

North Canaan Board of Education

Regular Meeting

Canaan, Connecticut

April 20, 2021

6:30 PM

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Our Mission Statement: North Canaan Elementary School is dedicated to developing a collaborative community of learners who achieve academic excellence, exhibit social awareness, and demonstrate respect and responsibility.

Agenda:

- I. Call to order
- II. Consent Agenda
 - A. Minutes - [March 9, 2021, Regular Meeting](#)
 - B. Minutes - [April 5, 2021, Special Meeting](#)
- III. Public Comment - Agenda Items Only
- IV. CAS Student Art Awards
- V. Communications - Written
- VI. Region One Report - Mr. Bartram, North Canaan Representative
- VII. All Boards Chair Report - Mrs. Erin Drislane
- VIII. Update on Assistant Superintendent Search Process
- IX. Policies (1st reading)
 - A. [6000 Instruction \(Concept and Roles\)](#)
 - B. [6114.1 Fire Emergency \(Drills\)/Crisis Response Drills](#)
 - C. [6146 Graduation Requirements/Mastery-Based Learning](#)
 - D. [6153 Field Trips](#)
 - E. [6154 Homework/Make up Work](#)
 - F. [6161 Equipment, Books and Materials: Provision/Selection](#)
 - G. [6161.1 Evaluation/Selection of Instructional Materials](#)
 - H. [6161.2 Care of Instructional Materials](#)
 - I. [6162.51 Surveys of Students/Student Privacy](#)
 - J. [6163.1 Library Books and Library Materials](#)
 - K. [6171 Special Education Program](#)
 - L. [6176 Career and Vocational Education](#)

X. Action Items

- A. [6111 School Calendar](#)
- B. [6113 Release Time](#)
- C. [6114 Emergencies and Disaster Preparedness](#)
- D. [6114.3 Bomb Threats](#)
- E. [6120 Objectives of the Instructional Program](#)
- F. [6130 Organizational Plan](#)
- G. [6141.32 Technology and Instruction](#)
- H. [6141.321 Acceptable Use of the Internet, Other Computer Networks and Internet Safety](#)
- I. [6141.322 Website/Pages](#)
- J. [6143 Curriculum Guides](#)
- K. [6142.1 Health Education Program](#)
- L. [6145.2 Interscholastic Athletics](#)
- M. Agreement with the North Canaan Faculty Association regarding payment for directors of non-athletic activities after-school
- N. Building Management System using grant funds
- O. Paving Project
- P. New Hires: Hiring of a teacher assistant

XI. Administrative Reports

- A. [Principal's Report](#)
- B. [Assistant Superintendents' Report](#)
- C. [Superintendent's Report](#)

XII. Executive Session for the purpose of discussing a Memorandum of Agreement regarding a member of AFSCME Council 4, Local 1303-269 (action anticipated)

XIII. Public Comment

XIV. Adjournment

Public Comment: The Board welcomes public participation and asks that speakers please limit their comments to 3 minutes, which will be monitored. Speakers must introduce themselves and state the topic of their Comment. Speakers may offer objective comments of school operations and/or programs that concern them. To protect the impartiality of the Board, we will not permit any expression of personal complaints or defamatory comments about North Canaan Elementary School personnel or students, nor against any person connected with the Region One public schools. Such issues should be brought to the school building administration or the office of the Superintendent of Schools. The Board will not respond to comments made during Public Comment, except to clarify issues, if necessary. When appropriate, the school administration will follow-up at a later point in time, or in conjunction with the Board Chair, schedule a topic as an agenda item for a future Business Meeting of the North Canaan Board of Education.