

Boston Elementary School

DATE: 9/16/2025

MEETING TIME: 8:30 AM

MEETING LOCATION: A10

MEETING CALLED BY	Dr. Celeice Hood
TYPE OF MEETING	Regular Meeting
PRINCIPAL	Dr. Celeice Hood
NOTE TAKER	Jen Jones
BOARD ATTENDEES	Alycia Stokes, Erin Reece, Korey Montgomery, Jennifer Wade, Ardis Lussier, Jen Jones, Celeice Hood
GUEST ATTENDESS	None

Agenda Items

TOPIC: Start the Meeting & Approval of Agenda

PRESENTER: Dr. Hood

DISCUSSION		
The agenda for today's meeting was reviewed.		
CONCLUSIONS		
The meeting agenda was approved without changes.		
Motion to Accept	Nomination/Second	Quorum?
Motion to Begin Meeting - Alycia Stokes	Erin Reece	Yes
Motion to Approve Agenda - Alycia Stokes	Erin Reece	Yes

TOPIC: Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes

PRESENTER: Dr. Hood

DISCUSSION		
The minutes from the last school council meeting were reviewed.		
CONCLUSIONS		
Minutes approved without changes.		
Motion to Accept	Nomination/Second	Quorum?
Motion to Approve Minutes - Korey Montgomery	Erin Reece	Yes

TOPIC: School Council Training

PRESENTER: Dr. Hood

DISCUSSION
The council members viewed the School Council training presentation. Council members are encouraged to ask questions as needed while viewing the video. After the video, CCSD School Council by-laws were reviewed.
CONCLUSIONS

At the conclusion of the video, by-laws were reviewed and approved. Officer positions were described, nominated, and elected.

Officers Elected	First/Second	Quorum?
Motion to Approve By-Laws	Motion to Approve - Erin Reece Second - Korey Montgomery	Yes
Chair - Korey Montgomery	Nomination - Jen Jones Second - Alycia Stokes	Yes
Vice-Chair - Jennifer Wade	Nomination - Jennifer Wade Second - Jen Jones	Yes
Secretary - Jen Jones	Nomination - Celeice Hood Second - Alycia Stokes	Yes

TOPIC: Traits of an Effective Principal

PRESENTER: Dr. Hood

DISCUSSION		
Dr. Hood presented the council with LKES performance indicators, and the council chose which traits would be most critical for Boston Elementary School's principal to exhibit.		
CONCLUSIONS		
The 2025-2026 Traits of an Effective Principal for Boston Elementary were drafted to be published along with meeting minutes. Key Indicators were: 1.3, 1.4, 1.6, 1.7, 2.5, 2.6, 2.7, 3.4, 3.5, 4.2, 4.4, 4.5, 4.9, 5.1, 5.5, 5.6, 5.8, 6.2, 6.4, 6.6, 7.1, 7.7, 7.8, 7.11, 8.2, 8.3, 8.4, 8.7.		
These qualities will be compiled into a one-pager and sent to the council for review and approval at the next meeting.		
Motion to Accept	First/Second	Quorum?
N/A		

TOPIC: Report of the Principal

PRESENTER: Dr. Hood

DISCUSSION		
Boston's School Improvement Plan was shared with the school council. Dr. Hood and ILS were asked to share their role in the improvement plan. We discussed each goal and action step as it pertained to student success and academic achievement.		
CONCLUSIONS		
Participants had no further questions regarding the School Improvement Plan.		
Motion to Accept	First/Second	Quorum?
N/A		

TOPIC: Old Business

PRESENTER: All

DISCUSSION		
No old business was discussed.		
CONCLUSIONS		

N/A		
Motion to Accept	First/Second	Quorum?
N/A		

TOPIC: New Business

PRESENTER: N/A

DISCUSSION		
<p>PTA Funds: It is possible to repave the recess area at the back area of the school between the playground and the fence. The process would begin with CCSD Facilities to determine what is allowable from a district perspective. Dr. Hood has been working on the drainage issues on the back side of our campus, but until the drainage issue is corrected, we will pause on more beautification on this part of our campus.</p> <p>Other ideas: Adding more devices, possibly a laptop cart with devices for checkout, and even a mural between the music and art rooms.</p> <p>Bells Ferry Construction Project: We also discussed the Bells Ferry Road construction project, and its possible implications on our enrollment.</p> <p>PTA Food Drive: The food drive will happen again this year. It was very successful last year. We discussed the possibility of providing financial donations to purchase fresh fruit and vegetables. We did the Gratitude Grams last year and donated the funds to the Etowah Food Pantry.</p>		
CONCLUSIONS		
<p>We will continue to revisit these items in the future once more information is obtained about the work done through facilities and the Cherokee County project happening on Bells Ferry Road.</p>		
Motion to Accept	First/Second	Quorum?
N/A		

AJOURNMENT	Motion: Korey Montgomery Second: Ardis Lussier Quorum? Yes
TIME	9:55 AM
NEXT MEETING	Tuesday, December 9, 2025 at 8:30 AM