

NEW MILFORD BOARD OF EDUCATION
New Milford Public Schools
50 East Street
New Milford, Connecticut 06776

COMMITTEE ON LEARNING
MEETING NOTICE

DATE:	June 1, 2021
TIME:	7:30 P.M.
PLACE:	Sarah Noble Intermediate School Library Media Center

While this is an in-person meeting for Board of Education members and district staff, due to COVID-19 restrictions on capacity and social distancing requirements that make public attendance impossible, members of the public will be permitted to attend the meeting via the Zoom link provided below. Closed captioning is available through Zoom.

There will be live public comment offered through the Zoom format for items on the agenda. Public comment may also be emailed to suptoffice@newmilfordps.org for distribution to Board members.

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AGENDA

New Milford Public Schools Mission Statement

The mission of the New Milford Public Schools, a collaborative partnership of students, educators, family, and community is to prepare each and every student to compete and excel in an ever-changing world, embrace challenges with vigor, respect and appreciate the worth of every human being, and contribute to society by providing effective instruction and dynamic curriculum, offering a wide range of valuable experiences, and inspiring students to pursue their dreams and aspirations.

- 1. Call to Order**
- 2. Public Comment**

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- A. A three-minute time limit may be allocated to each speaker with a maximum of twenty minutes being set aside per meeting. The Board may, by a majority vote, cancel or adjust these time limits.
- B. If a member of the public comments about the performance of an employee or a Board member, whether positive, negative, or neutral, and whether named or not, the Board shall not respond to such comments unless the topic is an explicit item on the agenda and the employee or the Board member has been provided with the requisite notice and due process required by law. Similarly, in accordance with federal law pertaining to student confidentiality, the Board shall not respond to or otherwise discuss any comments that might be made pertaining to students.

3. Discussion and Possible Action

- A. Presentation
 - 1. Phonemic Awareness
- B. Request for New Course
 - 1. Sports Literature
 - 2. Graphic Novels
 - 3. World History
 - 4. Modern World History
 - 5. African American/Black and Puerto Rican/Latino Course of Studies
- C. Review and Approval of Curricula
 - 1. Instrumental Music - Grades 6 and 7
 - 2. Instrumental Music - Grade 8
 - 3. Public Speaking
 - 4. English I College Prep
 - 5. English I Honors
 - 6. English II College Prep
 - 7. English II Honors
 - 8. Grade 4 Social Studies
 - 9. Grade 5 Social Studies
 - 10. Forensic Science

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5. Adjourn

Sub-Committee Members: Tammy McInerney, Chairperson
Joseph Failla
Brian McCauley
Vacancy

Alternates: Olga I. Rella
Pete Helmus