



### Agenda

## **WATERTOWN BOARD OF EDUCATION Monday, June 28, 2021 - 7:30 PM**

**MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC CAN ATTEND IN PERSON  
AT  
Watertown High School Lecture Hall, 324 French Street, Watertown, CT  
Please rsvp to [QUESTIONS@WATERTOWNPS.ORG](mailto:QUESTIONS@WATERTOWNPS.ORG) to reserve a seat.**

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**Board of Education Meeting Materials Link  
<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1WNwFvgsYCs65Sg3INxx6i6EGwMfCbXd1wi9cXNmXifI/edit>**

- A. Convene**
- B. Pledge of Allegiance**
- C. Roll Call**
- D. Minutes**  
Board of Education Regular Meeting – June 14, 2021
- E. Superintendent's Recommendations and Report**

#### **1. Appointments (Information Only)**

#### **Extended School Year (ESY) - Session 1A /June 28-July 22, 2021**

The following teachers have been appointed to session 1-A at John Trumbull Primary School. The program will run three hours daily, Monday through Thursday. The salary for this position is \$38.00 per hour.

Kelly Bainer  
Sarah Deleo  
Jennifer Garzone  
Pauline Lagasse  
Samantha McQueenie

Michaela Morris  
Bryanna Murphy  
Paula Puma

The following paraprofessionals have been appointed to session 1-A at John Trumbull Primary School. The program will run three hours daily Monday through Thursday. The salary for this position is per contract rate.

Lori Birtwistle  
Kristen Campanella  
April Cummings  
Melissa DiBiase  
Susan DiStasi  
Dana DeLuca  
Barbra Engelhard

Cheryl Ferraro  
Colleen Ferrucci  
Susan Fleming  
Jennifer Jalbert  
Catherine Keenan  
Tatjana Lafreniere  
Kathy Lopes

Camille Santopietro  
Lori Santopietro  
Marissa Sinopoli  
Karen Sturges

Ms. Brianna Hunt has been appointed to the speech & language pathologist position, session 1-A. The program will run three hours daily, Monday through Thursday, at an hourly rate of \$68.00.

Ms. Catherine Walsh has been appointed to the school psychologist position, session 1-A. The program will run three hours daily, Monday through Thursday, at an hourly rate of \$68.00.

Ms. Sofia Flamengo has been appointed to the social worker position, session 1-A. The program will run three hours daily, Monday through Thursday, at an hourly rate of \$68.00.

**Extended School Year (ESY) - Session 1B (June 28 – July 22, 2021)**

Ms. Sara Blatherwick has been appointed to the speech & language pathologist position, session 1-B. The program will run four-and-a half hours daily, Monday through Thursday, at an hourly rate of \$68.00.

**Extended School Year (ESY) - Session 2 (August 2-August 12, 2021)**

The following people have been appointed to teaching positions session 2. The program will run three hours daily, Monday through Thursday, at an hourly rate of \$38.00.

Bryanna Murphy  
Jennifer Garzone

The following paraprofessionals have been appointed to session 2. The program will run three hours daily, Monday through Thursday, per contract step.

Melissa DiBiase  
Susan DiStasi  
Colleen Ferrucci

Marissa Sinopoli  
Susan Fleming

Ms. Rachel Freimuth has been appointed to the speech & language pathologist position, session 2. The program will run three hours daily, Monday through Thursday, at an hourly rate of \$68.00.

**Title 1 Academic Summer Program-June 22-July 29, 2021 (Virtual)**

The following teachers have been appointed to the Title I Academic Summer Program, K-5 for Watertown Public Schools. The salary for this position is \$38.00 per hour Monday-Thursday.

Hannah Collier  
Jenifer Caprari  
Erika Daley

Leisha Eckerlin  
Emily Freundt  
Jennifer Mancel

Cassie Mineo  
Gary Pflomm

Alison Sklanka  
Karie Stango

Danielle Sullo  
Danielle Taylor

**Title 1 Academic Summer School – June 22- July 21, 2021**

The following teachers have been assigned Title I Academic Summer School Program Grades 6 & 7, ELA & Mathematics for Watertown Public Schools, the salary for this position is \$38.00 per hour.

Rachel Brochu  
Jennifer Shea  
Melissa Snow

Ms. Kerry Brickel has been appointed to the position of School Psychologist at Watertown High School, effective August 16, 2021, at a salary of \$85,511.00, Step 13, 6<sup>th</sup> year degree, per the Watertown Education Association.

2. Transfer – (Information Only)

Ms. Cynthia Romano from the position of full-time library clerk at Swift Middle School, to .5 at John Trumbull and .5 at Swift Middle School.

**F. Public Participation - (The subject of your comments should be limited to the re-opening plan), please state your name, and address.**

**G. Items of Discussion:**

- a) First Draft of the Watertown Public Schools Re-Opening Plan
- b) Summer School Update
- c) 2% Non-Lapsing Fund C.G.S. 10-248a (Unexpended Education Funds Account)

**H. Quarterly Report**

Quarter three status report.

**I. Updated Board Policies - Second Reading**

The following policies will be presented to the Board tonight for a second reading and for Board approval:

**Students -Series 5000**

- a) 5100R-1 Students-Administrative Regulations Regarding Health Assessments/Screening & Oral Health.
- b) 5060 Students-Food Allergies/Glycogen Storage Disease.

**J. Communications - Secretary**

**K. Committee Reports:**

Curriculum and Instruction Committee, Ms. Cathie Rinaldi, Chair  
Policy and Labor Committee, Ms. Janelle Wilk, Chair  
Budget and Finance Committee, Mr. Robert Makowski  
Facilities/PBC/Operations Committee, Leslie Crotty  
Governance and Community Engagement Committee, Mr. Robert Makowski, Chair

**L. Report from the Board Chair**

**M. Action Items – Adoption of items to be Approved by Consent**

- 1) Consideration of the Approval of Board of Education Policies for Watertown Public Schools-Second Reading.

The Board of Education met on June 14, 2021 to discuss the above updated policies.

It is recommended that the board approve of the updated policies, effective June 29, 2021.

- 2) Consideration to Approve the Appropriation Request to work with the Town of Watertown to Create A Resolution for a 2% Non-Lapsing Fund C.G.S. 10-248a (Unexpended Education Funds Account)

It is recommended that the board approve of the request to work with the Town to create a resolution for a 2% Non-Lapsing Fund C.G.S. 10-248a (Unexpended Education Funds Account).

- 3) Consideration of the Approval of Acceptance of a Gift

Ms. Maureen Garceau donated an Alto Saxophone to Swift Middle School, at an estimated value of \$580.00.

It is recommended that the Board accept this generous donation and a letter of appreciation be sent to the donor.

**N. Future Agenda Items and Board Members' Comments**

**O. Public Participation (Please state name, address and topic of discussion)**

**P. Adjourn**