

**BAYONNE BOARD OF EDUCATION  
OFFICE OF SCHOOL BOARD SECRETARY  
COUNTY OF HUDSON, CITY OF BAYONNE, NEW JERSEY**

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**AGENDA – REGULAR MEETING TUESDAY, MARCH 17<sup>th</sup>, 2026**

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**CALL TO ORDER  
PLEDGE TO FLAG  
ANNOUNCEMENT BY BOARD SECRETARY  
ROLL CALL  
STATEMENT BY PRESIDING OFFICE**

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES – ACCEPTANCE OF COMMUNICATIONS:**

**MARCH 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2026** Regular and Executive Session Minutes

Be it further resolved that the minutes of the executive session will be released when the need for confidentiality In accordance with N.J.S.A. 10:4-12 no longer applies

<b>FROM</b>	<b>TO</b>
James Simmons	Retirement
Catherine Quinn	Retirement
Gianna Skowronski	Resignation
Patricia Seymore	Retirement

*Questions/Comments from Public – Agenda Items*

*The Board of Education recognizes the value of public comment on educational issues and the importance of allowing members of the public to express themselves on school matters of community interest. In support of this position, the law establishes a period of public comment at every public Board meeting.*

*Individuals wishing to speak must state their name and address, students must state their name and school.*

*Comments will be limited to three (3) minutes duration. No participant may speak more than once on the same topic until all others who wish to speak on that topic have been heard.*

*All statements and/or questions shall be directed to the presiding officer and no participant may address or question Board members individually. All speakers are requested to express themselves in a civil manner, with due respect for the dignity and privacy rights of others whose legal rights may be affected.*

*Please note: While it is not the Board's intention to stifle comment on matters of legitimate concern to the school community, the public should be aware that if their statements violate the rights of others under the law governing defamation or invasion of privacy, they may face personal liability to the injured party.*

*If speakers are uncertain of the legal ramifications of their comments, the Board urges them to seek guidance beforehand from their own legal advisor*

# **AGENDA**

## **SUPERINTENDENTS REPORT**

### **A. Curriculum/Instruction/Policy**

- A1. MATTER OF – Bright Star Children Theatre Performance
- A2. MATTER OF – Conferences, Consultants, Travel
- A3. MATTER OF – Field Trips

### **B. Personnel**

- B1. MATTER OF – 2025-2026 Leaves of Absence
- B2. MATTER OF – 2025-2026 Community Education
- B3. MATTER OF – 2025-2026 Coaches/Advisors
- B4. MATTER OF – 2025-2026 Food Service Reassignments
- B5. MATTER OF – 2025-2026 Reassignments
- B6. MATTER OF – 2025-2026 Security
- B7. MATTER OF – 2025-2026 Home Instruction
- B8. MATTER OF – 2025-2026 Spring Musical
- B9. MATTER OF – 2025-2026 AM/PM Duty
- B10. MATTER OF – 2025-2026 Parent Workshop
- B11. MATTER OF – 2025-2026 Data Analysis Coordinator
- B12. MATTER OF – 2025-2026 Possible Vacancies
- B13. MATTER OF – 2025-2026 Paid Administrative Leave
- B14. MATTER OF – 2025-2026 Unpaid Administrative Leave
- B15. MATTER OF – 2025-2026 March HIB

## **ADDENDUM ITEMS**

## **BUSINESS ADMINISTRATORS REPORT**

### **C. Finance/Building & Grounds**

- C1. MATTER OF – Monies Received
- C2. MATTER OF – Acceptance of Required Reports
- C3. MATTER OF – Claims and Accounts
- C4. MATTER OF – Expense Account Adjustments
- C5. MATTER OF – Tentative Budget
- C6. MATTER OF – Health Benefit Adjustment
- C7. MATTER OF – 2026-2027 Maximum Travel and Related Expense
- C8. MATTER OF – 2025-2026 Emergency Transportation Contracts
- C9. MATTER OF – 2025-2026 Out of District Transportation Contract
- C10. MATTER OF – Purchase of Equipment
- C11. MATTER OF – Purchase of Equipment
- C12. MATTER OF – 2026-2027 Extended School Year Transportation Contracts
- C13. MATTER OF – 2025-2026 Out of District Tuition Contracts
- C14. MATTER OF – Settlement Agreement
- C15. MATTER OF – SEMI Corrective Action Plan
- C16. MATTER OF – Bayonne Education Association Sidebar Agreement
- C17. MATTER OF – 2025-2026 School Calendar Revision
- C18. MATTER OF – McKinney Vento Tuition Contract
- C19. MATTER OF – 2026-2027 School Calendar
- C20. MATTER OF – 2025-2026 Chapter 192/193 Grant Revision

### **ADDENDUM ITEMS**

**Superintendent's Report (Curriculum/Personnel)**

<b>MOVED BY:</b>	
<b>SECONDED BY:</b>	
<b>AYE:</b>	
<b>NAY:</b>	
<b>ABSTAIN:</b>	
<b>ABSENT:</b>	

**Business Administrators Report (Finance)**

<b>MOVED BY:</b>	
<b>SECONDED BY:</b>	
<b>AYE:</b>	
<b>NAY:</b>	
<b>ABSTAIN:</b>	
<b>ABSENT:</b>	

**PUBLIC COMMENTS:**

**ADJOURNMENT**

**MOVED BY:**

**SECONDED BY:**

**AYE:**

**NAY:**

**ABSTAIN:**

**ABSENT:**

**March 17<sup>th</sup>, 2026**

**BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE,  
HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

**March 17, 2026**

**WHEREAS**, this Board of Education of the City of Bayonne, Hudson County, New Jersey wishes to provide unique learning opportunities for its students; and

**WHEREAS**, this Board of Education of the City of Bayonne, Hudson County, New Jersey understands that it is sometimes necessary to partner with organizations and individuals to provide such opportunities; and

**WHEREAS**, this Board of Education of the City of Bayonne, Hudson County, New Jersey wishes to partner with the Bayonne Public Library in order to provide Grade 4 elementary school students with an opportunity to celebrate America's 250th birthday by attending Bright Star Children Theatre's performance of *Jack's Adventure in American History* at the Bayonne High School Auditorium on April 23, 2026; and

**WHEREAS**, this Board of Education of the City of Bayonne, Hudson County, New Jersey wishes to extend its appreciation to the Bayonne Public Library and its Director, Melody Scagnelli Townley, for providing the financial support necessary to make this event possible; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** this Board of Education of the City of Bayonne, Hudson County, New Jersey agrees to host the Bright Star Children Theatre's performance of *Jack's Adventure in American History* at the Bayonne High School Auditorium on April 23, 2026 at no cost to the Bayonne Board of Education.

**ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING MARCH 17, 2026**

Office of Social Studies  
2/9/26  
08:30AM

**BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE,  
HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

March 17, 2026

BE IT RESOLVED that the Bayonne Board of Education, upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the following consultants, conferences and travel (if applicable) for professional development and training purposes as specified below:

NO.	ATTENDEE(S)	SCHOOL / DEPARTMENT	NAME OF CONFERENCE	LOCATION / ADDRESS	DATE(S)	COST	ACCT. NO.	SUB(S) REQUIRED
1	Preschool Intervention and Referral Specialists (PIRS); Catherine Lincoln Brianna Galvin Xiomara Nunez Michele Nolan	Early Childhood	2026 New Jersey Pyramid Model State Leadership Team Conference	Virtual	March 6, 2026	No cost	N/A	No
2	Sami Shehata, Tarek Abdelahad, Tamara Adamyan, Naomi Anton, Kristin Asuncion, Engy Beshay, Seony Camilo, Neveen Khalil, Mariam Narouz, Melanie Pineda, Magy Zaki, Nancy Sampogna, Marian Barsoum, Diana Khalil, Amani Gaarour	ESL/Bilingual	New Jersey Teachers of English to Speakers of Other Languages / New Jersey Bilingual Educators, Incorporated Spring 2026 Video Library Conference	Virtual	May 27-Aug 20, 2026	11 @ \$350.00 4 @ \$450.00 Total \$5650.00	20-243-200-590-031-039 (Title III)	No
3	Yousef Ibrahim, Paloma Jimenez, Evon Ibrahim, Martha Solano, Naglaa Said  Marco Wlodea, Almaro Lago, Adriana Gomez, Janet Lucignano, Ashley Burgos  David Pineda, Manuel Lamela, Neal Kintery, Claudia Perez	ESL/Bilingual	New Jersey Teachers of English to Speakers of Other Languages / New Jersey Bilingual Educators, Incorporated Spring 2026 Conference	Hyatt Regency, New Brunswick, NJ	May 19, 2026 May 20, 2026 May 21, 2026	13 @ \$325.00 1 @ \$390.00 Total \$4615.00	20-243-200-590-031-039 (Title III)	10 Yes 3 No
4	Tara Furmaniak	Principal, Woodrow Wilson	NJPSA (NJ Principals and Supervisors Association) / FEA (Foundation for Educational Administration); LEGAL ONE; HIB Law Update	Virtual	March 19, 2026	\$195.00	11-000-223-580-034-001 (Local Funds)	No
5	Tonya Mele	William Shemin Midtown	Professional Development workshop focusing on the biography of "The Brave life of Sergeant William Shemin"	National Medal of Honor Museum 1861 AT&T Way Arlington, TX 76011	June 3-5, 2026	No Cost	N/A	No
6	Patricia Wykowski	Social Studies Department	AP Summer Institute for US History	Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey Point Pleasant Beach High School 700 Trenton Avenue Point Pleasant, NJ 08742	July 13 - 16, 2026	\$1,075.00	Title IV	No
7	Brian Marafioti Andrew McCabe Scott Nolan	Bayonne High School Central Storeroom	NJSBGA 2026 Annual Conference/Expo "Learning, Leading, Legacy"	Harrath's Waterfront Conference Center Atlantic City, NJ	March 22, 23, 24, 25, 2026	Registration \$625.00 per person Hotel \$353.22 per person not to exceed \$400.00	11-000-223-580-034-001	No
8	Csilla Caputo	Bayonne High School Mathematics Department	AP Reading	Tampa, Florida	June 1-June 9, 2026	No Cost	N/A	Yes

