

**LEWISTOWN PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
SPECIAL BOARD MEETING**

**Lincoln Board Room**  
215 Seventh Avenue South  
Lewistown, Montana 59457

**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4, 2026**

**CALL TO ORDER (5:30 P.M.)**

1. Roll Call
2. Pledge of Allegiance

**EXECUTIVE SESSION**

3. Student Discipline Hearing

**ACTION ITEMS-OPEN SESSION**

4. Action on Discipline Hearing

**PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

5. Recognition of Parents, Patrons, and Others Who  
Wish to Address the Board on Non-Agenda Items

**ADJOURNMENT**

## **PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

The Board of Education encourages participation at public School Board meetings. Under normal circumstances it is desirable to allow everyone to address the Board. However, when there are many persons who wish to address the Board, the following rules shall apply to protect the public's right to be heard:

- Speaker must first be recognized by the Chair and identify him/herself.
- Comments may not infringe on the rights to privacy of another.
- Each speaker shall be allowed a presentation not to exceed three (3) minutes at the appropriate time on the Agenda.
- There will be a limit of one presentation per person.
- The Board requests that organizations and groups be represented by a single spokesperson. The spokesperson for each group shall be limited to a presentation of three (3) minutes. To save repetition and time, the Board also requests that persons not speak if a previous speaker has expressed a similar position on the same issue.
- Appropriate comments are welcome but no action is likely to be taken at this time to ensure that others have the opportunity to address the same issue also. Items discussed may, at the discretion of the Board, be placed on a later agenda.
- The Board will accept comments from the public on each agenda item as it is discussed.

By a majority vote of the Board, these rules may be suspended for special reasons at any particular meeting. Further, the Board may reserve the right to adjust the length of time.

# **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

As per the provisions of 2-3-203  
Montana Codes Annotated.

The Board Chair,  
will now call for an Executive Session  
deeming the demands of individual privacy  
clearly exceed the merits of public disclosure.

All parties not involved in the Executive  
Session are asked to leave the Board Room  
at this time.

LEWISTOWN PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
Lewistown, Montana

**BOARD AGENDA ITEM**

**#3**

MEETING DATE: MARCH 4, 2026

ITEM TITLE: **EXECUTIVE SESSION—STUDENT DISCIPLINE HEARING**

PREPARED BY: **BRAD MOORE, SUPERINTENDENT**

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**SUMMARY:**

Superintendent Brad Moore and Lewistown Junior High School Principal Jeff Friesen will present to the Board of Trustees information on the recommendation for the discipline hearing.

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☐ Additional Information Attached

NOTES:

LEWISTOWN PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
Lewistown, Montana

**BOARD AGENDA ITEM**

**#4**

**MEETING DATE:** MARCH 4, 2026

**ITEM TITLE:** ACTION ON DISCIPLINE HEARING

**PREPARED BY:** BRAD MOORE, SUPERINTENDENT

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**SUMMARY:**

The Board of Trustees needs to vote on whether to accept, reject or modify the recommendation.

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☐ **Additional Information Attached**

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**NOTES:**

LEWISTOWN PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
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**BOARD AGENDA ITEM**  
**#5**

**MEETING DATE:** MARCH 4, 2026

**ITEM TITLE:** REGONITION OF PARENTS, PATRONS, AND OTHERS WHO WISH TO ADDRESS  
THE BOARD ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS

**PREPARED BY:** \_\_\_\_\_

**SUMMARY:**

Time is provided on the agenda for anyone who wishes to address the Board on non-agenda items.

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☐ **Additional Information Attached**

**NOTES:**

LEWISTOWN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

2025-2026 SCHOOL CALENDAR

| AUGUST 2025 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|-------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| S           | M  | T  | W  | T  | F  | S  |
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| 10          | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 |
| 17          | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 |
| 24          | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 |
| 31          |    |    |    |    |    |    |

| SEPTEMBER 2025 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
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| 14             | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| 21             | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 |
| 28             | 29 | 30 |    |    |    |    |

| OCTOBER 2025 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
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| 12           | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 |
| 19           | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 |
| 26           | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 |    |

| NOVEMBER 2025 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
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| 16            | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 |
| 23            | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 |
| 30            |    |    |    |    |    |    |

| DECEMBER 2025 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
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| 14            | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| 21            | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 |
| 28            | 29 | 30 | 31 |    |    |    |

| JANUARY 2026 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
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| 11           | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 |
| 18           | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 |
| 25           | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 |

| FEBRUARY 2026 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
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| MARCH 2026 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
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| 22         | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 |
| 29         | 30 | 31 |    |    |    |    |

| APRIL 2026 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
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| 12         | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 |
| 19         | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 |
| 26         | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 |    |    |

| MAY 2026 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
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| 10       | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 |
| 17       | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 |
| 24       | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 |
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| JUNE 2026 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
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| 14        | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| 21        | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 |
| 28        | 29 | 30 |    |    |    |    |

| JULY 2026 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
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| 12        | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 |
| 19        | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 |
| 26        | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 |    |

PIR DAYS

(Pupil Instruction-Related)

