



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

AGENDA – REGULAR MEETING TUESDAY, MAY 19th, 2026

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

APPROVAL OF MINUTES – ACCEPTANCE OF COMMUNICATIONS:

APRIL 28th, 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

FROM	TO
Michele Cappiello	Retirement
Hallie Fernandez	Retirement
Mary Ellen Forker	Retirement
Daniel McNerney	Retirement
Denise Montalvo	Retirement
Joanne Seitz	Retirement
Nancy Walsh	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

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- A4. MATTER OF – Chapter 192/193 Revision
- A5. MATTER OF – National History Day Finals
- A6. MATTER OF – Consultants, Conferences, Travel
- A7. MATTER OF – Community Based Instruction and Work Based Learning
- A8. MATTER OF – Catapult Learning Contract
- A9. MATTER OF – Field Trips
- A10. MATTER OF – School Level Attendance, Culture, and Climate Committees
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- A12. MATTER OF – Gifted and Talented Committees
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- B23. MATTER OF – 2025-2026 Unpaid Administrative Leave
- B24. MATTER OF – 2025-2026 April/May HIB

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BUSINESS ADMINISTRATORS REPORT

C. Finance/Building & Grounds

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- C3. MATTER OF – Claims and Accounts
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- C8. MATTER OF – New Jersey School Boards Association Conference
- C9. MATTER OF – 2025-2026 Emergency Transportation Contract
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ADDENDUM ITEMS

Superintendent's Report (Curriculum/Personnel)

MOVED BY:	
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AYE:	
NAY:	
ABSTAIN:	
ABSENT:	

Business Administrators Report (Finance)

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NAY:	
ABSTAIN:	
ABSENT:	

PUBLIC COMMENTS:

ADJOURNMENT

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NAY:	
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ABSENT:	

May 19th, 2026

BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE,

HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

May 19, 2026

WHEREAS, At a time of continued fiscal uncertainty and mounting challenges, local boards of education from across the state of New Jersey continue to suffer under the growing crisis posed by the rising cost of health benefits and are desperate for relief; and

WHEREAS, Despite record levels of state investments in public education, these school districts are facing fiscal pressures similar to those confronting the state budget, including the unsustainable growth in health-care premiums and the mounting insolvency of the state's public employees health benefits programs; and

WHEREAS, Both within the School Employees' Health Benefits Program (SEHBP) and the private market, year-over-year double-digit increases are placing tremendous strain on district budgets and local taxpayers alike; and

WHEREAS, Governor Sherrill and legislative leadership have publicly acknowledged the urgent need to address rising health-care costs and the challenges facing the state's health benefits plans, including both the state and local portions of the State Health Benefits Program and the SEHBP; and

WHEREAS, The seriousness of this issue is underscored by the mid-year SEHBP analysis released by the Treasury Department in March 2026, which concluded that "based on these projected losses and building in future trends, active premium rate increases for 2027 are likely to be in the double digits;" and

WHEREAS, These projected increases would follow the 31.9 percent premium increase that took effect in January 2026, further exacerbating an overall premium increase of nearly 74 percent in the preceding five years; and

WHEREAS, This growth in health-care costs far exceeds inflation, state aid increases and the fiscal capacity of local communities; and

WHEREAS, Rising health-care premiums are consuming an ever-larger portion of already constrained school district budgets, forcing difficult decisions that directly affect students, staff and educational quality; and

WHEREAS, These cost pressures also have significant consequences for taxpayers, as districts are often compelled to utilize the full extent of their available tax levy, even after which many districts remain unable to fully offset these increases due to the constraints of the property tax levy cap, despite the limited health-care exception; and

WHEREAS, For the families and students these districts serve, the downstream

consequences — including district deficits, program cuts and school closures — mean the loss of community stability, continuity of services, and in many cases, access to the specialized supports that our most vulnerable students depend on; and

WHEREAS, These are also precisely the conditions that erode student achievement and weaken the family engagement that is central to strengthening New Jersey's public schools; and

