



# SALEM SCHOOL DISTRICT

200 Hartford Road, Salem, CT 06420

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April 5, 2023

Dear Salem School District Families:

This communication is being sent to update all Salem School District Families on the 2023-2024 Salem School District Budget.

On March 9, 2023 the Salem Board of Education presented the school district budget to the Board of Finance (BOF). At the meeting, the BOF adopted the presented budget of \$ \$11,392,501, a .58% increase from this year's budget.

On March 23, 2023 the BOF voted to reduce the Board of Education budget by \$88,000, a decrease resulting in a -.02% budget.

At this past Monday's Board of Education meeting, the Board of Education voted to reduce the \$88,000 from the Board of Education Budget (as required by the BOF reduction).

The next step of the budget process is the Public Hearing scheduled for Wednesday, April 12th in the Salem School Multi-Purpose Room at 7pm. This is the last opportunity for the BOF to increase the school budget. All residents and families are welcome to attend next week's Public Hearing.

For families who are unable to attend next week's Public Hearing, please feel free to provide feedback on the school budget by [clicking here](#) to complete a brief feedback form.

**Salem School Budget WebPage** - [click here](#) to access all budget presentations and budget related communications.

**Public Hearing Save the Date** - [click here](#) for the save the date flyer.

Please know that Salem School District is committed to maintaining high quality and stable programming for our students and families while also attracting and retaining the very best staff.

As always, thank you for your support and partnership.

Sincerely,

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Superintendent

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