



State of New Jersey
STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

May 5, 2021

To: Members, State Board of Education

From: Kathy Goldenberg, President, State Board of Education

Subject: Resolution to Adopt the Calendar of State Board Meetings - July 2021 - June 2022

Attached is a draft resolution of meeting dates which lists the public meeting dates and public testimony sessions scheduled for July 2021 through June 2022. The resolution will be presented at both the May 5, 2021 public meeting at discussion level and again at the June 2, 2021 public meeting at adoption level. Due to past experiences with weather cancellations, four alternative dates have been added during the winter months to accommodate any need to cancel, see December**, January**, February** and March**.

The State Board Office considered the following to determine which Wednesday of each month is most suitable for meetings and for the three work sessions/open topic testimony:

Events

Rosh Hashanah (begins sundown Sept. 6)	Sept. 6-8, 2021
Yom Kippur (begins sundown Sept. 15)	Sept. 15-16, 2021
NJ Principals and Supervisors Conf., Atlantic City	Oct. 14-15, 2021
NJ School Boards Workshops, Atlantic City	Oct. 26-27, 2021
NASBE Annual Conference, Phoenix, AZ	Oct. 6-9, 2021
NJ Education Assoc. Convention, Atlantic City	Nov. 4-5, 2021
Hanukkah (begins sundown Nov. 28)	Nov. 28-Dec. 6, 2021
Passover (begins sundown Apr. 15)	Apr. 15-Apr. 22, 2022
NJASA/NJAPSA Spring Conf., Caesars Atlantic City	May 11-13, 2022

State Holidays

Fourth of July	Jul. 5, 2021
Labor Day	Sept. 6, 2021
Columbus Day	Oct. 11, 2021
Election Day	Nov. 2, 2021
Veteran’s Day	Nov. 11, 2021
Thanksgiving	Nov. 25, 2021
Christmas	Dec. 24, 2021
New Year’s Day	Dec. 31, 2021
Martin Luther King’s Birthday	Jan. 17, 2022
President’s Day	Feb. 21, 2022
Good Friday	Apr. 15, 2022
Memorial Day	May 30, 2022
Juneteenth Day	June 17, 2022

Please note again that three open topic public testimony sessions are scheduled for September 2021, January 2022, and May 2022.

Please review these dates in anticipation of our discussion at the May 5, 2021 board meeting and let Diane Shoener know if a date should be changed for this schedule of regular business meetings and testimony sessions.



**Discussion Resolution
May 5, 2021**

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Resolution

Annual Calendar of State Board Meeting/Public Testimony Dates

Whereas, N.J.S.A. 18A:4-7 states that, the State Board of Education shall hold public meetings at least once each month at such times as its rules may prescribe and at such other times and such places within the state as in its judgment may be necessary, but no meeting may commence later than 8:00 p.m.; and

Whereas, N.J.A.C. 6A:1-2.2 requires that such meetings be held at such time, place, and on such dates as established by the State Board, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 10:4-6 et seq., Open Public Meetings Act, and notice of such meetings shall be made in a manner consistent with the law; now therefore be it

Resolved, that the State Board establishes the following dates for its monthly business meetings and public testimony sessions for the 2021-2022 school year and directs that a copy of the dates be sent to the Governor, the Secretary of State, the news media, the executive county superintendents, and the State Board agenda subscribers.

Regular Public Business Meetings/Public Testimony Sessions 2021-2022

July 14	November 3	March 2
August 4	December 1	April 6
September 8	January 5	May 4
October 6	February 2	June 1

***Open Topic Testimony Sessions 2021-2022**

*September 8	*January 5	*May 4
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****Alternate Board Meeting Dates in The Event of Snow Cancellations**

**December 15	**January 19	**February 16	**March 16
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Notice of changes in the above will be made in compliance with the requirements of the Open Public Meetings Act.

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Kathy Goldenberg, President
N.J. State Board of Education