WHEREAS, Implementing real, sustainable solutions to the rising cost of health benefits and reforming how benefits are delivered through the SEHBP would demonstrate the Governor's and Legislature's leadership and continued commitment to New Jersey's students, educators and families, which directly advances our shared goal of affordability and effective, efficient government for all New Jerseyans.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Bayonne Board of Education calls upon the Governor and State Legislature to provide immediate, short-term relief from the unsustainable increased health-care costs experienced by school districts in recent years; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Bayonne Board of Education urges the Governor to engage in meaningful engagement with all affected stakeholders to develop and implement practical long-term reforms to the state's system of delivering health care to its public employees in order to generate meaningful, long-term savings; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Governor Mikie Sherrill, State Treasurer Aaron Binder, Senate President Nicholas Scutari, Assembly Speaker Craig Coughlin, Senator Angela McKnight, Assemblyman William Sampson, Assemblyman Jerry Walker, and the New Jersey School Boards Association.

ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD ON MAY 19, 2026

**Office of the Superintendent
5/11/26 10:50 AM**

BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE,

HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

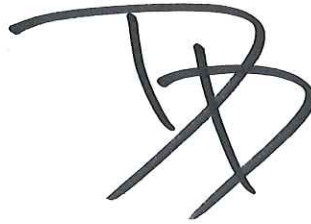
May 19, 2026

WHEREAS, the Bayonne Board of Education in accordance with the NJ Department of Education is required to submit the District Professional Development Plan and the District Mentoring Plan for Bayonne Public Schools; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education, on the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, agrees to make final approval of the District Professional Development Plan and the District Mentoring Plan for the 2026-27 school year.

ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD ON MAY 19, 2026

Office of Assistant Superintendent of Curriculum and Instruction (mv)
3/3/26 11:50 AM

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BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE

HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

May 19, 2026


WHEREAS, this Board of Education intends to enroll in the Waksman Student Scholars Program for the 2026-2027 school year; a program that provides opportunities for high school students and their teachers to conduct an authentic research project in molecular biology and bioinformatics and publish their findings;

WHEREAS, students registered for a science research course at Bayonne High School will collaborate on activities provided by the Waksman Institute. The district will pick up supplies and equipment at the Waksman Institute (Rutgers University) several times during the school year and obtain basic supplies such as pipet tips, microfuge tubes, culture tubes, sterile pipette and agarose to run the program. Additionally, students and staff will participate in several field trips.

BE IT RESOLVED, that this Board of Education hereby approves the Bayonne School District to participate in the Waksman Student Scholars Program for the 2026-2027 school year.

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Science Department
May 19, 2026



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

May 19, 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:

	<u>7/17/25</u>	<u>4/29/26</u>
	<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>

	<u>7/17/25</u>	<u>4/29/26</u>
	<u>FUNDING</u>	<u>FUNDING*</u>
<u>CHAPTER 193:</u> Initial Exam & Classification	\$14,588.	\$14,588.
<u>Annual Exam & Classification</u>	<u>\$ 3,420.</u>	<u>\$ 7,600.*</u>
Corrective Speech	\$ 7,440.	\$ 7,440.
Supplemental Instruction	\$14,868.	\$19,824.
<u>TOTAL ALLOCATION FOR CHAPTER 193 SERVICES:</u>	<u>\$40,316.</u>	<u>\$49,452.*</u>

ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MAY 19, 2026

Office of Curriculum & Instruction (cd) #6
5/5/2026 - 8:55am

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

Revised 5/13/26

WHEREAS, this Board of Education of the City of Bayonne, Hudson County, New Jersey wishes to continue its tradition of celebrating and supporting student achievement

WHEREAS, this Board of Education of the City of Bayonne, Hudson County, New Jersey wishes to continue its long-running support of student and teacher participation in the 2026 National History Day Finals at the University of Maryland, College Park

WHEREAS, this Board of Education of the City of Bayonne, Hudson County, New Jersey believes such support is vital to the on-going success of this program

WHEREAS, this Board of Education of the City of Bayonne, Hudson County, New Jersey offers to bear the following costs associated with competing in the 2026 National History Day Finals at the University of Maryland, College Park from June 14 - June 18, 2026

