. Good News from our Schools

h. Approval of the Amended FY27 Budget

i. Certification of the 2026 - 2027 DCPS Crisis Plans

j. Update on the 10 Day 2026 - 2027 Student Enrollment

k. Approval of Proposed VSBA Policies

VI. BOARD COMMENT

VII. CLOSED SESSION, PURSUANT TO Section 2.2-3711, Paragraph A of the Code of Virginia, there will be a closed meeting for the purpose of:

1.) Employment issues relating to discussion or consideration of specific individuals for employment as an Assistant Principal, Part-Time Custodian, Part-Time Instructional Aides, Coaches, Substitutes, FMLA, and Resignations pursuant to Virginia Code Section 2.2-3711 (A) (1)

2.) Student early Graduation requests 2.2-3711 (A) (2)

3.) To consult with legal counsel regarding the investment of public funds associated with school construction and consultation regarding actual or probable litigation, along with consultation regarding specific matters requiring legal advice pursuant to Virginia Code 2.2-3711 (A) (6) (7) and (8) of the Code of Virginia.

VIII. ADJOURNMENT

Chair: Jamie Hackney

I. Roll Call and Meeting Called to Order

- Pledge of Allegiance and Moment of Silence
- Approval of Agenda.

II. Public Comment

III. Consent Agenda

(This agenda item will require Board action)

Review of Activity Funds

We recommend the School Board approve the attached minutes and monthly bill payables for July and August 2026. Please review this information and contact Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Lacie Edwards, or Mrs. Tonya Baker if you have any questions or concerns regarding the minutes, the expenditures, bills, financial report, or construction invoices.

- **Approval of Minutes**
Wednesday, July 22, 2026- DCPS Regular Monthly Meeting
- Approval of Monthly Invoices: Vendor Payment Check Register
- Approval of Monthly Invoices: After July Meeting Check Register
- Revenue/Expenditure Summary
- School Activity Fund School Activity Fund Audit Letter
- Field Trip Requests
- FMB Statement Construction

IV. Information for the Board

- ❖ 2026 VSBA Hybrid Legislative Advocacy Conference: September 17, 2026: Charlottesville, Va. or Virtual
- ❖ VSBA 2026 Annual Conference: November 18 - 20, 2026: Williamsburg, Virginia
- ❖ Wednesday, September 23, 2026: September School Board Meeting

If you are interested in participating in this conference, please contact Tonya Baker for more information and registration or lodging assistance.

Good News From Our Schools

V. Superintendent Robinson

g. Good News from our Schools

(This an informational/discussion agenda item for the School Board)

The Student School Board Member for the 2026 2027 school year will be introduced to the School Board Members.

The 2026 Tennis Team and Coaches will be formally recognized by the presentation of an individual trophy during the School Board Meeting.

Members of the Tennis State Championship Team are:

Danica Sutherland

Adrienne Potter

Josie Hill

Scotlin Bowens

Jaeda Dingus

Kinsley Yates

Calista Compton

Kylie Owens

Adam Smith (Head Coach)

Jaecey Dingus (Assistant Coach)

Approval of the Amended FY27 Budget

V. Superintendent Robinson

h. Approval of the Amended FY27 Budget

(This agenda item will require School Board Approval)

Lacie Edwards, Director of Business and Finance, will present the amended FY27 Budget and request approval.

DCPS FY 27 Budget adopted on 3/25/2026 was based on VDOE Calculation Tools Released in December 2025. Final Calculation Tool for FY 27 was released by VDOE on July 2, 2026.

This budget amendment will include the following updates to Revenue:

- State Revenue totals that align with VDOE Calculation Tool
- School Security Equipment Grant funds
- Final FY 26 Carryover Funds
- Final Federal Programs Allocations that have been released to date
- Updated School Food Service Estimated Revenue based on Enrollment
- Updated Required Local Match (RLM) plus additional award of \$250,000
- Addition of projected State revenue for out of district virtual students

This budget amendment will include the following updates to Expenditures:

- All Salaries, Wages, and Related Expenditure line items updated with most recent staffing totals
- Budgeted for 305.19 Full Time Staff and 80 Part Time
- Non-Payroll Related Expenditures updated based on available Revenue
- Food Products, Vehicle & Equipment Fuel, and Supplies line items increased over the prior year due to recent price increases
- The addition of \$145,000 for Capital Outlay Replacement – this is earmarked for the purchase of one new school bus or 2-3 used buses if they become available
- Capital Outlay Addition/Repair line item includes excess carryover funds that we hope to save for future use.

If you have any questions, please contact Lacie Edwards or Haydee Robinson

Certification of the 2026 - 2027 DCPS Crisis Plans

V. Superintendent Robinson

i. Certification of the 2026 - 2027 DCPS Crisis Plans

(This agenda item will require School Board Certification)

Karen Martin, Director of Compliance, will present the Crisis Plans to the School School and summarize the process for the completion of the school's Plan. After the presentation and summary, Virginia Code requires each school board member to certify that they have reviewed the plans by individually saying: "I certify" for the minutes.

Superintendent Haydee Robinson will ask members to certify.

If you have any questions, please reach out Karen Martin or Haydee Robinson.

[Ridgeview Elementary Crisis Plan](#)

[Ridgeview Middle School Crisis Plan](#)

[Ridgeview High School Crisis Plan](#)

[Wolfpack Education Center](#)

[District Level Crisis Plan](#)

[Athletic Emergency Action Plan](#)

[High School Cardiac Arrest Response Plan](#)

Update on the 10 Day 2026-2027 DCPS Student Enrollment

V. Superintendent Robinson

- j. **Update on the 10 Day 2026 - 2027 Student Enrollment**
(This an informational/discussion agenda item for the School Board)

Superintendent Haydee Robinson will present the update on the 10 Day 2026- 2027 DCPS Student Enrollment.

[Ten Day Enrollment by Grade](#)

[Ten Day Enrollment Report](#)

[School Enrollment Projections](#)

Approval of Proposed VSBA Policies

V. Superintendent Robinson

k. Approval of Proposed VSBA Policies

(This agenda item will require School Board Approval)

Karen Martin, Director of Compliance, will present and discuss the proposed VSBA policies. Many of the revisions are routine and include updates to legal references, terminology, cross-references, and language for clarity. Several policies were also reviewed as part of the regular five-year review cycle with little or no substantive change.

More significant revisions were made to policies addressing **School Board Powers and Duties, Public Participation at School Board Meetings, Procurement, Staff Time Schedules, Prohibition of Bullying and Abusive Work Environments, Teacher Removal of Students from Class, Student Education Records, and Service Animals**. These changes primarily ensure alignment with current state and federal laws and requirements.

Of particular note, **Policy JO – Student Education Records** received substantial revisions related to FERPA and Virginia FOIA compliance. Due to the extent of the revisions and reorganization, a redlined version was not provided.

We recommend approval of the proposed VSBA policies as presented.

If you have any questions, please contact Karen Martin or Haydee Robinson.

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V. Superintendent Robinson

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Board Comments

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Closed Session

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Adjournment

VIII. Adjournment