

Woodbridge Board of Education WBOE
Retreat
Monday, July 20, 2026 7:15 PM

Superintendent's Conference Room

Agenda

- I. **Call to Order**
- II. **Superintendent's Report**
- III. **Conduct 2025/26 Board Self-Evaluation**
- IV. **Goal Setting**
 - A. Review, discuss and update the Board's Vision, Mission and Goals
- V. **2026/27 Planning**
 - A. WBOE Meeting Topics (Draft)
 - B. Committee Schedule
- VI. **Adjournment**

2024/25 VISION / MISSION & GOALS

Mission – To create and foster a learning community that prepares children to be flexible, lifelong learners, and responsible global citizens.

Vision – To empower and inspire future leaders who will positively impact our world.

Goals

Student Growth and Success – To promote and foster high expectations for student growth, active learning, and academic excellence for all learners.

Community – To foster a strong sense of community.

Voted by the WBOE on August 19, 2024

Mission Goals Objectives

Vision, Mission, Beliefs

Mission Statement

Beecher Road School is a caring, creative community that models and inspires the joy of lifelong learning, embraces diversity, and celebrates the unique qualities of each person.

Vision Statement

To provide a dynamic educational environment that challenges and empowers students to persevere as innovators and collaborators in preparation for their role as responsible global citizens.

Beliefs

We believe that⃛

- All students can learn and it is the responsibility of our school system to provide the supports needed to reach high standards and success.
- Academic skills must meet the expectations of the CT Core Standards. The skills and attributes needed for success in the 21st century include critical thinking, collaboration, creativity, curiosity, problem solving, and citizenship.
- Meeting academic, artistic, behavioral, social, emotional, and physical needs is essential in educating the whole child.
- We have a responsibility to prepare our students for a rapidly changing world that includes the integration and use of technology.
- Our educational community will continue to grow and improve when all our staff members are expected and supported to learn.
- Our district has a responsibility to inform and engage the community as partners in education.
- Fiscal responsibility is a foundational tenet of our school system.

Legal Reference: Connecticut General Statutes

10-22 Duties of Boards of Education

Policy adopted: June 19, 2017

WOODBIDGE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Woodbridge, Connecticut

Mission Goals Objectives

District Goals

The Woodbridge Public School System is committed to increasing student achievement by:

- Improving the quality of curriculum and instruction.
- Providing a safe and supportive environment in which everyone behaves responsibly and respectfully towards others.
- Providing the facilities necessary to conduct an educational program of the highest quality ensuring the most stimulating and effective learning environment.
- Providing effective communication with students, staff, parents and the community at large.
- Examining and evaluating the effectiveness of all district programs from both student achievement and fiscal perspectives, supported by the analysis of data.

Policy adopted: June 17, 2019

WOODBRIIDGE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Woodbridge, Connecticut

WOODBIDGE BOARD OF EDUCATION

COMMITTEE ROSTER

September 1, 2026 – June 30, 2027

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3rd Monday of the Month, 7:00 PM
Jul 20, Aug 17, Sep 22, Oct 19, Nov 16
Dec 21, Jan 19*, Feb 22, Mar 15,
Apr 19, May 18*, Jun 21
(*Tuesday)

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Oct. 7, Dec 2, Feb 3, Apr 7, Jun 2
(1st Wednesday)

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Sep 3, Nov 5, Jan 6, Mar 4, May 6
(1st Thursday)

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Meeting Time: 4:30 PM / Dates
Sep 8*, Oct 13*, Nov 9, Dec 14,
Jan 11, Feb 8, Mar 8, Apr 5**,
May 10, Jun 14 (2nd Monday)
* 2nd Tuesday / **1st Monday

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(1st Monday)

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