NO.	ATTENDEE(S)	SCHOOL / DEPARTMENT	NAME OF CONFERENCE	LOCATION / ADDRESS	DATE(S)	COST	ACCT. NO.	SUB(S) REQUIRED
9	Gina Puchinsky	Woodrow Wilson/Title I	Bureau of Education & Research Inc.(BER): Increasing Your Students' Mastery of Math Facts and Mental Math Skills (Gr.1-5)	Live Online Seminar	March 19, 2026	\$295.00	20-274-200-580-049-372 Title IIA Federal Funding	Yes
10	Abigail Seidman	Special Services Department Occupational Therapist	eri (Education Resources Inc): Inside Out - A Deep Dive into Interoception	Virtual	April 16 - 17, 2026	\$389.00	11-000-219-320-010-020 (local funds)	No
11	Nancy Ruane Donna Weiss Jenna Wilkowski Alexandria Constantine Yuliana Sorial Priya Jhaveri Kristy Sugrue Giselle Torres Angela Laszkow	BHS Henry Harris Midtown Bailey Lincoln Oresko Vroom Robinson	HCPLC: Educators from across the county, K-12, will meet to share the best practices and work together to create NJSLA writing tasks.	High Tech High School 1 High Tech Way Secaucus, NJ 07093	Friday, March 27, 2026	N/A	N/A	No Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes No Yes Yes
12	Alyssa Baran	Horace Mann Early Childhood	Bureau of Education & Research (BER): Decrease Attention-Getting and Tantrum Behaviors: Practical Solutions (Preschool-Second Grade)	Virtual	Tuesday, April 14, 2026	\$295.00	11-000-223-580-034-001 (Local Funds)	Yes
13	Tara Furmaniak	Principal, Woodrow Wilson	LEGAL ONE: Never Crossing the Line! Understanding and Enforcing Student and Staff Boundaries	Virtual	May 19, 2026	\$195.00	11-000-223-580-034-001 (Local Funds)	No
14	Heather Rich	Midtown Community School Guidance Department	Play Therapy Training Resources LLC: EMDR in Play Therapy Autism and Play Therapy	Virtual	March 13, 2026 May 15, 2026	\$210.00 \$210.00	11-000-223-580-034-001 (Local Funds)	No
15	Melissa Adamcik, Amanda Axmann, Lauren Battaglino, Renae Bush, Marteen Chiaravalloti, Rocio Coppola, Kim Dwyer, Madison Fruchter, Rose Hopper, Rachael Hughes, Edith Kuczynski, Cailey Kirby, Shawn Ramsay, Meredith Thompson-Bass, Michael Vazquez, Nancy Walsh	Bayonne High School Guidance Department	Power School Group, LLC: Naviance Training	Virtual (in their offices)	TBD	\$6,500.00	20-274-200-300-010-037 Title IIA Federal Funding	No
16	BHS Fine & Performing Arts Department	BHS Fine & Performing Arts Department	Liz McCartney: Creative Costuming: Practical Design Solutions for Educational Theatre	BHS Dance Studio	March 25, 2026 and April 15, 2026	\$2,500.00 each Total \$5,000.00	20-274-200-300-010-037 Title IIA Federal Funding	No
17	Thomas DiGregorio, Alicja Dolecka, Susan Costanza	Social Studies Department	World War II on the Eastern Front Seminar	Rutgers University, New Brunswick, New Jersey	May 1st 2026	\$35.00 each Total \$105.00	20-274-200-580-049-372 Title IIA Federal Funding	Yes

NO.	ATTENDEE(S)	SCHOOL / DEPARTMENT	NAME OF CONFERENCE	LOCATION / ADDRESS	DATE(S)	COST	ACCT. NO.	SUB(S) REQUIRED
18	Dawn Aiello Kristy Duffy Heather Natoli Danny Ng Kathryn Kim	Bayonne High School	Hudson County PLC	High Tech High School Secaucus NJ 07094	March 26, 2026	No Cost	N/A	No Yes Yes Yes No
19	Komila Patel	Bayonne High School/Science Department	ETS/College Board - AP Reading/Scoring	Virtual	June 11,12,15,16,17, 2026	No Cost	N/A	Yes
20	Maria Polishchuk	Bayonne High School/Science Department	AP Summer Institute Online	Gulf Coast State College Online 5230 W. Highway 98, Panama City, FL 32401	June 8,9,10,11,12, 2026	Early Registration: \$650.00/Standard Registration \$700	Title IV	Yes
21	Keith Tassitano	Bayonne High School/Science Department	AP Summer Institute: Manhattan University	Manhattan College Parkway, 4415, Manhattan College Parkway, Bronx, NY 10471	July 27 - July 31, 2026	\$1,400.00	Title IV	No
22	Tracy Barbossa Sarwat Naseem	Special Services Department Occupational Therapist	Move Play Thrive Brain and Sensory Foundations Second Level	Virtual	March 26 & 27, 2026	\$395.00 Per Person Paid by Employee	N/A	No
23	Danielle Lenardo	Early Childhood	Bureau of Education & Research Decrease Attention-Getting and Tantrum Behaviors: Practical Solutions	Virtual	April 24, 2026	\$295.00	11-000-223-580-034-001 (Local Funds)	Yes
24	Dina Hassan	Psychology	AP Summer Institute: Manhattan University	Virtual	August 3 - 7, 2026	\$940.00	Title IV	No
25	Peter Wersinger Jonathan Mullin Tina Cantale	Social Studies Department Physical Education Special Education	2026 NJSIAA Girls Individual Wrestling Championships	Jim Whelan Boardwalk Hall 2301 Boardwalk Atlantic City, NJ 08401	March 11 thru 15, 2026	Not to exceed lodging & \$289.00 additional per person for meals as per GSA rate.	11-000-223-580-034-001	Yes
26	Daniel George Marcus Jones Justin Gomez Thomas Collelo	Athletic Director/Boys Wrestling Head Coach Security Coach Coach	2026 NJSIAA Boys Individual Wrestling Championships	Jim Whelan Boardwalk Hall 2301 Boardwalk Atlantic City, NJ 08401	March 11 thru 15, 2026	Not to exceed lodging & \$289.00 additional per person for meals as per GSA rate.	11-000-223-580-034-001	No
27	Kristy Sugrue Kathryn Kim Tara Soto	English Language Arts Mathematics Gifted & Talented	LinkIt Principal Workshop	High Tech High School 1 High Tech Way Secaucus, NJ	March 12, 2026	No Cost	N/A	No

ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MARCH 17, 2026

BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE,  
HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

BE IT RESOLVED that the Bayonne Board of Education, upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the following field trips.