August 15

August 18-19

October 16-17

Oct 27-30, Nov 3-6

March 23-27

May 11

New Staff Orientation

All Staff Orientation/PIR

Staff Development Days

Teachers Convention (Missoula)

Parent-Teacher Conferences

Schedules vary by school

PIR Nov 7

Parent-Teacher Conferences

Schedules vary by school

Full school days for students

PIR Day

HOLIDAYS & VACATIONS

No School for Teachers or Students

September 1

November 26-28

Dec 22 - Jan 2

February 27

March 13

April 2-6

May 25

Labor Day

Thanksgiving Vacation

Winter Break

Vacation Day

Vacation Day

Easter Vacation

Memorial Day

New Teacher Orientation

First/Last Day of School

K-3 First Day

K-8 Quarter Ends

K-8 Qtr Mid-Term

K-8 Semester Ends

Early Out (1:30 pm)

PIR Day

No School (Day Off/No School)

Paid Holiday (Day Off/No School)

Flex Day (No School for Students)

FHS Quarter Ends

FHS Qtr Mid-Term

FHS Semester Ends

FHS Graduation

PT Conferences

PUPIL INSTRUCTION (INCLUDING FLEX DAYS)

| First Semester |         |    |         |    | 91 days | Second Semester |          |    |          |    | 88 days        |
|----------------|---------|----|---------|----|---------|-----------------|----------|----|----------|----|----------------|
| FIRST QUARTER  |         |    |         |    | DAYS    | THIRD QUARTER   |          |    |          |    | DAYS           |
| First Week     | Aug 20  | to | Aug 22  | 3  |         | First Week      | Jan 19   | to | Jan 23   | 5  |                |
| Second Week    | Aug 25  | to | Aug 29  | 5  |         | Second Week     | Jan 26   | to | Jan 30   | 5  |                |
| Third Week     | Sept 2  | to | Sept 5  | 4  |         | Third Week      | Feb 2    | to | Feb 6    | 5  |                |
| Fourth Week    | Sept 8  | to | Sept 12 | 5  |         | Fourth Week     | Feb 9    | to | Feb 13   | 5  |                |
| Fifth Week     | Sept 15 | to | Sept 19 | 5  |         | Fifth Week      | Feb 16   | to | Feb 20   | 5  |                |
| Sixth Week     | Sept 22 | to | Sept 26 | 5  |         | Sixth Week      | Feb 23   | to | Feb 26   | 4  |                |
| Seventh Week   | Sept 29 | to | Oct 3   | 5  |         | Seventh Week    | March 2  | to | March 6  | 5  |                |
| Eighth Week    | Oct 6   | to | Oct 10  | 5  |         | Eighth Week     | March 9  | to | March 12 | 4  |                |
| Ninth Week     | Oct 13  | to | Oct 15  | 3  |         | Ninth Week      | March 16 | to | March 20 | 5  |                |
| Tenth Week     | Oct 20  | to | Oct 24  | 5  |         |                 |          |    |          | 43 |                |
|                |         |    |         | 45 |         |                 |          |    |          |    |                |
| SECOND QUARTER |         |    |         |    | DAYS    | FOURTH QUARTER  |          |    |          |    | DAYS           |
| First Week     | Oct 27  | to | Oct 31  | 5  |         | First Week      | March 23 | to | March 27 | 5  |                |
| Second Week    | Nov 3   | to | Nov 6   | 4  |         | Second Week     | March 30 | to | April 1  | 3  |                |
| Third Week     | Nov 10  | to | Nov 14  | 5  |         | Third Week      | April 7  | to | April 10 | 4  |                |
| Fourth Week    | Nov 17  | to | Nov 21  | 5  |         | Fourth Week     | April 13 | to | April 17 | 5  |                |
| Fifth Week     | Nov 24  | to | Nov 25  | 2  |         | Fifth Week      | April 20 | to | April 24 | 5  |                |
| Sixth Week     | Dec 1   | to | Dec 5   | 5  |         | Sixth Week      | April 27 | to | May 1    | 5  |                |
| Seventh Week   | Dec 8   | to | Dec 12  | 5  |         | Seventh Week    | May 4    | to | May 8    | 5  |                |
| Eighth Week    | Dec 15  | to | Dec 19  | 5  |         | Eighth Week     | May 12   | to | May 15   | 4  |                |
| Ninth Week     | Jan 5   | to | Jan 9   | 5  |         | Ninth Week      | May 18   | to | May 22   | 5  |                |
| Tenth Week     | Jan 12  | to | Jan 16  | 5  |         | Tenth Week      | May 26   | to | May 29   | 4  |                |
|                |         |    |         | 46 |         |                 |          |    |          | 45 |                |
|                |         |    |         |    |         |                 |          |    |          |    | Total Days 179 |

