

School Committee Meeting Agenda

May 6, 2024

6:15 pm

Harvard Public Schools is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Pursuant to Chapter 2 of the Acts of 2023, An Act Making Appropriations for the Fiscal Year 2023 to Provide for Supplementing Certain Existing Appropriations and for Certain Other Activities and Projects, and signed into law on March 29, 2023, this meeting will be conducted via remote participation. Interested individuals can listen in and participate by phone and/or online by following the link and phone number below.

Zoom Link:

<https://psharvard-org.zoom.us/j/82399294630?pwd=bXVtK1hwbzFpRGIPVmpObUdFWmxVUT09>

Meeting ID: 823 9929 4630

Passcode: 886335

1. Welcome and call to order - SC Chair (1m)
2. Read Vision Statement and Core Value (1m) – **Value Individuals and Relationships:** • We value students as individuals and respect their distinct contributions and perspectives. • We recognize that students learn, grow, and define success in different ways. • We strive to develop positive relationships through respect, trust, and active listening
3. Student update (5m)
4. Public commentary (10m)
5. Superintendent update (10m)
6. School finance contract (VOTE) (15m)
7. Policy review (VOTE) (25m)
8. Summer meeting schedule (5m)
9. Routine Business (20m)
 - a. Grant/Club/Field Trip approval (VOTE)
 - b. Future meeting dates and agenda items
 - c. Minutes approval
 - d. SC Liaison and SubCommittee Reports
 - e. Public commentary
 - f. School Committee commentary
10. Executive Session

MGL chapter 30 A section 21(a), #3: To discuss strategy with respect to collective bargaining with SEIU, Local 888, representing the Harvard Learning Assistants because an open meeting may have a detrimental effect on the bargaining position of the school committee. The School Committee will adjourn in Executive Session and will not return to public session.

*Vision Statement: We commit to providing a high-quality education centered around dynamic learning and personal well-being in a community where everyone can **find belonging**.*