ATTENDEE(S)	SCHOOL / DEPARTMENT	NAME OF FIELD TRIP	LOCATION/ADDRESS	DATE(S)	COST	ACCT. NO.
11-12th grade	BHS/Social Studies	Bayonne Public Library	697 Ave. A Bayonne, NJ 07002	03/24/2026	\$0.00	N/A
8th grade	Washington	Dave and Busters	2654 Richmond Ave. Staten Island, NY 10314	05/04/2026	\$40 parent funded	N/A
3rd-8th grade	District grammar schools	Sports in Education	1 High Tech Way, Secaucus NJ 07094	04/14/2026	\$0.00	N/A
9-12th grade	BHS/Social Studies	NJ State Museum	205 W State St, Trenton, NJ 08608	04/17/2026	\$0.00	N/A
3rd grade	John Bailey	Liberty Science Center	222 Jersey City Blvd, Jersey City, NJ 07305	04/22/2026	\$0.00	Lord Abbott Grant
4th grade	District grammar schools	Theatre Group Visit	BHS Auditorium, Bayonne NJ 07002	04/23/2026	\$0.00	N/A
9-12th grade	BHS/Student Government	Six Flags	1 Six Flags Blvd, Jackson Township, NJ 08527	06/01/2026	\$1,076.00	STUGA account #605
3rd grade	Robinson	Liberty Science Center	222 Jersey City Blvd, Jersey City, NJ 07305	03/30/2026	\$0.00	Lord Abbott Grant
9th grade	BHS/Social Studies	Cooper Grismill	66 Route 24, Chester, NJ 07930	06/05/2026	\$5 parent funded	N/A
9-12th grade	BHS/Social Studies	North Brunswick High School	98 Raider Rd, North Brunswick Township, NJ 08902	03/21/2026	\$0.00	N/A
3rd grade	Woodrow Wilson	Liberty Science Center	222 Jersey City Blvd, Jersey City, NJ 07305	03/27/2026	\$0.00	N/A
5-6th grade	Horace Mann/spec. services	Linden Lanes	741 N Siles st. Linden, NJ 07036	03/25/2026	\$176.00	N/A
4th grade	Horace Mann	AMC Dine in	2655 Richmond Ave, Staten Island, NY 10314	03/24/2026	\$25 parent funded	N/A
4th grade	Horace Mann	Magic Fountain	907 Broadway Bayonne, NJ 07002	06/05/2026	\$5 parent funded	N/A
8th grade	Oresko	Medieval Times	149 Polito Ave, Lyndhurst, NJ 07071	04/15/2026	\$1858 fundraising	N/A
K-8th grade	Henry Harris	16th street park	16th street, Bayonne, NJ 07002	05/26/2026	\$0.00	N/A
9-12th grade	BHS/Social Studies	NJ State Museum	205 W State St, Trenton, NJ 08608	04/15/2026	\$66.00	N/A
5th grade	Horace Mann	Lead Graduation	Veterans Memorial Stadium, Bayonne NJ 07002	06/03/2026	\$0.00	N/A
9-12th grade	BHS/Business	Monmouth County STARS Facility	119 Dutch Lane, Freehold, NJ 07728	04/17/2026	\$0.00	N/A
7th grade	District grammar schools	Bayonne High School Auditorium	Bayonne, NJ 07002	04/01/2026	\$0.00	N/A
8th grade	John Bailey	Medieval Times	149 Polito Ave, Lyndhurst, NJ 07071	03/20/2026	\$3065.4 parent funded	N/A
5-6th grade	Midtown	Connors Elementary School	201 Monroe st. Hoboken, NJ 07030	06/04/2026	\$0.00	N/A
9-12th grade	BHS/ Student Center	Stephen Sondheim Theatre	124 W 43rd St, New York, NY 10036	04/29/2026	\$3,829.50	11-000218-600-032024
7-8th grade	Midtown	The Joe Kubert School	27 Main street, Madison, NJ 07940	03/31/2026	\$0.00	N/A
12th grade	BHS/Guidance	Hudson Community College	70 Slip Ave, Jersey City, NJ 07306	04/14/2026	\$0.00	N/A
6th grade	Oresko	Bayonne Veterans Museum	16 W 9th St #18, Bayonne, NJ 07002	03/17/2026	\$2 parent funded	N/A
9-12th grade	BHS/Social Studies	Eastern Christian High School	50 Oakwood Ave, North Haledon, NJ 07508	05/16/2026	\$0.00	N/A
9-12th grade	BHS/ Steppers	Horace Mann	25 W 38th St, Bayonne, NJ 07002	03/27/2026	\$0.00	N/A
7-8th grade	Midtown	Middlesex Fire Academy	1001 Fire Academy Drive, Sayreville, NJ 08872	05/01/2026	\$0.00	N/A
9-12th grade	BHS	Holland Ridge Farm	108 Rues Rd, Cream Ridge, NJ 08514	04/14/2026	\$15 parent funded	N/A
10th grade	BHS/ CO 2028	Six Flags	1 Six Flags Blvd, Jackson Township, NJ 08527	06/01/2026	\$4000 parent funded	Acct#28 (if funds are needed)
3rd grade	Washington	Liberty Science Center	222 Jersey City Blvd, Jersey City, NJ 07305	05/19/2026	Lord Abbott	N/A
Kindergarten	Washington	Magic Fountain	907 Broadway Bayonne, NJ 07002	05/22/2026	\$0.00	N/A
Kindergarten	Washington	Hudson County Park	Park Dr, Bayonne, NJ 07002	06/7/2026	\$0.00	N/A

Office of Chief Academic Officer  
Dr. Wachera Ragland-Brown  
Date: 03/13/2026 Time: 11:00am

ADOPTED BY BOARD MEETING HELD March 17, 2026

B1

**BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE**  
**HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

**WHEREAS**, the following requests for leaves of absence have been received and considered by the Bayonne Board of Education; now, therefore

**BE IT RESOLVED**, that the leaves of absence are hereby granted as follows:

**LAURA HYMAN** – Secretary

GRANTED – Unpaid Medical Leave of absence from February 20, 2026 to March 20, 2026

REVISED – Unpaid Medical Leave of absence from February 20, 2026 to February 27, 2026

**JULIAN RAE PURINO** – Teacher

GRANTED – Unpaid Family Medical of absence from April 13, 2026 to September 11, 2026

**SAMANTHA ROSE** – BCBA

GRANTED – Unpaid Family Leave of absence from April 17, 2026 to September 18, 2026

**ANA GARCIA** – Teacher

GRANTED – Unpaid Family Leave of absence from April 13, 2026 to June 30, 2026

GRANTED – Unpaid Family Leave of absence from September 8, 2026 to September 11, 2026

**CATHERINE SQUITIERI** – Teacher Aide

REVISED – Unpaid Medical Leave of absence from January 20, 2026 to March 6, 2026

REVISED – Unpaid Medical Leave of absence from January 20, 2026 to March 27, 2026

**LOUISE PAVELKO** – Teacher

GRANTED – Unpaid Medical Leave of absence from April 20, 2026 to June 2, 2026

**KEVIN POLANCO** – Teacher

GRANTED – Unpaid Family Medical Leave of absence from March 30, 2026 to June 30, 2026

**JENNIFER MARTIN** – Teacher

GRANTED – Unpaid Maternity Leave of absence from April 1, 2026 to December 23, 2026

**MELISSA VIRACK** – Social Worker

GRANTED – Unpaid Medical Leave of absence from March 19, 2026 to March 20, 2026

**JESSE SIEIRA-WILHELM** – Teacher

GRANTED – Unpaid Medical Leave of absence from March 16, 2026 to April 10, 2026

GRANTED – Unpaid Family Leave of absence from April 13, 2026 to June 30, 2026

**EVA WASILEWSKI** – Teacher

GRANTED – Unpaid Family Leave of absence from May 4, 2026 to September 30, 2026

**MICHAEL ELIA** – Armed Guard

GRANTED – Unpaid Medical Leave of absence February 25, 2026; March 2,3,4,9,10,11, 2026

**JAMES SIMMONS** – Engineer

GRANTED – Unpaid Medical Leave of absence from April 1, 2026 to April 30, 2026

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**KATHERINE GREGORIAN** – Teacher

GRANTED – Unpaid Family Leave of absence from April 27, 2026 to September 25, 2026

**MARTHA HANNA** – Teacher

GRANTED – Unpaid Intermittent Leave of absence from February 18, 2026 to March 30, 2026

**CASSIDY STAZAK** – Teacher

GRANTED – Unpaid Family Medical Leave of absence from February 25, 2026 to April 15, 2026

**SANDRA STAMOS** – Teacher

REVISED – Unpaid Medical Leave of absence from January 14, 2026 to April 30, 2026

**COLLEEN DAMIAN** – Administration

GRANTED – Unpaid Family Leave of absence from March 2, 2026 to April 1, 2026

**DAVID KOBRYN** – Teacher

REVISED – Unpaid Family Leave of absence from January 5, 2026 to March 27, 2026

**CHRISTINA CONTI-ROESINGER** – Teacher

GRANTED – Unpaid Medical Leave of absence from March 6, 2026 to April 21, 2026

**STAMATIA TSAKOS** – Teacher

GRANTED – Unpaid Personal Leave of absence from March 23, 2026 to March 31, 2026

**MEAGAN SABATINI** – Counselor

GRANTED – Unpaid Family Leave of absence from March 12, 2026 to June 11, 2026

**JUANA MALDONADO** – Bus Attendant

GRANTED – Unpaid Medical Leave of absence from March 17, 2026 to April 10, 2026

**SAMANTHA MICEK** – Teacher

GRANTED – Unpaid Medical Leave of absence from April 20, 2026 to May 15, 2026

GRANTED – Unpaid Family Leave of absence from May 18, 2026 to June 30, 2026

By passage of this Resolution, all of the above identified employees are hereby notified of the continued responsibility to fulfill their (Chapter 78 and/ or Chapter 44) health benefits contribution obligation. Passage of this Resolution, and the grant of leave of absence without pay, does not suspend, modify, or alleviate any respectively named employee's continued obligation to make such contribution.

**ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MARCH 17, 2026**

B2

**BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE**  
**HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

March 17, 2026

**WHEREAS**, the Bayonne Board of Education has adopted and promoted the Community Education concept since 1975; and

**WHEREAS**, as part of the Community Education concept, the Bayonne Board of Education has taken appropriate action to meet the educational/recreational needs of the community; and

**BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED**, that based upon the recommendation of Mr. John Niesz, Superintendent of Schools, the personnel named on the attached sheets are hereby appointed to the positions listed to serve in sessions as dated. **THESE APPOINTMENTS ARE ON AN AS NEEDED BASIS OR SUBJECT TO SUFFICIENT CLASS ENROLLMENT.**

**ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MARCH 17, 2026.**

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March 17, 2026

Mr. John Niesz  
Superintendent of Schools

If it meets with your approval, I hereby recommend the appointment of the below named personnel to the position opposite their names, and at the salaries indicated, to the programs and dates as designated. All appointments are on an as needed basis or subject to sufficient class enrollment.

