



## WPSBA Ethical Commitment

The Westchester Putnam School Boards Association (WPSBA) is committed to upholding the mission and values of our organization in part through articulating an ethical commitment for our Board, staff, and members throughout Westchester and Putnam counties. We expect that our Board, staff, and all participants in our events will commit to the ethical standards outlined here.

On behalf of WPSBA and our member Boards of Education, we are committed to:

- Treating every individual with dignity and respect
- Communicating and interacting in a civil and professional manner
- Acting honestly, and with integrity
- Appropriately handling actual or apparent conflicts of interest (see Conflict of Interest policy)
- Being responsible and accountable for all of our actions
- Acting responsibly and for the benefit of all the school districts we represent
- Supporting the adopted mission and goals of WPSBA
- Serving as role models for students

The WPSBA Board of Directors may take such actions it deems necessary and appropriate to address the failure of any individual to comply with the commitments listed above.