|                                         |                |         |    |         |         |                 |          |    |          |         |
|-----------------------------------------|----------------|---------|----|---------|---------|-----------------|----------|----|----------|---------|
| PUPIL INSTRUCTION (INCLUDING FLEX DAYS) | First Semester |         |    |         | 81 days | Second Semester |          |    |          | 98 days |
|                                         | FIRST QUARTER  |         |    |         | DAYS    | THIRD QUARTER   |          |    |          | DAYS    |
|                                         | First Week     | Aug 20  | to | Aug 22  | 3       | First Week      | Jan 5    | to | Jan 9    | 5       |
|                                         | Second Week    | Aug 25  | to | Aug 29  | 5       | Second Week     | Jan 12   | to | Jan 16   | 5       |
|                                         | Third Week     | Sept 2  | to | Sept 5  | 4       | Third Week      | Jan 19   | to | Jan 23   | 5       |
|                                         | Fourth Week    | Sept 8  | to | Sept 12 | 5       | Fourth Week     | Jan 26   | to | Jan 30   | 5       |
|                                         | Fifth Week     | Sept 15 | to | Sept 19 | 5       | Fifth Week      | Feb 2    | to | Feb 6    | 5       |
|                                         | Sixth Week     | Sept 22 | to | Sept 26 | 5       | Sixth Week      | Feb 9    | to | Feb 13   | 5       |
|                                         | Seventh Week   | Sept 29 | to | Oct 3   | 5       | Seventh Week    | Feb 16   | to | Feb 20   | 5       |
|                                         | Eighth Week    | Oct 6   | to | Oct 10  | 5       | Eighth Week     | Feb 23   | to | Feb 26   | 4       |
|                                         |                |         |    |         | 3       | Ninth Week      | March 2  | to | March 6  | 5       |
|                                         |                |         |    |         | 40      | Tenth Week      | March 9  | to | March 12 | 4       |
|                                         |                |         |    |         |         |                 |          |    |          | 48      |
|                                         | SECOND QUARTER |         |    |         | DAYS    | FOURTH QUARTER  |          |    |          | DAYS    |
|                                         | First Week     | Oct 20  | to | Oct 24  | 5       | First Week      | March 16 | to | March 20 | 5       |
|                                         | Second Week    | Oct 27  | to | Oct 31  | 5       | Second Week     | March 23 | to | March 27 | 5       |
|                                         | Third Week     | Nov 3   | to | Nov 6   | 4       | Third Week      | March 30 | to | April 1  | 3       |
|                                         | Fourth Week    | Nov 10  | to | Nov 14  | 5       | Fourth Week     | April 7  | to | April 10 | 4       |
|                                         | Fifth Week     | Nov 17  | to | Nov 21  | 5       | Fifth Week      | April 13 | to | April 17 | 5       |
|                                         | Sixth Week     | Nov 24  | to | Nov 25  | 2       | Sixth Week      | April 20 | to | April 24 | 5       |
|                                         | Seventh Week   | Dec 1   | to | Dec 5   | 5       | Seventh Week    | April 27 | to | May 1    | 5       |
|                                         | Eighth Week    | Dec 8   | to | Dec 12  | 5       | Eighth Week     | May 4    | to | May 8    | 5       |
|                                         | Ninth Week     | Dec 15  | to | Dec 19  | 5       | Ninth Week      | May 12   | to | May 15   | 4       |
|                                         |                |         |    |         | 41      | Tenth Week      | May 18   | to | May 22   | 5       |
|                                         |                |         |    |         |         | Eleventh Week   | May 26   | to | May 29   | 4       |
|                                         |                |         |    |         |         |                 |          |    |          | 50      |
|                                         |                |         |    |         |         | Total Days      |          |    |          | 179     |

|                                      |                        |                                                                                                       |            |
|--------------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|
| PUPIL INSTRUCTION-RELATED DAYS (PIR) | August 15              | New Staff Orientation                                                                                 |            |
|                                      | August 18-19           | All Staff Orientation/PIR                                                                             | 2.0        |
|                                      | October 16-17          | Staff Development Days<br><i>Teachers Convention</i>                                                  | 2.0        |
|                                      | Oct 27-30,<br>Nov. 3-6 | Parent-Teacher Conferences<br><i>Schedules vary by school</i><br><i>PIR Nov. 7</i>                    | 1.5        |
|                                      | March 23-27            | Parent-Teacher Conferences<br><i>Schedules vary by school</i><br><i>Full school days for students</i> | .5         |
|                                      | May 11                 | PIR Day                                                                                               | 1.0        |
|                                      |                        | Floating PIR Day                                                                                      | <u>1.0</u> |
|                                      |                        |                                                                                                       | 8.0        |
| HOLIDAYS & VACATIONS                 | Dates Inclusive        |                                                                                                       |            |
|                                      | September 1            | Labor Day                                                                                             |            |
|                                      | November 26-28         | Thanksgiving Vacation                                                                                 |            |
|                                      | Dec 22-Jan 2           | Winter Break                                                                                          |            |
|                                      | February 27            | Vacation Day                                                                                          |            |
|                                      | March 13               | Vacation Day                                                                                          |            |
|                                      | April 2-6              | Easter Vacation                                                                                       |            |
|                                      | May 25                 | Memorial Day                                                                                          |            |
|                                      | July 3                 | Vacation Day (12-mo employees)                                                                        |            |