		Budget number used
Teacher Registration Fees:	\$65 x 3 = \$195	11-000-223-320-010-251
Students' Registration Fees:	\$165 x 11 = \$1,815	11-000-223-320-010-251
Travel by car(s) for teachers	\$.47 per mile - TBD	11-000-223-580-034-001
Tolls for travel by car(s) for 3 teachers	TBD	11-000-223-580-034-001
Teacher Accommodations	\$219.22 per night x 4 nights = \$876.88 Total for two (2) teachers accommodations = \$1,753.76	11-000-223-580-034-001
M & IE reimbursements	Sean Ryan: \$84 p/d = \$420 Rob Tonneson: \$84 p/d = \$420	11-000-223-580-034-001

Teachers/Students to attend the National History Day Finals at the University of Maryland, College Park from June 14 – June 18, 2026 are:

Teachers:

- John Hall, Sean Ryan, Robert Tonnesen

Students:

- Students: Nishka Da's (Bayonne High School); Mokshari Chitirala (Dr. Walter F. Robinson Community School); Lilliana Arias (Lincoln Community School); Carlos Rodriguez, Zaynab Umair, Jianna Mathew, Wiam Titaoui, Sasha McCurdy (William Shemin Midtown Community School); Claudia Gwozdziowska, Lluan Magoali, Yoanna Farag (Washington Community School)

ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING MAY 19th, 2026

Office of Social Studies 5/13/26 11:40 AM

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

May 19, 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	Mackenzie Brown	Special Services Department BCBA Bailey	Drexel University A.J.Drexel Autism Institute ADOS-2 Introductory/Clinical Workshop	Virtual	June 8-9, 2026	\$650.00 Paid by employee	N/A	No
2	Ann Rose	Special Services Department Occupational Therapist Woodrow Wilson	ERI: Educational Resources Inc. Move to See, See to Move: Linking Primitive Reflex Integration and Functional Vision – Live Webinar – Two Sessions	Virtual	August 27 & 28, 2026	\$339.00	11-000-219-320-010-020	No
3	Maureen Brown Stacey Janeczko Dr. Karee McAndrew Noelia Lago-Teixeira	Central Office Philip G. Vroom Technology Special Service	The Hudson County Professional Development Consortium 2025 - 2026	Renaissance Meadowlands Hotel 801 Rutherford Avenue Rutherford, NJ 07070	June 5, 2026	No Cost	N/A	No Yes No No
4	Alicja Dolecka	Social Studies Department	The Glider Lehrman Institute of American History: The Great Depression, New Deal, and World War II	Marist University Poughkeepsie, NY	July 19-23, 2026	\$50.00	11-000-223-320-010-251 Local Funds	No
5	Walter Rogers	Security Central Office	Examination Strategies for Preparing Officers and Superiors (ESPOS)	NJ Juvenile Law and Procedure 30B Vreeland Road Suite 111 Florham Park, New Jersey 07932	May 21, 2026	\$150.00	11-000-223-320-010-251 Local Funds	No
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BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE

HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

WHEREAS, the Bayonne Board of Education has determined that it needs to promote and implement Community Based Instruction (CBI) experiences for students with disabilities in grades K-12+ as well as Work Based Learning (WBL) experiences for students in grades 12 and 12+,

WHEREAS, CBI and WBL are evidence-based practices that support students with disabilities into their communities, and support IEP and postsecondary goals targeted toward transition to adulthood as well as transition specific activities, and

WHEREAS, examples of CBI and WBL experiences are to include but are not limited to, visits to the local Police Station, Post Office, Light Rail, Parks, Library, Mona Lisa, etc. WBL sites may include, but are not limited to Walgreens, CVS, AutoZone, etc.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Bayonne Board of Education hereby approves the CBI and WBL Programs to run from Woodrow Wilson, Lincoln, Washington, and John Bailey Community Schools as well as Bayonne High School throughout the 2026 ESY Program and the 2026-2027 School Year.

ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MAY 19, 2026

Spec Serv Dept 4/23/26 8:00AM

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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 is desirous of contracting with Catapult Learning to provide nursing services to the non-public schools in the City of Bayonne for the School Year **2026-2027** in accordance with the legislation enacted by the State of New Jersey on July 1, 1992, and known as the Chapter 226 of the laws of 1991, and

WHEREAS, this Board of Education will pay to Catapult Learning all state aid received under the legislation which aid shall be the total payment for all nursing services provided to the non-public schools, and which shall be distributed in accordance with the Rules and Regulations promulgated by the State Department of Education for the aforesaid legislation, and

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that this Board of Education approves an agreement between this Board of Education and the Catapult Learning of Jersey City concerning the contracting of nursing services to non-public schools in Bayonne, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board President and Board Secretary are authorized to execute the Agreement on behalf of this Board and Board Counsel approves same as to form.

ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MAY 19th, 2025

BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE

HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

May 19, 2026

**RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING DISTRICT AND SCHOOL-LEVEL ATTENDANCE, CULTURE,
AND CLIMATE COMMITTEES FOR THE 2026-2027 SCHOOL YEAR**

WHEREAS, the Bayonne Board of Education is dedicated to providing a safe, inclusive, and engaging learning environment where every student feels valued and motivated to attend school daily; and

WHEREAS, student attendance and a positive school culture and climate are fundamental drivers of academic achievement, social-emotional growth, and overall student well-being; and

WHEREAS, the Bayonne Board of Education recognizes that improving chronic absenteeism and fostering a supportive district-wide culture requires data-informed strategies, collaborative leadership, and a commitment to equity; and

WHEREAS, the establishment of dedicated District and School-based Committees will provide the necessary structure to monitor trends, implement restorative practices, and ensure a consistent approach to climate and culture across all campuses;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Bayonne Board of Education directs each school within the district to establish a **School Attendance, Culture, and Climate Committee** for the 2026-2027 school year, which shall:

1. **Implement** school-specific action plans to promote positive student behavior and daily attendance according to district guidelines.
2. **Analyze** school-level data to identify students at risk of chronic absenteeism and implement timely interventions.
3. **Provide feedback** to the District Committee on the local impact of climate initiatives and suggest improvements for district-wide strategies.

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Office of Chief Academic Officer
Dr. Wachera Ragland-Brown
May 4, 2026

BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNEHUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEYAttendance/ Culture & Climate Committee Teams 26-27

Location	Last Name	First Name	Position
Henry E. Harris	Kazimir	Maria	Principal
Henry E. Harris	Jaros	Luisa	Assistant Principal
Henry E. Harris	Ballance	Kaitlyn	Counselor
Henry E. Harris	Raslowsky	Danielle	Math teacher
Henry E. Harris	Hall	Aric	Teacher 6-8
Henry E. Harris	Pardo	Maria	6-8 Teacher/BEA Rep
Henry E. Harris	Fedrow	Michael	Attendance Officer
Philip G. Vroom	D'Angelo	Sandra	Guidance
Philip G. Vroom	Alvarez	Chrissy	Title 1
Philip G. Vroom	Baranok	Alyssa	Nurse
Philip G. Vroom	Kilroy	Michelle	CST
Philip G. Vroom	Greene	Tara	Special Ed Teacher
Philip G. Vroom	Armstrong	Keith	Special Ed Teacher
Philip G. Vroom	Echeverria	Carlos	Attendance Officer
Walter F. Robinson	Fiermonte	Dr. Karen	Principal
Walter F. Robinson	Cirillo	Leslie	Counselor
Walter F. Robinson	Piniero	Tiffany	Counselor
Walter F. Robinson	Spiers	Jessica	Gen Ed Teacher
Walter F. Robinson	Merino	Ruben	ESL Teacher
Walter F. Robinson	Reynolds	Neil	Attendance Officer
Walter F. Robinson	Mentias	Sally	Nurse
Walter F. Robinson	Garcia	Sam	Security