COMMUNITY EDUCATION PROGRAMS  
3/17/26-6/30/26

Personnel listed on the attached Excel Sheet

JT/lc  
James Turner  
Assistant Supervisor of Community Education

JT/lc

Name	Job ID#	POSITION	Rate
Schenkman, Amanda	#3604	CE Before/After Care Teacher 2025-2026	\$30./hr.
Gargano, Michele	#3606	CE Event Staff 2025-2026-Sports in Education County Program-Not to Exceed \$2,500.	\$30./hr.
Power, Tracey	#3610	CE Event Staff 2025-2026 - Social Media-Not to Exceed \$2,500.	\$30./hr.
Pecoraro, Michael	#3606	CE Event Staff 2025-2026 BHS Girls Flag Football Announcer-Not to Exceed \$2,500.	\$30./hr.
Irizzary, Dylan	#3606	CE Event Staff 2025-2026 BHS Wrestling Girls District Tournament-Not to Exceed \$2,500.	\$30./hr.
Drago, Robert	#3606	CE Event Staff 2025-2026-Announcer-Spring-Not To Exceed \$2,500.	\$30./hr.
San Roque, Franzell	#3606	CE Event Staff 2025-2026-BHS Softball Student Manager-Not To Exceed \$2,500.	\$15.92/hr.
Dany, Philopateor	#3606	CE Event Staff 2025-2026-Elementary Flag Football Student Manager-Not to Exceed \$2,500.	\$15.92/hr.
Martin, Kameron	#3606	CE Event Staff 2025-2026-Elementary Flag Football Student Manager-Not To Exceed \$2,500.	\$15.92/hr.
Smith, Daryl	#3606	CE Event Staff 2025-2026-Elementary Flag Football Student Manager-Not To Exceed \$2,500.	\$15.92/hr.
Canter, Christian	#3606	CE Event Staff 2025-2026-Filming-Spring-Not To Exceed \$2,500.	\$30./hr.
Eckert, Christopher	#3606	CE Event Staff 2025-2026-Scorer/Timer Spring-Not to Exceed \$2,500.	\$30./hr.
Topolewski, James	#3606	CE Event Staff 2025-2026-Scorer/Timer Spring-Not to Exceed \$2,500.	\$30./hr.
Lane, Josh	#3610	CE Youth Enrichment/Sports Program Teacher 2025-2026-Jr. Bees Volleyball-Not to Exceed \$2,500.	\$30./hr.
Zinkevich, Alexander	#3610	CE Youth Enrichment/Sports Program Teacher 2025-2026-Jr. Bees Volleyball-Not to Exceed \$2,500.	\$15.92/hr.
Jaworski, Kenneth	#3610	CE Youth Enrichment/Sports Program Teacher 2025-2026-Spring-Not to Exceed \$2,500.	\$30./hr.
Mullin, Jonathan	#3610	CE Youth Enrichment/Sports Program Teacher 2025-2026-Spring-Not to Exceed \$2,500.	\$30./hr.
Fidrych, Juliet	#3610	CE Youth Enrichment/Sports Program Teacher 2025-2026-Youth Volleyball Clinics-Not to Exceed \$2,500.	\$30./hr.
Longo, Patricai	#3610	CE Youth Enrichment/Sports Program Teacher 2025-2026-Youth Volleyball Clinics-Not to Exceed \$2,500.	\$16.13./hr.
Coates, Nia	#3610	CE Youth Enrichment/Sports Program Teacher-Jr. Bees Track-Not to Exceed \$2,500.	\$30./hr.
DeCollo, Gino	#3610	CE Youth Enrichment/Sports Program Teacher-Jr. Bees Track-Not to Exceed \$2,500.	\$30./hr.
Mackiewicz, Zachary	#3610	CE Youth Enrichment/Sports Program Teacher-Jr. Bees Track-Not to Exceed \$2,500.	\$30./hr.
Murphy, Dara	#3610	CE Youth Enrichment/Sports Program Teacher-Jr. Bees Track-Not to Exceed \$2,500.	\$30./hr.
Ough, Nicole	#3610	CE Youth Enrichment/Sports Program Teacher-Jr. Bees Track-Not to Exceed \$2,500.	\$30./hr.
Ramsay, Shawn	#3610	CE Youth Enrichment/Sports Program Teacher-Jr. Bees Track-Not to Exceed \$2,500.	\$30./hr.
Olmo, Charlize	#3609	CE Youth Enrichment/Sports Program Aide 2025-2026-Jr. Bees Girls Basketball Clinic Not to Exceed \$2,500.	\$15.92/hr.

**BAYONNE BOARD OF EDUCATION CITY OF BAYONNE  
HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

**WHEREAS**, there is a need for coaches/advisors in the Bayonne School District; therefore

**BE IT RESOLVED**, that the below coaches/advisors, are hereby appointed for the school year 2025-2026 to the positions and at the salaries indicated after their respective names.

Set Construction BHS Drama Student Production	Alex Calianese	2,837.00	Bayonne High School
Basketball Coach Girls JV	William Zasowski	\$30.00 per hour	Mary J. Donohoe School
Softball Coach	Patricia Feuer & Kathiann McIntyre	\$30.00 per hour	Lincoln Community School
<del>Fire Bowl Advisor</del>	<del>Barbara DeBenedictis</del>	<del>2,161.00</del>	<del>Nicholas Oresko School</del>
Fire Bowl Advisor	Lee Gray	2,161.00	Nicholas Oresko School
Basketball Coach Girls JV	<del>William Zasowski</del>	\$30.00 per hour	Lincoln Community School
Basketball Coach Girls JV	Joshua Lane	\$30.00 per hour	Lincoln Community School

**ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MARCH 17, 2026**

**Office of Assistant Superintendent of Personnel**

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**BAYONNE BOARD OF EDUCATION CITY OF BAYONNE  
HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

**WHEREAS**, this Board of Education finds it necessary to make salary adjustments and reassignments in the Food Service Department to meet the current operating needs of the school district; therefore

**BE IT RESOLVED**, that based upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools, Mr. John Niesz, the below named personnel be reassigned to the position next to their name;

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that this board approve the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools to reassign the personnel listed below at the salary and effective dates indicated:

**FOOD SERVICE 2025-2026 REASSIGNMENTS**

<b>NAME</b>	<b>FROM</b>	<b>TO</b>	<b>NEW SALARY</b>	<b>EFFECTIVE DATE</b>
Joel Adames	Food Service General Worker	Food Service Receiver (BHS)	\$17.50 Per Hour	April 1, 2026
Daniel Teague	Food Service Driver	Food Service Driver/Utility Worker	\$17.50 Per Hour	April 1, 2026

**ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MARCH 17, 2026**

Office of Assistant Superintendent of Personnel

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**BAYONNE BOARD OF EDUCATION CITY OF BAYONNE  
HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

**WHEREAS**, based on enrollment of students in various grade levels and education programs throughout the school district, it is necessary that the attached staff be reassigned within the school district or newly appointed personnel, be assigned to the following positions; and

**BE IT RESOLVED**, that based upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools, Mr. John Niesz, the attached **assignment(s) and reassignment(s)** are hereby made effective for the 2025-2026 school year, all **assignments/reassignments** are made without change in salary unless otherwise indicated.

**2025-2026 REASSIGNMENTS**

<b>LAST NAME</b>	<b>FIRST NAME</b>	<b>FROM</b>	<b>TO</b>
Wetzel	Dorothy	Teacher of Title 1 at Midtown Community School	Teacher of Elementary K-8 at Philip G. Vroom School
Fuentes	Nathalie	Teacher of Title 1 at Nicholas Oresko School	Teacher of Elementary School K-6 at Woodrow Wilson School
Young	Amber	12 Month Secretary assigned to Employee Health	12 Month Secretary assigned to the Technology Department
Collins	Autumn	12 Month Secretary assigned to the Nursing Department at Horace Mann School	12 Month School Secretary assigned to Horace Mann School

**2025-2026 New Assignments**

<b>LAST NAME</b>	<b>FIRST NAME</b>	<b><u>Assignment</u></b>	<b><u>Location</u></b>
Galano	Stephanie	Teacher of Physical Education	Horace Mann School
Baranok	Alyssa	School Nurse	Philip G. Vroom School

**ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MARCH 17, 2026**

**Office of Assistant Superintendent of Personnel**

**BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE,  
HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

**WHEREAS**, the Bayonne Board of Education operates various afterschool programs; and

**WHEREAS**, there is a need for security to be assigned to those programs by the District Coordinator of Safety and Security for the 2025-2026 school year; now, therefore

**BE IT RESOLVED**, the Superintendent of Schools hereby recommends the below-listed staff at the rate of \$24 July 1, 2025 through June 30, 2026 per hour unless otherwise indicated.

**SECURITY STAFF 2025-2026  
ASSIGNED BY THE DISTRICT COORDINATOR OF SAFETY AND SECURITY**

Shereen Waly

**ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MARCH 17, 2026**

Office of Assistant Superintendent of Personnel

**BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE**  
**HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

**WHEREAS**, the Bayonne Board of Education operates a Home Instruction Program in the school district; and

**WHEREAS**, there is a need for professional staff to instruct and participate in the Home Instruction; now, therefore

**BE IT RESOLVED**, that all professional staff are to be paid \$40.00 an hour effective September 1, 2025 for Home Instruction hours worked throughout the Bayonne Public School District.

