

New Jersey State Board of Education
Wednesday, August 4, 2021
Agenda

9:00 a.m. Meeting convenes via teleconference and adjourns immediately to Executive Session to discuss personnel and legal issues.

10:00 a.m. Meeting reconvenes to consider the agenda.

Pledge of Allegiance

Approval of Minutes of The Meeting Conducted On:

- [July 14, 2021](#)

President's Reports

- Report of the New Permanent Student Representative, Maura Baker
- State Board Committee Reports

Commissioner's Reports

- [Honoring New Jersey Department of Education Retiring Employees](#)

Items for Consideration

**Items scheduled for a vote are marked with an asterisk.*

- *A. [Appointment\(s\)](#)
(Office of the Commissioner)

Commissioner's Recommendation:
That the State Board approve the appointment(s) pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:2.

- *B. [Certification of School Districts](#)
(Division of Field Services)

Commissioner's Recommendation:
That the State Board certify for a period of three years, those school districts recommended by the Commissioner, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A:7A-14a and b.

- C. [Resolution to Adopt Performance Level Cut Scores for Dynamic Learning Maps for English Language Arts, Mathematics \(grades 3-8 and 11\), and Science \(grades 5, 8 and 11\)](#)
(Division of Academics and Performance) [Presentation](#)

Discussion Resolution

Commissioner's Recommendation:
That the State Board discuss performance level cut scores for the Dynamic Learning Maps English Language Arts, Mathematics (grades 3-8 and 11), and Science assessments (grades 5, 8, and 11), pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:8-4.

D. [Resolution to Adopt Proficiency Level Cut Scores for ACCESS/Alternate ACCESS for English Language Learners \(ELLs\) Assessments \(grades K-12\)](#)
(Division of Academics and Performance)

Discussion Resolution

Commissioner's Recommendation:

That the State Board discuss proficiency level cut scores for ACCESS/Alternate ACCESS for ELLs assessments (grades K-12), pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:8-4.

E. [Resolution to Adopt New PRAXIS Tests and Qualifying Scores for the PRAXIS Tests and edTPA](#) [Presentation](#)
(Division of Academics and Performance)

Discussion Resolution

Commissioner's Recommendation:

That the State Board discuss new PRAXIS tests and qualifying scores for the PRAXIS tests for math, middle school math and middle school science and the qualifying scores for the EdTPA, pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:9B-8.2, 8.3 and 8.7.

***F. [Charter Schools](#)** [Presentation](#)
(Division of Field Services)

Adoption

Commissioner's Recommendation:

That the State Board readopt the regulations pertaining to N.J.A.C. 6A:11, Charter Schools, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A:36A-18 and N.J.S.A. 18A:4-15.

G. [Education for Homeless Children and Students in State Facilities](#) [Presentation](#)
(Division of Student Services)

Second Discussion

Commissioner's Recommendation:

That the State Board discuss the readoption with amendments pertaining to the rules at N.J.A.C. 6A:17, Education for Homeless Children and Students in State Facilities, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A:7B-1 et seq., 18A:7F-43 et seq., and 18A:38-1.d and 19, and the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, as amended by the Every Student Succeeds Act of 2015 (P.L. 115-141).

New Business

Adjournment

Public Testimony—Accepting Written Testimony Only

- Education of Homeless Students and Students in State Facilities (second discussion)