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Board Agenda

Saturday, November 15, 2025. 9:00am

I. Call to Order

II. Roll Call

III. Review minutes from the previous meeting on Saturday, October 18, 2025

IV. NLAE Mission and Vision

V. NLAE Updates

○ Past Events

- Poppin' Popcorn Fundraiser (SWCC) ended November 7, 2025
- Early Release & Fall Parent/Teacher Conferences: October 22 and 23, 2025
- Red Ribbon Week: October 23 - 31, 2025
- Fall Individual Pictures: October 24, 2025
- Career Day: October 27 & 28, 2025
- United Way Spirit Day: October 29 and November 7, 2025
- Re-Enrollment Started November 3, 2025
- Digital Learning Day #2: November 4, 2025
 - Explicit Vocabulary Instruction
 - Supplemental Instruction (SI) Strategies Training
 - MTSS Implementation Workshop
- GCPS Representative Visit: November 10, 2025
- Principal for a Day: November 11, 2025

○ Upcoming Events

- Staff Celebration: November 18, 2025
 - SWCC Special Recognition
- Thanksgiving Break: November 24-28, 2025
- Holiday Shop: December 1, 2025
- Fall Picture Retakes: December 5, 2025
- Royal Court Coronation: December 9, 2025
- National Beta Club Induction Ceremony: December 10, 2025
- Middle School Holiday Concert: December 11, 2025
- Game Night at the Elementary School: December 12, 2025
- End of Year Staff Celebration: December 16, 2025
- Re-Enrollment ends, Open Enrollment Begins: December 19, 2025



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VI. Enrollment

- Current Enrollment for SY 2025-2026
- Re-Enrollment Period: *November 3, 2025 - December 19, 2025*
- *Open Enrollment Period: December 19, 2025 - January 30, 2026*

VII. Positive Behavioral Interventions and Support (PBIS)

- November Lesson: Respect

VIII. School Nutrition Program

- Free and Reduced Lunch (FRL Eligibility Data)
 - 61.1% Total Free/Reduced Lunch
- Verification completed
- Contract Amendment/Addendum request in progress with GaDOE
 - State Agency will need to approve amendment to contract as long as the value of the contract does not change drastically. If the amendment significantly impacts the value of the contract, the State Agency will recommend the drafting of a new RFP.
- Average Daily Participation: 40% (248 students)

IX. Assessments

- Interim District Assessment data
- Mid-Year District Assessments: December 15 - 19, 2025
- iReady data
- 2025 CCRPI data

X. Academic Updates

- Multi-Tiered System of Support (MTSS) Implementation

XI. Employee Services

- Teacher Evaluations in progress

XII. Financial Update

- Financial Report
- Employee Stipend



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XIII. Board Updates

- Georgia School Board Association (GSBA) Pre-Conference
 - December 3, 2025
- Georgia School Board Association (GSBA) Conference
 - December 4 - 5, 2025

XIV. Adjournment