Mary J. Donohoe	Baccarella	PJ	Principal
Mary J. Donohoe	Lee	Brianne	Teacher
Mary J. Donohoe	Wade	Marissa	Teacher
Mary J. Donohoe	Schenkman	Amanda	Counselor
Mary J. Donohoe	Regan	Danielle	Teacher
Mary J. Donohoe	Miragliotta	Nicole	Special Ed Teacher
Lincoln	Malanowski	Carolyn	Principal
Lincoln	Zalis	Heather	Asst. Principal
Lincoln	Hickey	Meghan	Counselor
Lincoln	Kwiatkowski	Anna	Nurse
Lincoln	Reynolds	Neil	Attendance Officer
Lincoln	Suhovic	Nicole	Teacher
Lincoln	Feuer	Patricia	Inclusion Teacher
Horace Mann	Byrd	Donald	Interim Principal
Horace Mann	Wexler	Evan	Assistant Principal
Horace Mann	Fortunato	Tori	School Nurse
Horace Mann	Smith	Julie	Teacher
Horace Mann	Echeverria	Carlos	Attendance Officer
Horace Mann	Nitkowski	Kara	School Counselor
Horace Mann	Smith	Dr. Jamie	Teacher
WSMCS	Pondillo	James	Principal
WSMCS	Pullaro	Robyn	5th Grade Teacher
WSMCS	DeAngelo	Jason	General
WSMCS	Soto	Tara	G&T Coach
WSCMS	Petti	Jessica	School Nurse
WSMCS	McDermott	Beth	Math
WSMCS	Marko	Vanessa	Attendance Officer
Woodrow Wilson	Furmaniak	Tara	Principal
Woodrow Wilson	Acerra	Jason	Assistant Principal
Woodrow Wilson	Skalski	Sara	Nurse

Woodrow Wilson	Marko	Vanessa	Attendance
Woodrow Wilson	Guarino	Dayna	SAC
Woodrow Wilson	Pagano	Maria	Counselor
Washington	Becker	George	Principal
Washington	Wasielewski	Lisa	Asst. Principal
Washington	Virack	Melissa	Counselor
Washington	Nardone	Kristen	CST
Washington	Fedrow	Michael	Attendance Officer
Washington	Calverley	Margaret	Tech Teacher
Washington	Zervoulis	Molly	SCSE
John M. Bailey	McCormick	Al	Principal
John M. Bailey	Ryan	Alana	Assistant Principal
John M. Bailey	Mont	Wendy	SEL/ Mental Health Counselor
John M. Bailey	Galvin	Madison	School Nurse
John M. Bailey	Reynolds	Neil	Attendance Officer
John M. Bailey	Sette	Gina	Teacher of Kindergarten
John M. Bailey	Weir	Desiree	CST- School Psychologist
Nicholas Oresko	Bullock	Monique	Principal
Nicholas Oresko	Kahle	Stephanie	Early Childhood Teacher
Nicholas Oresko	Traina Coll	Danielle	Counselor
Nicholas Oresko	Fedrow	Michael	Attendance
Nicholas Oresko	Forker	Mary Ellen	Nurse
Nicholas Oresko	Gonzalez Roman	Tamara	Early Childhood Teacher
Nicholas Oresko	Torres	Barbara	Special Ed Teacher
BHS	Makowski	Keith	Principal
BHS	Scarpelli	Kristen	12th Grade English Teacher
BHS	Cody	Jen	11th Grade English Teacher
BHS	Rios	Siobhan	Chemistry Teacher
BHS	Lavery	Jamie	Biology Teacher
BHS	Decker	Chelsea	Math Dept-Alg/ Alg II Teacher
BHS	Russell	Tanya	ELA Teacher
BHS	Sweeney	Kelly	Soc Studies Teacher