**HOME INSTRUCTION STAFF FOR SCHOOL YEAR 2025-2026**

Adriana Bonetti  
Jolene Bergantino  
Maggie Caley  
Nehal Elrahamawy  
Alessio Napoletano

**ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD ON MARCH 17,2026**

**BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE**

**HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

WHEREAS, this Bayonne Board of Education of the City of Bayonne, Hudson County, New Jersey deems it necessary to hire the services of musicians for the Spring Production of “Mean Girls;”

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Bayonne Board of Education appoints the musicians listed below at \$30.00 per hour, not to exceed a total of 40 hours per musician, to be paid from the Bayonne Board of Education to provide music for the Spring Production of “Mean Girls.”

Thomas Warren  
Oscar Javier  
Aiden Carr  
Samantha Price  
Hairo Cesar  
Katherine Sorrentino  
Gary Shur  
Eric Ficarra  
Gabriella Megale

**ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MARCH 17, 2026**

Fine and Performing Arts & Business Education  
TC

03/06/26

**BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE**

**HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

**WHEREAS**, the Bayonne Board of Education recognizes the importance of utilizing staff for student arrivals and departures at the community schools each day.

**WHEREAS**, teachers and assistants are need to meet the need of each building to provide a safe entrance and dismissal at the community schools

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, the Bayonne Board of Education hereby approves the following staff to be assigned the duties of morning and dismissal duty at each building at the rate approved in the collective bargaining contract.

<b>Name</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Hourly Rate</b>	<b>School</b>
Heaney, Tina	PM Duty Teacher	REMOVE	Lincoln Community School
Lisa Bowen	PM Duty Teacher	\$30.00	Lincoln Community School
Phoebe Durak	Am Duty Teacher	\$30.00	Horace Mann School

**ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MARCH 17, 2026**

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BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE,  
HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY.

March 17, 2026

WHEREAS, the Bayonne Board of Education is desirous to provide Parent Workshops from September 2025 to June 2026, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the following ADDITIONAL\* personnel listed below will be presenting the Parent Workshops and will be paid \$30.00 per hour by Title I funds not to exceed the budgeted amount of \$3,500:

#1 Henry E. Harris Community	Margaret Doria, Rose Jacobson, Stamatia Tsakos, <del>Melissa Tomace</del>
#2 Philip G. Vroom Community	Rebecca Wexler, Christine Alvarez, Christine McMahon, Crystal Perez, Martha Hanna
#3 Dr. Walter F. Robinson Community	Anne Smarz, Fallon Salso, <del>Lauren Timpanaro</del>
#4 Mary J. Donohoe Community	Melissa Tomace, <del>Elizabeth Cortese</del>
#5 Lincoln Community	Joseph Olesky, Patricia Gonzalez
#6 Horace Mann Community	Catherine Ryan, <del>Martha Hanna</del> , Elizabeth Cortese
#8 William Shemin Midtown Community	Dorothy Wetzel, Denise DeRocco, Denise Leonard, <b>Lauren Timpanaro*</b>
#9 Washington Community	Christina Fabiano, <del>Elizabeth Cortese</del> , Sandy Wojciechowski, David Griffin, Jr.
#10 Woodrow Wilson Community	Katherine Gregorian, Gina Puchinsky, Alyssa Scrudato
#12 John M. Bailey Community	Elaine Serkin, Jane Kelly
#14 Nicholas Oresko Community	Samantha Christie, Nathalie Fuentes, Stephanie Kahle, Rachel Macklin, Kathleen Ozak

ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MARCH 17, 2026.

Office of Curriculum & Instruction (cd)#6 2/10/2026 - 1:20pm  
Budget: #20-231-200-101-010-034 - \$3,500



BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE,  
HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY.

March 17, 2026

WHEREAS, the Bayonne Board of Education is desirous of utilizing funds allocated under the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA) Consolidated Formula Subgrant, Title IIA Program, for the 2025-2026 school year, to advance teaching and learning and enhance math instruction, and,

WHEREAS, the Superintendent of Schools, Mr. John J. Niesz, has recommended the following personnel to be assigned to the FY2025-2026 Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA) Consolidated Formula Subgrant Title IIA Program, now, therefore, be it,

RESOLVED, that the following personnel be assigned as listed below:

FY2025-2026 ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION ACT (ESEA) CONSOLIDATED FORMULA SUBGRANT  
Title IIA – Part A Teacher and Principal Training and Recruiting Fund

NAME	ASSIGNMENT	EFFECTIVE DATE	SALARY	TITLE IIA	LEA
Vincent Maggio	Data Analysis Coordinator	9/3/2025-6/30/2026	\$75,691.	\$75,691. (100%)	\$0

ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MARCH 17, 2026.

Office of Curriculum & Instruction (cd) 2/18/26 1:50pm - Title IIA Budget #20-274-200-101-010-037

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**BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE  
HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

WHEREAS, this Board of Education finds it necessary to post all annual positions for to meet the hiring needs of the Bayonne Board of Education; therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, that it is the recommendation of Superintendent of Schools, John J. Niesz, that the below listed job posting(s) be approved for the 2026 – 2027 school year; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this Board of Education approve the recommendations made by the Superintendent to post the following job posting(s):

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| Administrator in Charge                             | Dean of Students                                   |
| Administrator of Network Operations                 | Deputy Superintendent                              |
| Advisor   | Director   |
| Assistant Director                                  | District Coordinator of Safety & Security          |
| Assistant District Coordinator of Safety & Security | Emergency Response & Crisis Management Coordinator |
| Assistant Principal                                 | Engineer   |
| Assistant School Business Administrator             | Executive Administrative Assistant                 |
| Assistant Superintendent                            | Food Services Personnel                            |
| Assistant Supervisor                                | Go Guardian Monitor                                |
| Assistant to the Superintendent                     | Home Instruction                                   |
| Athletic Trainer                                    | Human Resource Specialist                          |
| Attendance Officer                                  | Information Systems Facilitator                    |
| Band (various positions)                            | Instructional Coach                                |
| Bayonne Alternative High School Staff               | Learning Disabilities Teacher Consultant - CST     |
| BCBA  | Maintenance/Custodial                              |
| Behavior Management Specialist                      | Mason  |
| Bilingual/Bicultural Teacher                        | Master Data Manager                                |
| Board Secretary                                     | Master Teacher                                     |
| Bookkeeper  | Mental Health Counselor                            |
| Bus Attendant                                       | Messenger  |
| Bus Driver  | Multi-Sensory Reading Specialist                   |
| Chief Academic Officer                              | Network Systems Engineer                           |
| Chief Medical Examiner                              | Network Systems Support Specialist                 |
| Coach Athletics                                     | Occupational Therapist                             |
| Community Parent Involvement Specialist             | Physical Therapist                                 |
| Computer Support Technician                         | Preschool Intervention Referral Team Specialist    |
| Coordinator   | Principal  |
| Data Analysis Coordinator                           | Principal Culture and Climate                      |

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Repair and Transportation Personnel  
School Business Administrator  
School Counselor  
School Library Media Specialist  
School Nurse  
School Psychologist ~ CST  
School Social Worker ~ CST  
Secretary  
Security Armed/Unarmed  
Special Education  
Speech Language Specialist  
Student Assistance Coordinator

Superintendent of Buildings & Grounds  
Supervisor  
Supervisor of Athletics/Director of Athletics  
Supervisor of Buildings & Code Compliance  
Teacher (various positions)  
Teacher Aide  
Technology Facilitator  
Testing Liaison  
Theater Teacher  
Translator (Arabic/Spanish)  
Transportation Supervisor  
Vocational Teacher

**ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD March 17, 2026**

**BAYONNE BOARD OF EDUCATION CITY OF BAYONNE  
HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

**WHEREAS**, the Superintendent has recommended that the Bayonne Board of Education place the staff member named on the attached Schedule A on paid administrative leave on the effective date listed.

**WHEREAS**, the Board agrees with the Superintendent's recommendation to place the staff member on paid administrative leave on the effective date listed, now therefore

**BE IT RESOLVED**, this 17th day of March 2026, that the staff member named on Schedule A is placed on paid administrative leave on the effective date listed.

**ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MARCH 17, 2026**

**Office of Assistant Superintendent of Personnel**

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**SCHEDULE A**

Staff ID #9088 effective **February 6, 2026**

**BAYONNE BOARD OF EDUCATION CITY OF BAYONNE  
HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

**WHEREAS**, the Superintendent has recommended that the Bayonne Board of Education place the staff member named on the attached Schedule A on unpaid administrative leave on the effective date listed.

**WHEREAS**, the Board agrees with the Superintendent's recommendation to place the staff member on unpaid administrative leave on the effective date listed, now therefore

**BE IT RESOLVED**, this 17th day of March 2026, that the staff member named on Schedule A is placed on unpaid administrative leave on the effective date listed.

