

WESTFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
94 North Elm Street, Suite 201  
Westfield, MA

TO: Westfield School Committee

March 2, 2016

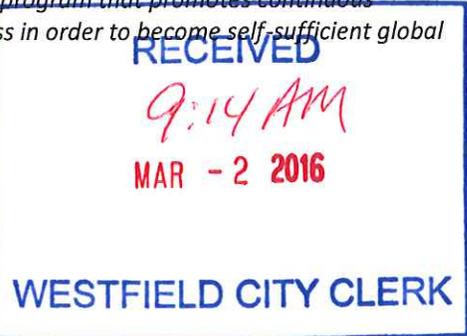
A regular meeting of the Westfield School Committee is scheduled for Monday, March 7, 2016, at 7:00 pm. The meeting will be held in the City Council Chambers at City Hall, 59 Court Street, Westfield, MA.

*District Vision*

*Westfield Public Schools will collaborate with families to provide a rigorous 21st century program that promotes continuous academic, emotional, and social growth and enables students to achieve personal success in order to become self-sufficient global citizens.*

**AGENDA**

1. Pledge of Allegiance
2. Public participation, excluding personnel - 3 minute maximum/30 minute total
3. South Middle School presentation
4. News about Westfield Technical Academy from student representatives
5. Approval of School Committee meeting minutes: (enclosures)
  - a. Special meeting, 1-28-2016
  - b. Regular meeting, 2-1-2016
  - c. Special meeting, 2-16-2016
6. Update on Superintendent Search
7. Approval of the Westfield Public Schools 2016-2017 school year calendar (enclosure)
8. DESE Center for District & School Accountability Preliminary Report
9. Approval of field trips: (enclosures)
  - a. South Middle School, Washington, DC, May 31- June 3, 2016
  - b. Westfield High School, Italy, April 14-22, 2017
  - c. Westfield High School, Spain, April 11-20, 2017
  - d. Westfield High School, Hartford Art School, West Hartford, CT, March 11, 2016
  - e. Westfield Technical Academy, Medieval Times, Lyndhurst, NJ and The Cloisters Museum, NYC, April 12, 2016
  - f. Westfield Technical Academy, True Colors Conference, University of Connecticut, Storrs, CT, March 18-19, 2016
  - g. Westfield Technical Academy, Aero Gear Inc., Windsor, CT, April 15, 2016
10. Massachusetts School Building Authority – Statement of Interests (enclosure)
11. Acceptance of Special Revenue Accounts, February 2016 (enclosure)
12. First reading, by title only, of policy File: KHA Public Solicitations in the Schools (enclosure)
13. Approval of Community Christian School as a private school for the 2015-2016 school year (enclosure)
14. Superintendent Goals – revision
15. Superintendent's Reports
  - a. Acceptance of gifts/donations
  - b. School Choice Fund Expenditure
  - c. Other
16. Mayor's update
17. Items for referral to subcommittees:
18. Old business:
19. Subcommittee Reports/Recommendations
  - a. Reports: none
  - b. Minutes: (1) Instruction & Curriculum Subcommittee, February 1, 2016  
(2) Educational Planning & Technology Subcommittee, February 1, 2016  
(3) Human Resources & Policy Subcommittee, January 4, 2016
20. Next regular School Committee meeting: March 21, 2016
21. Any other business that may properly come before the committee



Dr. Suzanne Scallion, Superintendent of Schools  
Clerk - Westfield School Committee

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