District Team	Ragland-Brown	Dr. Wachera	Chief Academic Officer
District Team	Degnan	Dr. Dennis	Assistant Superintendent
District Team	Aiello	Dawn	Director of Mathematics
District Team	Bergantino	Jolene	Coordinator of Data, Assessment, State & Federal Programs
District Team	Blunda	Frank	Vice Principal
District Team	Brown	Maureen	Principal, Culture & Climate
District Team	Cody	Jennifer	Teacher
District Team	Cuttruff	Kathryn	Early Childhood Supervisor
District Team	Damian	Colleen	Technology Facilitator/District Communications Manager
District Team	DeAngelo	Jason	Teacher
District Team	Fiermonte	Dr. Karen	Principal/Walter F. Robinson Community School
District Team	George	Daniel	Director of Athletics
District Team	Gill	Eileen	Attendance Office Manager
District Team	Hayes	Joseph	Assistant Supervisor, Special Services
District Team	Makowski	Keith	Principal
District Team	McAndrew	Dr. Karee	Director of Technology
District Team	Nichols	Lecia	Assistant Principal, Bayonne High School
District Team	Reynolds	Neil	Attendance Officer
District Team	Russell	Tanya	Teacher
District Team	Spiers	Jessica	Early Childhood Teacher
District Team	Zalis	Heather	Assistant Principal

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Office of Chief Academic Officer
 Dr. Wachera Ragland-Brown
 May 4, 2026

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BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE

HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

May 19, 2026

**RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING DISTRICT AND SCHOOL-LEVEL ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE FOR THE
2026-2027 SCHOOL YEAR**

WHEREAS, the Bayonne Board of Education recognizes the transformative potential of Artificial Intelligence (AI) to enhance educational outcomes, streamline operations, and foster innovation within our schools; and

WHEREAS, the Bayonne Board of Education is committed to maintaining its position as a leader in education by exploring strategic initiatives that advance the integration of AI to benefit teaching, learning, and administrative processes; and

WHEREAS, the Board seeks to leverage the expertise, innovative thinking, and dedication of qualified individuals to guide and shape the district's approach to AI integration in alignment with our strategic initiatives;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Bayonne Board of Education hereby establishes the Artificial Intelligence (AI) District and School Committees to provide recommendations, insights, and strategies for incorporating AI into the operations and educational programs of Bayonne Public Schools.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the purpose of the AI Advisory Committee shall be as follows:

1. **To explore the potential of AI to enhance teaching and learning** by identifying tools, methodologies, and best practices that support personalized learning, student engagement, and academic success.
2. **To assess the application of AI in operational efficiencies**, including but not limited to data analysis, resource allocation, and decision-making processes.
3. **To ensure ethical, equitable, and responsible AI use** within the district, addressing privacy concerns, mitigate bias, and ensuring accessibility for all students and staff.
4. **To provide strategic recommendations** that position Bayonne Public Schools at the forefront of educational innovation through the thoughtful integration of AI technologies.

ADOPTED AT THE BOARD MEETING HELD ON May 19, 2026

Office of Chief Academic Officer
Date: May 4, 2026

BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE

HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

AI Teams 26-27

Location	Last Name	First Name	Position
Henry E. Harris	Kazimir	Maria	Principal
Henry E. Harris	Jaros	Luisa	Assistant Principal
Henry E. Harris	Foote	James	Technology Teacher
Henry E. Harris	Barba	Michelle	CST Member
Henry E. Harris	Ibrahim	John	Teacher 6-8
Philip G. Vroom	Sandra	D'Angelo	Guidance
Philip G. Vroom	Szelezeszynski	Damian	Tech Teacher
Philip G. Vroom	Kilroy	Michelle	CST
Philip G. Vroom	McNerney	Martin	Math Teacher
Philip G. Vroom	Kim	Katie	Math Coach
Philip G. Vroom	Mitchell	Michael	PE Teacher
Walter F. Robinson	Fiermonte	Dr. Karen	Principal
Walter F. Robinson	Costello	Areta	Asst Principal
Walter F. Robinson	Spiers	Jessica	Gen Ed Teacher
Walter F. Robinson	Laszkow	Angela	Gr. 8 ELA Teacher
Walter F. Robinson	Burnett	Kelsey	Gr. 5 SS/Sci Teacher
Walter F. Robinson	Perez	Claudia	Gr. 7 Bil. Spanish SS
Walter F. Robinson	Elrahamawy	Nehal	Gr. K/1 Bil. Arabic