**ADOPTED AT THE BOARD MEETING HELD MARCH 17, 2026**

**SCHEDULE A**

STAFF ID #7663 effective March 2, 2026

**BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE**  
**HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

**WHEREAS**, each month the Superintendent shall report to the Board of Education all acts of harassment, intimidation and bullying in accordance with the provisions of N.J.S.A. 18A: 17-46, which have occurred during that month for the board to review, now therefore,

**BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Superintendent of Schools, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 18A: 17-46 reports all acts of harassment, intimidation and bullying that took place during **February/March** to the Bayonne Board of Education and the Board accepts the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools and building administrator.

**ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD March 17, 2026**





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**DANIEL M. CASTLES**

School Business Administrator

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**\*\*MONTHLY CHECKS RECEIVED - FEBRUARY 2026\*\***

DATE	FROM	DESCRIPTION	ACCOUNT	AMOUNT
02/02/26	School Employees	Medical insurance	Refund	\$3,195.00
02/02/26	N.J.S.I.G.	Workers compensation - teacher aide	Refund	\$1,022.32
02/02/06	N.J.S.I.G.	Workers compensation - custodial	Refund	\$1,243.28
02/02/26	School Parents	Chromebook reimbursements	Miscellaneous	\$1,020.00
02/02/26	Community Education	Food concession receipts	Current O/R	\$2,027.45
02/02/26	Community Education	Youth enrichment - B/A Care	Current O/R	\$593.00
02/02/26	Community Education	Facility rental fees	Current O/R	\$600.00
02/02/26	Community Education	Public Skate - ice rink	Current O/R	\$2,265.00
<b>Subtotal</b>				<b>\$11,966.05</b>

DATE	FROM	DESCRIPTION	ACCOUNT	AMOUNT
02/04/26	School Employees	Medical insurance	Refund	\$400.00
02/04/26	N.J.S.I.G.	Workers compensation - teacher aide	Refund	\$2,526.50
02/04/26	School Employee	Mentor teacher program	Refund	\$1,000.00
02/04/26	School Employee	Mentor teacher program	Refund	\$1,000.00
02/04/26	School Employee	Mentor teacher program	Refund	\$1,000.00
02/04/26	Community Education	Athletic game events	Current O/R	\$1,233.00
<b>Subtotal</b>				<b>\$7,159.50</b>

DATE	FROM	DESCRIPTION	ACCOUNT	AMOUNT
02/09/26	School Parents	Chromebook reimbursements	Miscellaneous	\$50.00
02/09/26	School Parents	Chromebook reimbursements	Miscellaneous	\$250.00
02/09/26	Community Education	Facility rental fees	Current O/R	\$75.00
02/09/26	Community Education	Athletic event - Wrestling	Current O/R	\$220.00
02/09/26	Community Education	Ice time rental fees	Current O/R	\$106.25
02/09/26	Community Education	Youth enrichment - B/A Care	Current O/R	\$6,617.64
02/09/26	Community Education	Youth enrichment - B/A Care	Current O/R	\$5,615.45
<b>Subtotal</b>				<b>\$12,934.34</b>

DATE	FROM	DESCRIPTION	ACCOUNT	AMOUNT
02/11/26	School Employees	Medical insurance	Refund	\$1,430.00
02/11/26	Bayonne Board of Education	Medical insurance	Refund	\$241,913.41
02/11/26	Tipalti-HUDL	Sporting event reimbursements	Miscellaneous	\$326.35
02/11/26	Community Education	Food concession receipts	Current O/R	\$1,623.80
02/11/26	Grainger	Miscellaneous	Miscellaneous	\$2,094.14
02/11/26	BMI Benefits LLC	Supplemental workers compensation	Miscellaneous	\$1,374.93
02/11/26	CSM Cost Solutions	Food services rebate	Miscellaneous	\$1,475.22
02/11/26	Community Education	Youth enrichment - B/A Care	Current O/R	\$7,590.52
02/11/26	Community Education	Youth enrichment - B/A Care	Current O/R	\$5,557.00
02/11/26	Community Education	Youth enrichment - B/A Care	Current O/R	\$10,113.91
<b>Subtotal</b>				<b>\$273,499.28</b>

DATE	FROM	DESCRIPTION	ACCOUNT	AMOUNT
02/17/26	School Employee	Medical insurance - Leave reimbursement	Refund	\$3,222.94
02/17/26	Alyson LoPresti	Grounds shoot - refund salary	Refund	\$4,000.00
02/17/26	Bancroft School	Miscellaneous	Miscellaneous	\$148.52
02/17/26	BMI Benefits LLC	Supplemental workers compensation	Miscellaneous	\$2,053.74
02/17/26	Community Education	Youth enrichment - B/A Care	Current O/R	\$13,959.60
<b>Subtotal</b>				<b>\$23,384.80</b>

DATE	FROM	DESCRIPTION	ACCOUNT	AMOUNT
02/19/26	Community Education	Youth enrichment - B/A Care	Current O/R	\$4,414.04
02/19/26	Community Education	Youth enrichment - B/A Care	Current O/R	\$5,271.63
<b>Subtotal</b>				<b>\$9,685.67</b>

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DATE	FROM	DESCRIPTION	ACCOUNT	AMOUNT
02/19/26	School Employees	Medical insurance	Refund	\$6,055.00
02/19/26	Gente Service LLC-COBRA	Medical insurance	Refund	\$5,476.01
02/19/26	KPH Healthcare Services-ProAct	Prescription rebate	Refund	\$519,515.98
02/19/26	N.J.S.I.G.	Workers compensation - teacher aide	Refund	\$2,044.64
02/19/26	N.J.S.I.G.	Workers compensation - custodial	Refund	\$1,163.55
02/19/26	N.J.S.I.G.	Workers compensation - custodial	Refund	\$1,243.28
02/19/26	N.J.S.I.G.	Workers compensation - teacher aide	Refund	\$1,022.32
02/19/26	Johnson Controls Fire Protection LP	Refund	Refund	\$2,415.93
02/19/26	Community Education	Food concession receipts	Current O/R	\$1,469.50
02/19/26	Verizon	Cell tower rent	Miscellaneous	\$75.00
02/19/26	State of New Jersey	School Based Youth Services Program	Special Programs	\$25,201.00
02/19/26	Community Education	Youth enrichment - B/A Care	Current O/R	\$306.00
02/19/26	Spectrum 360 A NJ NonProfit	Miscellaneous tuitions	Miscellaneous	\$4,126.62
<b>Subtotal</b>				<b>\$570,114.83</b>

DATE	FROM	DESCRIPTION	ACCOUNT	AMOUNT
02/26/26	Bayonne Board of Education	Medical insurance	Refund	\$241,789.29
02/26/26	School Parents	Chromebook reimbursements	Miscellaneous	\$480.00
02/26/26	Community Education	Food concession receipts	Current O/R	\$899.45
02/26/26	Community Education	Youth enrichment - B/A Care	Current O/R	\$349.08
02/26/26	Community Education	Youth enrichment - B/A Care	Current O/R	\$40.00
02/26/26	Community Education	Ice time rental fees	Current O/R	\$13,050.50
02/26/26	Community Education	Youth enrichment-Karate & Facility rent	Current O/R	\$3,975.00
<b>Subtotal</b>				<b>\$260,583.32</b>

DATE	FROM	DESCRIPTION	ACCOUNT	AMOUNT
02/27/26	School Employees	Medical insurance	Refund	\$2,295.00
02/27/26	MetLife Insurance	Refund	Refund	\$103,636.97
02/27/26	Verizon	Cell tower rent	Miscellaneous	\$75.00
02/27/26	Community Education	Youth enrichment - B/A Care	Current O/R	\$20.00
02/27/26	Community Education	Youth enrichment - B/A Care	Current O/R	\$1,134.00
02/27/26	Community Education	Youth enrichment - B/A Care	Current O/R	\$40.00
02/27/26	Community Education	Wrestling event receipts	Current O/R	\$509.00
<b>Subtotal</b>				<b>\$107,709.97</b>

**GRAND TOTAL \$1,277,037.76**

**ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MARCH 17th, 2026**

**BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE**  
**HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

**WHEREAS**, the following reports have been received and reviewed; therefore

**BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED**, that the Bayonne Board of Education accepts these reports as listed below and directs the Board Secretary to file these reports on behalf of this Board;

Board Secretary Report February 2026

Report of School Monies February 2026

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that pursuant to NJAC 6:23-2.11, we certify that the Board Secretary's monthly financial report (appropriations section) did not reflect an over expenditure in any of the major accounts of funds, and based on the appropriation balances reflected on this report and the advice of the district officials, we have no reason to doubt that the district has sufficient funds available to meet its financial obligations for the remainder of the fiscal year.

**ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MARCH 17<sup>th</sup>, 2026**

**BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE**

**HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

**WHEREAS**, claims, payrolls and social security taxes must be paid on behalf of this Board of Education, and

**WHEREAS**, the claims presented by the Board Secretary be approved and the School Business Administrator is hereby authorized and directed to draw warrants to pay same, now;

**BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED**, that the warrants forwarded to the Board Secretary and the Board President for signatures be paid, and;

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the **January 30<sup>th</sup>, 2026 regular** payroll and all taxes in the amount of \$6,729,068.73 be accepted and approved, and now;

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the **February 12<sup>th</sup>, 2026 regular** payroll and all taxes in the amount of \$7,923,425.83 be accepted and approved, and now;

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the **February 27<sup>th</sup>, 2026 regular** payroll and all taxes in the amount of \$6,679,513.38 be accepted and approved, and now;

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the purchase orders presented for review at the workshop **February 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2026** are hereby accepted.

**ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MARCH 17<sup>th</sup>, 2026**

**BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE**  
**HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

**WHEREAS,** it has been deemed necessary by the School Business Administrator that with the attached Expense Account Adjustment report in related line accounts and programs categories for the 2025-2026 school years are sufficient to meet the anticipated expenditures; and

**WHEREAS,** the Chief School Administrator has approved that the attached Expense Account Adjustment report for the period **February 2026** of the Bayonne Board of Education; now

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** that this Board of Education accepts and ratifies the attached Expense Account Adjustment report to the line accounts and program categories for the 2025-2026 school year budgets.

**ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MARCH 17<sup>th</sup>, 2026**



**BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE**  
**HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

**WHEREAS**, the Bayonne Board of Education is projecting a significant increase in Health Benefit Costs for the 2026-2027 school year; and

**WHEREAS**, the Bayonne Board of Education is permitted to use the Health Benefit Adjustment based on this significant increase, therefore;

**BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Bayonne Board of Education includes in the final budget the adjustment for increased costs of health benefits in the amount of \$7,867,857. The additional funds will be used to pay for the additional increases in health benefit premiums.

**ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MARCH 17<sup>th</sup> 2026**

**BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE**  
**HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A:11-12, in each pre-budget year, the Bayonne Board of Education of the City of Bayonne, Hudson County, New Jersey is required to establish a maximum travel expenditure amount for the budget year which may not be exceeded; and

**WHEREAS**, the Bayonne Board of Education has determined that the maximum travel expenditure amount includes all travel that is supported by State and Local funds; and now,

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Bayonne Board of Education hereby established as a maximum travel expenditure amount, in the current budget year of 2025-2026 of \$75,000. It has disbursed, as of March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2026, \$39,865.23; the Board hereby establishes the maximum travel amount for the 2026-2027 school year as \$75,000.

**ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MARCH 17<sup>th</sup> 2026**



**BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE**

**HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

**March 17, 2026**

**WHEREAS**, the Bayonne Board of Education based on the recommendation of the Child Study Team, chooses to send a Special Education student (ID 939127) placed in a resident home located in Neptune Township, New Jersey to attend Coastal Learning Center South, in Howell, New Jersey from July 2025-June 2026

**WHEREAS**, it is necessary to obtain transportation for this student; and

**WHEREAS**, the Neptune Township Board of Education is the Host District which will provide transportation for the Resident Student. The Bayonne Board of Education, Joiner District, agrees to pay the host district as specified on the contract for the 2025-26 school year, and

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that a contract be given to the below listed:

<b>Neptune Township Board of Education</b>	<b>\$860.00 25-26 SY (September)</b>
<b>Transportation Coordinator</b>	
<b>60 Neptune Blvd., Neptune, NJ 07753</b>	<b>\$1720.00 25-26 ESY</b>

**ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MARCH 17, 2026**

**BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE**  
**HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

**WHEREAS**, this Board of Education of the City of Bayonne, Hudson County, New Jersey has a need to purchase a Pediatric Wheelchair Stroller with supports for student #928333 for use during the school day, AND

**WHEREAS**, the adaptive seating will accommodate the student's disabilities to create a more comfortable environment during transport, to and from school, as well as making allowing him to participate on offsite activities. The student will be able to focus on his educational program using more active learning variations. It will also assist in his daily activities in safe positioning and support as well, NOW

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Bayonne Board of Education hereby approves the purchase of a Pediatric Wheelchair Stroller for student #928333 at a cost of \$3,709.10

**ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MARCH 17, 2026**



**BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE**  
**HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

**WHEREAS**, this Board of Education of the City of Bayonne, Hudson County, New Jersey has a need to purchase a multiple piece of equipment for student #96907 for use during the school day, that has returned to district, AND

**WHEREAS**, the adaptive seating will accommodate the student's disabilities to create a more comfortable and functional classroom environment allowing him to focus on his educational program using more active learning variations. It will also assist in his daily activities in safe positioning and support as well as feeding therapies, NOW

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Bayonne Board of Education hereby approves the purchase of the equipment from National Seating & Mobility Inc for student #96907 as follows:

Pacer	\$6,885.00
Rifton Tricycle	\$4,438.80
Hi-Lo Activity Chair	\$7,074.00
EasyStand Evolv	\$9,148.50
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$27,546.30</b>

**ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MARCH 17, 2026**

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**BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE**  
**HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

March 17, 2026

WHEREAS, the Bayonne Board of Education based on the recommendation of the Child Study Team, chooses to send Special Education students to the following schools for the 2026-27 Extend school year.

WHEREAS, the following are renewal routes for the 2026-27 Extended school year, and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that a contract be approved to the below listed transportation companies for route renewal at per diem amount indicated below which is an increase over 2025-2026 in the amount of 3.58%:

<b><u>ROUTE NAME</u></b>	<b><u>RT. #</u></b>	<b><u>OLD COST</u></b>	<b><u>NEW COST</u></b>	<b><u># OF STUDENTS</u></b>
<b><u>NW TRANSPORT, 141C OVERMOUNT AVE., WOODLAND PARK, NJ</u></b>				
Pillar Elementary School, Livingston, NJ	RT. ESY 287b	\$311.00	\$322.13	1
St. Joseph's for the Blind, Jersey City, NJ	RT. ESY 346	\$253.75	\$262.83	2
Banyan Elementary School, Fairfield, NJ	RT. ESY 375a	\$305.50	\$316.43	1
First Children, Plainfield, NJ	RT. ESY 243	\$326.25	\$337.93	2
Banyan High School, Little Falls, NJ	RT. ESY 375	\$305.50	\$316.43	1
New Jersey Regional Day, Jersey City, NJ	RT. ESY 084	\$305.50	\$316.43	2
Lake Drive School, Mountain Lakes, NJ	RT. ESY 030	\$305.50	\$316.43	3
A.Harry Moore School, Jersey City, NJ	RT. ESY 395	\$305.50	\$316.43	1
A.Harry Moore School, Jersey City, NJ	RT. ESY 395a	\$305.50	\$316.43	1
<b><u>NEWARK TRANSPORT, 161 LINCOLN AVE., NEWARK, NJ</u></b>				
A.Harry Moore School, Jersey City, NJ	RT. ESY 395a	\$250.00	\$258.95	1
<b><u>MOVE ME TRANSPORT, 1806 STATE HIGHWAY 35, OAKHURST, NJ</u></b>				
Jardine Academy, Cranford, NJ	RT.ESY 080c	\$475.59	\$492.61	1
Ctr. for Life Long Learning, Sayreville, NJ	RT.ESY 343	\$522.05	\$540.74	1
The Forum School, Waldwick, NJ	RT.ESY 313	\$516.24	\$534.74	2
<b><u>NJ PREFERRED, 689 MAIN AVE., PASSAIC, NJ</u></b>				
Mountain Lakes High School, Mt. Lakes, NJ	RT. ESY 030A	\$355.45	\$368.18	4
Celebrate the Children, Denville, NJ	RT. ESY 256	\$355.45	\$368.18	1
Windsor Prep, Paramus, NJ	RT. ESY 102	\$375.96	\$389.42	3
<b><u>SMART SCHOOL VEHICLE, 48 IVINS Dr., NEW EGYPT, NJ</u></b>				
First Children School, Plainfield	RT. ESY 243a	\$330.39	\$342.22	1
DLC, New Providence	RT. ESY 360	\$379.00	\$392.57	1
<b><u>Mc CABE AMBULANCE, 7 EAST 41<sup>ST</sup> STREET, BAYONNE, NJ</u></b>				
Phoenix Center, Nutley	RT. ESY 086	\$799.16	\$827.77	2
<b><u>JR TRANSPORTATION PO BOX 858, BAYONNE, NJ</u></b>				
DLC, Warren, NJ	RT. ESY 330b	\$329.00	\$347.78	1
DLC, Warren, NJ	RT. ESY 330d	\$349.00	\$361.49	1
Felician School for the exceptional children Lodi, NJ	RT. ESY 427	\$299.00	\$309.70	1
Chapel Hill School, Lincoln Park, NJ	RT. ESY 358	\$359.00	\$371.85	1
Garmon School, Fairfield, NJ	RT. ESY 421	\$399.00	\$413.28	2

**PRESTIGE XPRESS, 28 SURREY DRIVE, WAYNE, NJ**

DLC, Warren, NJ	RT. ESY 207	\$448.07	\$464.11	2
Windsor Bergen Academy, Ridgefield, NJ	RT. ESY 410	\$327.00	\$338.71	1
Highland School, Midland Park, NJ	RT. ESY 391	\$297.00	\$307.63	1
Douglass Dev. Disabilities Ctr., New Brunswick	RT. ESY 425	\$349.00	\$361.49	1
High Point School, Lodi, NJ	RT. ESY 328a	\$267.00	\$276.56	1

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**BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE,  
HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

**BE IT RESOLVED** that the Bayonne Board of Education, upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the Contracts for Placement of Students with Disabilities.

