

REGULAR BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING  
East Hartford Board of Education  
Connecticut International Baccalaureate Academy  
Lecture Hall  
857 Forbes Street  
East Hartford, Connecticut

AGENDA

Monday  
February 4, 2008

## THE MISSION OF THE EAST HARTFORD PUBLIC SCHOOLS

The mission of the East Hartford Public Schools  
is to work in partnership with our diverse families and communities  
to educate all students to their fullest potential.

**OUR GOAL IS STUDENT SUCCESS!**

7:00 p.m.

### A. Procedural

1. Pledge of Allegiance
2. Call to Order and Roll Call
3. Amendments to Agenda
4. Approval of Minutes of Previous Meetings
  - a. Special Board of Education Meeting, January 22, 2008
  - b. Regular Board of Education Meeting, January 22, 2008
  - c. Special Board of Education Meeting, January 24, 2008
5. Written Communications to the Board of Education
6. Student Representative Reports
7. Public Participation
8. Informational Reports
  - a. Human Resources/Appointments/No Action Required
  - b. Presentation on Cambridge Report  
(Deborah Richards, Bureau Chief, Bureau of Accountability,  
Compliance and Monitoring)  
(Patrick Proctor, External Consultant for Connecticut  
State Department of Education)  
(Heather Levitt Doucette, Bureau of Accountability,  
Compliance and Monitoring)
  - c. Informational Report on The Connecticut Center for  
Advanced Technology (CCAT)  
(Elliot Ginsberg, President & CEO)  
(Sue Palisano, Director, Education Initiative)
  - d. Report on Connecticut State Space Grant Consortium -  
NASA-PLAN Teachers Academy  
(Melissa Gavarrino, Department Head, Science)
  - e. Presentation on the Status of Reading District wide  
(Debbie Kaprove, Assistant Superintendent)  
(Lesley Morgan-Thompson, Supervisor, Elementary  
Instruction)  
(Amy Radikas, Connecticut State Department of  
Education)

- f. Presentation on High School Guidance Department  
(Frank Staples, Department Head, Guidance, EHHS)  
(Matt Ryan, Principal, EHHS)

9. Committee Reports

- a. Chairperson/Superintendent's Reports
- b. Special Committee Reports
  - (1) Policy & Audit
  - (2) Curriculum
  - (3) Facilities
  - (4) Finance & Audit
  - (5) Future Planning

B. Business Needing Board Action  
Consent Calendar

1. Personnel

- a. To Approve Seven (7) Resignations

2. Old and Unfinished Business - None

3. New Business

- a. To Approve 2008-2009 School Calendar  
(Pauline Fusco, Principal, Sunset Ridge)
- b. To Approve the Department of Social Services Block Grant  
(Brian Reynolds, Director, Student Assistant Center)
- c. To Approve request for student trip to Paris, Barcelona  
and Madrid in 2009  
(John Bacon, East Hartford High School)
- d. To Approve Memorandum of Agreement between EHEA and EHBOE  
(Christopher Wethje, Director, Human Resources)  
(Jody Lefkowitz, Director, Pupil Personnel Services)

C. Internal Board Business  
Representative Reports:

- 1.
  - a. Capitol Region Education Council (CREC)
  - b. Child Plan
  - c. Early Childhood Programs
  - d. East Hartford/Glastonbury Magnet School
  - e. East Hartford/Glastonbury Magnet School Building  
Committee
  - f. International Baccalaureate Program
  - g. Two Rivers Middle School:  
A Science and Technology Magnet
  - h. Public Building Commission (PBC)
  - i. School/Business Partnership
  - j. Transportation

- k. Adopt-A-School
  - 1. No Child Left Behind (NCLB)
- 2. Public Participation
- 3. Questions and Concerns by Board Members
- 4. Topics for Future Agendas

D. Adjournment