Mary J. Donohoe	Baccarella	PJ	Principal
Mary J. Donohoe	Lee	Brianne	Teacher
Mary J. Donohoe	Wade	Marissa	Teacher
Mary J. Donohoe	Schenkman	Amanda	Counselor
Mary J. Donohoe	Regan	Danielle	Teacher
Mary J. Donohoe	Miragliotta	Nicole	Special Ed Teacher
Lincoln	Malanowski	Carolyn	Principal
Lincoln	Zalis	Heather	Asst. Principal
Lincoln	Fearon	Angela	Tech Teacher
Lincoln	Devaney	Kelly	Teacher
Lincoln	Creswick	Diane	Teacher
Lincoln	Ryan	Katie	Teacher
Lincoln	Cortese	Laura	Teacher
Horace Mann	Byrd	Donald	Interim Principal
Horace Mann	Wexler	Evan	Assistant Principal
Horace Mann	Nitkowski	Kara	School Counselor
Horace Mann	MacKenzie	Melissa	CST, SSW
Horace Mann	Wahba	Bessa	Technology Teacher
Horace Mann	Feuer	Kayla	Teacher
WSMCS	Pondillo	James	Principal
WSMCS	Soto	Tara	G&T Coach
WSMCS	Fogo	Tracie	Math/BEA
WSMCS	Meehan	Kyle	Technology
WSMCS	DeAngelo	Jason	8th Grade Teacher
Woodrow Wilson	Furmaniak	Tara	Principal
Woodrow Wilson	Acerra	Jason	Assistant Principal
Woodrow Wilson	Palmieri	Anthony	Tech Teacher
Woodrow Wilson	Blicharz	Tyler	Tech Teacher
Woodrow Wilson	Mira-Bautista	Jhaelin	Teacher

Washington	Becker	George	Principal
Washington	Wasielewski	Lisa	Asst. Principal
Washington	Nardone	Kristen	CST
Washington	Calverley	Margaret	Tech Teacher
Washington	Arana	Kathie	PK Teacher
Washington	Hester	Katherine	Gr.3 Teacher
John M. Bailey	McCormick	Al	Principal
John M. Bailey	Ryan	Alana	Assistant Principal
John M. Bailey	Dorans	Denise	Teacher of Technology
John M. Bailey	Dengler	Grace	Gr. 1 Teacher
John M. Bailey	Marko	Nicolette	Gr. 6 Sp. Ed. Teacher (SCBD)
John M. Bailey	Yurechko	Jessica	CST - LDTC
John M. Bailey	Mont	Wendy	Mental Health Counselor (SEL)
Nicholas Oresko	Matos	Jesse	Technology Teacher
Nicholas Oresko	Weimmer	Kimberly	Middle School Math
Nicholas Oresko	Macklin	Rachel	Early Childhood Teacher
Nicholas Oresko	Ruiz	Brielle	Early Childhood Teacher
Nicholas Oresko	Miller	Caitlin	Special Education Teacher
Nicholas Oresko	Ramdat	Alissa	Counselor
Nicholas Oresko	Bullock	Monique	Principal
BHS	Makowski	Keith	Principal
BHS	Russell	Tanya	ELA Teacher
BHS	Henry	Barbara	ELA Teacher
BHS	Popowski	Corinne	Science Teacher
BHS	Fung	Steven	Math Teacher
BHS	Nasser	Lina	Math Teacher
District Team	Niesz	John	Superintendent
District Team	Ragland-Brown	Dr. Wachera	Chief Academic Officer
District Team	Bergantino	Jolene	Coordinator of Data, Assessment, State & Federal Programs