NO.	ATTENDEE(S)	PLACEMENT	DATES	COST	FUND
1	Student: 822638	Terranova Group, Inc. dba Chapel Hill Academy	2025-2026 S/Y	\$31,320 \$18,000 Rel Svs	District/IDEA-B Grant
2	Student: 928333	NJCU A.Harry Moore Laboratory School	2025-2026 S/Y	\$46,371	District/IDEA-B Grant
3	Student: 100907	Center for Lifelong Learning - ESCNJ	2025-2026 S/Y	\$63,360 S/Y \$49,797 Rel Svs ESY: \$5,858	District/IDEA-B Grant
4					District/IDEA-B Grant
5					District/IDEA-B Grant
7					District/IDEA-B Grant
8					District/IDEA-B Grant
9					District/IDEA-B Grant
10					District/IDEA-B Grant

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**BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE**

**HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

**WHEREAS**, the Matter of Approval of confidential Settlement Agreement and Release resolving the Matter docketed before the Commission of Education as Agency Ref No 2026-40163 and Office of Administrative Law Docket Number as EDS 21380-25, and

**WHEREAS**, the current Stipulation of Settlement has been negotiated and settled between counsel for the Bayonne Board of Education and counsel for the parent(s)/guardian(s) that fully resolves all outstanding claims, issues and disputes involving the parties; and

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the Board of Education will continue to provide services per the Stipulation of Settlement, and authorizes the appropriate official to execute on its behalf.

**ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MARCH 17, 2026**



**BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE,  
HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

March 17, 2026

**Adoption of SEMI Corrective Action Plan**

WHEREAS, the Bayonne Board of Education is required to participate in the Special Education Medicaid Initiative (SEMI) pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-5.3; and

WHEREAS, the district did not achieve the FY25 reimbursement revenue benchmark and is therefore required to submit a corrective action plan; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board approves submission of the SEMI Corrective Action Plan to the Executive County Superintendent and authorizes district administration to implement all procedures outlined therein.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Superintendent of Schools, the Business Administrator/Board Secretary, and all appropriate staff are authorized and directed to implement all measures contained in the Corrective Action Plan, to monitor compliance, and to submit all required certifications and documentation to the New Jersey Department of Education as required.

Office of the Assistant Superintendent of Special Services  
and the Special Services Department

Date: 2/18/2026  
Time: 11:00 AM

**ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MARCH 17, 2026**

Sidebar agreement between the Bayonne Board of Education and the Bayonne Education Association.



January 2026

Whereas, the Bayonne Board of Education wishes to create The International Thespian Society Club, Troupe 5093 and the Bayonne Education Association concur that this would be beneficial to the students.

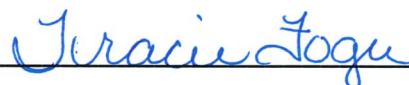
It is therefore agreed that the club shall be created, and the advisors (2) shall be paid a stipend of \$2161 each for the current school years. This stipend shall become part of the Collective Bargaining Agreement, effective February 1, 2026.

All other contract language will remain in force.

For the Board

  
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For the Association

  
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**BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE  
HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

March 17, 2026

**WHEREAS**, the Bayonne Board of Education is required to adopt a School Year Calendar for each School Year and reserves the right to make changes in order to ensure compliance with state instructional time requirements and maintain continuity of student learning; and

**WHEREAS**, inclement weather resulted in the cancellation of school during February, 2026 for two days; and

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that Thursday, June 25 and Friday, June 26 are being added to the school year as half days. Therefore, June 26, 2026 is the final day of school.

**ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MARCH 17, 2026**

*Office of the Superintendent*  
03/04/26

**BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE  
HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

**March 17, 2026**

**WHEREAS**, the Bayonne Board of Education based upon the recommendation of the State of New Jersey, Office of Student Achievement and Accountability, under the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act (Title X, Part C, of the No Child Left Behind Act) it has been determined homeless students 943729, 900635 and 962531 is now residing in North Bergen, New Jersey;

**WHEREAS**, the Board approves the contracts between Bayonne Board of Education (Sending District) and North Bergen Board of Education (Receiving District) for the 2025-2026 school year and authorizes the Bayonne Board of Education President to execute said contracts in the name and on behalf of this Board, and

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Bayonne Board of Education that the Board President be and is hereby authorized to execute the aforesaid contract and the School Business Administrator is authorized to issue a Purchase Order on behalf of the Bayonne Board of Education; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Bayonne Board of Education that the agreement shall be deemed to be effective

**NorthBergen Board of Education  
7317 Kennedy Boulevard  
North Bergen, NJ 07047**

**\$42,000 annual per student  
\$14,000 per student  
2025-2026 s.y.**

**ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MARCH 17, 2026**

**BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE  
HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

March 17, 2026

**WHEREAS**, the Bayonne Board of Education is required to adopt a School Year Calendar for the 2026-2027 School Year in order to provide an educational process uninterrupted, be it:

**RESOLVED**, that the Bayonne Board of Education hereby approves and adopts the attached calendar for the 2026-2027 School Year; running from July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027, and containing 180 days for students and 182 days for faculty and staff in accordance with state regulation.

**ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MARCH 17, 2026**

*Office of the Superintendent  
03/10/26*

**“The Youth of Today. The Leaders of Tomorrow.”**

**Bayonne School Calendar 2026-2027**

**September**

- 1- Professional day all teachers report half / day
- 2- First-day of school students/abbreviated day
- 3-4 Abbreviated day students' full day staff
- 7 - Labor day - no school
- 16 - Back to school night BHS
- 17 - Community School Back to School night
- 18 – Abbreviated day students/faculty/staff

**October**

- 12 - Columbus Day - no school
- 30 - Abbreviated day students/faculty/staff

**November**

- 3-6 - Election Day NJEA Convention/Fall Break - no school
- 11 - Veterans Day no school
- 19 – BHS Virtual Conferences – abbreviated day BHS students only
- 25 - Abbreviated day students/faculty/staff
- 26-27 Thanksgiving break - no school

**December**

- 7 – End 1<sup>st</sup> Trimester Community Schools
- 17 – Abbreviated day Community Schools students - Virtual Parent Conferences
- 23 Abbreviated day
- 24-31 Winter break - no school

**January**

- 1 - New Year's Day - no school
- 18 - Martin Luther King Day

**February**

- 4 - BHS Virtual Conferences - abbreviated day BHS students only
- 11 – Abbreviated Day
- 12 - Faculty/Staff Professional day - no school students
- 15 Presidents day - no school

**March**

25 - Abbreviated day

26– 31 Spring Break - no school

**April**

April 1-2 Spring Break - no school

**May**

28 Abbreviated day

31 Memorial Day

**June**

10-16 abbreviated days

16 - Last day of school students & faculty

18 - Juneteenth Holiday

If emergency snow days are taken the school year will be extended on June 17, 21, etc.

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**High School Grading Periods:**

November 12 - end of First Marking Period

January 28 - end of Second Marking Period

April 13 - end of Third Marking Period

June 16 - end of Fourth Marking Period

**Community Schools Grading Periods:**

December 7 - end of First Trimester

March 15 - end of Second Trimester

June 16 - end of Third Trimester

Calendar school days

**September**

Students: 20

Faculty: 21

**October**

Students: 21

Faculty: 21

**November**

Students: 14

Faculty: 14

**December**

Students: 17

Faculty: 17

**January**

Students: 19

Faculty: 19

**February**

Students: 18

Faculty: 19

**March**

Students: 19

Faculty: 19

**April**

Students: 20

Faculty: 20

**May**

Students: 20

Faculty: 20

**June**

Students: 12

Faculty: 12

**180 days students**

**182 days teachers**

BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE,  
HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY.

March 17, 2026

WHEREAS, the Bayonne Board of Education has received approval from the New Jersey State Department of Education for REVISED\* STATE AID AMOUNTS FOR SERVICES UNDER CHAPTER 192 and CHAPTER 193 for the 2025-2026 school year, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Bayonne Board of Education hereby accepts approval from the New Jersey State Department of Education for REVISED\* STATE AID AMOUNTS FOR SERVICES UNDER CHAPTER 192 and CHAPTER 193 for the 2025-2026 school year, beginning July 1, 2025 and ending June 30, 2026, as listed below:

	7/17/25	2/26/26
	<u>FUNDING</u>	<u>FUNDING</u>
<u>CHAPTER 192:</u> Compensatory Education	\$78,796.	\$78,796.
E.S.L.	\$       0.	\$       0.
Transportation	\$ 7,393.	\$ 7,393.
<u>TOTAL ALLOCATION FOR CHAPTER 192 SERVICES:</u>	<u>\$86,189.</u>	<u>\$86,189.</u>

	7/17/25	2/26/26
	<u>FUNDING</u>	<u>FUNDING*</u>
<u>CHAPTER 193:</u> Initial Exam & Classification	\$14,588.	\$14,588.
Annual Exam & Classification	\$ 3,420.	\$ 4,560.*
Corrective Speech	\$ 7,440.	\$ 7,440.
Supplemental Instruction	\$14,868.	\$19,494.*
<u>TOTAL ALLOCATION FOR CHAPTER 193 SERVICES:</u>	<u>\$40,316.</u>	<u>\$46,082.*</u>

ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MARCH 17, 2026.

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