



ALLEGANY-LIMESTONE BOARD OF EDUCATION

TUESDAY, September 19, 2017



Board of Education Meeting

- 1) Call to Order
- 2) Pledge to Flag

CONGRATULATIONS AND CELEBRATIONS

ALES

- Under the direction of Tom Davis, Maren Bush, 5th grade teachers, and other staff, 5th graders enjoyed another year of learning, camaraderie, and fun at Science Camp! Thank you, ALCS, for sponsoring this overnight field trip.



CONGRATULATIONS AND CELEBRATIONS

Middle-High School

- Alice Li, Emmy Li, Meghan Brink, Gabby Sanzo, and Brooke Pecorella made sectional times in swimming.
- In August, four of Mrs. Heinz's Drawing and Painting students assisted with the painting of a mural in the stairwell of the Immanuel Christian Childcare Day Care and Pre School. Pictures of the mural will be in the next newsletter for all to enjoy.



District

- Congratulations on a **perfect** Fire Safety Inspection Report from all buildings-special thank you to Allen Backer



CONSENT AGENDA

- 4) Agenda Questions –
- 5) Consent Agenda



PUBLIC COMMENT





SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

1. Opening Enrollment
2. McKinney-Vento Homeless Student Status
3. Communications Plan
 - Parents are asked to update home phone numbers and email addresses through the Parent Portal. Emergency messages sent by School Messenger will use them.
 - We will conduct an Early Release Drill on Friday, October 20, 2017. All students will be dismissed 15 minutes early on that day.

ENROLLMENT #S													
GRADE	2010-2011	2011-2012	2012-2013	2013-2014	2014-2015	2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018	9/19/17	16-17 staff	16-17 size	17-18 staff	17-18 size
UPK								54	54				
K	101	81	85	80	85	84	81	72	69	4	20.3	4	17.3
1	98	101	80	83	80	82	89	81	74	5	17.8	4	18.5
2	88	102	100	83	83	74	83	89	82	4	20.8	4	20.5
3	102	85	100	105	83	81	77	83	81	4	19.3	4	20.3
4	92	106	84	100	105	86	81	77	71	4	20.3	4	17.8
5	89	87	111	88	100	105	93	81	80	4	23.3	4	20.0
ELEM.	570	562	560	539	536	512	504	537	511	25	20.2	24	21.3
6	86	88	96	118	88	106	111	93	90	4	27.8	4	22.5
7	99	81	92	92	118	96	112	111	93				
8	96	102	89	92	92	116	92	112	109				
MIDDLE	281	271	277	302	298	318	315	316	292				
9	91	95	103	83	92	91	116	92	85				
10	91	94	91	108	83	87	88	116	108				
11	122	92	84	90	108	85	91	88	86				
12	97	112	107	97	90	102	78	91	83				
HIGH	401	393	385	378	373	365	373	387	362				
MHS	682	664	662	680	671	683	688	703	654				
TOTAL	1252	1226	1222	1219	1207	1195	1192	1240	1165				



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McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act

New York's Education for Homeless Children and Youth program provides support to ensure that homeless children and youth have equal access to the same free, appropriate, public education - including public preschool - provided to other New York children, with the opportunity to meet the same challenging state content and student performance standards. Every school district, BOCES and charter school is required to have an LEA liaison whose duties include the removal of barriers to the enrollment, attendance and success of homeless children and youth in school.

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The McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. § 11431 et seq., "McKinney-Vento") applies to students in a wide range of temporary living situations, including shelters and emergency or transitional housing; students living in hotels, motels, trailer parks, or camp grounds due to lack of alternative adequate housing; ***and also to students who are "doubled up" with friends or relatives due to loss of housing, economic hardship, or similar reason.*** Unaccompanied youth who live in these types of arrangements are also included under the protection of the law. Students who are protected by McKinney-Vento are entitled to immediate enrollment in their school of origin or their local school, and full participation in school.



Major Changes to McKinney-Vento Relating to New School District Responsibilities

The McKinney-Vento Act as reauthorized by ESSA has several important changes related to the following topics:

1. School of Origin Includes Preschool and Feeder Schools
2. School Selection Best Interest Determination
3. Children Awaiting Foster Care Placement
4. Enrollment Deadlines
5. Ensure Continued Enrollment Pending Final Resolution of Dispute
6. Award Full or Partial Credit for Completed Coursework
7. Ensure Access to Academic and Extra-Curricular Activities
8. Eliminate Barriers Related to Outstanding Fees, Fines, or Absences
9. Provide Transportation for the Remainder of the School Year
10. College Readiness
11. Student Privacy
12. McKinney-Vento Liaison Responsibilities
13. Affirm Eligibility for HUD Homeless Assistance
14. Coordinate Special Education Services
15. Collect Data
16. Improve the Identification of Children and Youth Experiencing Homelessness

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Communications Plan

- Web page calendar improvements
- Parents are asked to update home phone numbers and email addresses through the Parent Portal. Emergency messages sent by School Messenger will use them.
 - Power outages and server problems may interrupt School Messenger's abilities. Check the TV and Radio stations.
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8) President's Report

9) Committee Reports

10) Correspondence





DISCUSSION

- Capital Project
- Final Reading Policy 7240- Student Records: Access and Challenge



ACTION ITEMS- BUSINESS

- Approve Revised Policy 7240-Student Records: Access and Challenge



ACTION ITEMS- PERSONNEL

- Resignation of 10th Grade Advisor
- Approval of Extracurricular Duty Stipends
- Approval of English 7-12 Teacher
- Approval of Revised Leave

- 14) New Business
- 15) Executive Session
- 16) Return to Regular Session
- 17) Adjournment