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District Team	Basile	Juana	Assistant Supervisor of ESL / Bilingual Education
District Team	Degnan	Tara	Director of Science
District Team	Fiermonte	Dr. Karen	Principal
District Team	Fogu	Tracie	Math Instructional Coach
District Team	Hickey	Kaitlin	ESEA Supervisor, Federal & State Programs
District Team	Angela	Laszkow	ELA Teacher
District Team	McAndrew	Dr. Karee	Director of Technology
District Team	Mellows	Craig	Social Studies Teacher
District Team	Russell	Tanya	ELA Teacher
District Team	Ruttler	Mathew	Special Services Instructional Coach
District Team	Soto	Tara	Gifted & Talented Coach
District Team	Spiers	Jessica	Early Childhood Teacher
District Team	Vecchiarelli	Jennifer	Assistant Superintendent
District Team	Wade	Marissa	Math & Science Teacher
District Team	Zalis	Heather	Assistant Principal

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BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE

HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

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WHEREAS, the Bayonne Board of Education is desirous to strengthen Gifted and Talented Education;

WHEREAS, the District and each elementary school will establish a G & T / 2E Committee for the identification and selection of eligible students for their Schoolwide Enrichment Model;

BE IT RESOLVED that the following administrators/teacher members are appointed for the G & T / 2E Committee (School and District Teams) for the 2026-2027 school year.

Location	Name	Position
Henry E. Harris	Maria Kazimir	Principal
Henry E. Harris	Luisa Jaros	Assistant Principal
Henry E. Harris	Danielle Raslowsky	Teacher 3-5/Data Team
Henry E. Harris	Michele Gargano	Special Subject Teacher
Henry E. Harris	Jennifer Circkirillo	Reading Specialist
Henry E. Harris	Kaitlyn Ballance	Counselor
Henry E. Harris	Susan Armstrong	Teacher K-2
Henry E. Harris	Maria Pardo	Teacher 6-8
Henry E. Harris	Michele Barba	CST
Henry E. Harris	Jenna Iorio	Inclusion Teacher
Philip G. Vroom	Sandra D'Angelo	Counselor
Philip G. Vroom	Chrissy Alvarez	Title
Philip G. Vroom	Bernice Poalucci	Special Ed Teacher
Philip G. Vroom	Crystal Perez	Title
Philip G. Vroom	Michelle Kilroy	CST
Philip G. Vroom	Ashley Mueller	Gen Ed Teacher
Philip G. Vroom	Sara Sgardelis	Gen Ed Teacher

Philip G. Vroom	Katie Kim	Math Coach
Philip G. Vroom	Michael Mitchell	PE Teacher
Philip G. Vroom	Martin McNerney	Gen Ed Teacher
Walter F. Robinson	Leslie Cirillo	School Counselor
Walter F. Robinson	Tiffany Pineiro	Mental Health Counselor
Walter F. Robinson	Ereny Sami	Gr. 2 Bil Arabic Teacher
Walter F. Robinson	Jennine Pelliccia	Gr. 5 ELA Teacher
Walter F. Robinson	Melissa Romeo	Art Teacher
Walter F. Robinson	Anabel Fernandez	Gr. 5 Bil. Spanish ELA/SS
Walter F. Robinson	Robert Yannaccone	PE Teacher
Walter F. Robinson	Thomas Warren	Music Teacher
Walter F. Robinson	Areta Costello	Asst. Principal
Walter F. Robinson	Dr. Karen Fiermonte	Principal
Mary J. Donohoe	Philip J. Baccarella	Principal
Mary J. Donohoe	Marissa Wade	Teacher
Mary J. Donohoe	Melissa Galella	Teacher
Mary J. Donohoe	Amanda Schenkman	Counselor
Mary J. Donohoe	Danielle Regan	Teacher
Mary J. Donohoe	Nicole Miragliotta	Special Education
Lincoln	Carolyn Malanowski	Principal
Lincoln	Heather Zalis	Assistant Principal
Lincoln	Angela Fearon	Tech Teacher
Lincoln	Meghan Hickey	Counselor
Lincoln	Nicole Suhovic	Teacher
Lincoln	Diane Creswick	Teacher
Lincoln	Patricia Feuer	Inc. Teacher
Lincoln	Katie Ryan	Teacher
Lincoln	William Zasowski	P.E Teacher

Lincoln	Dorothy Novak	Teacher
Horace Mann	Donald Byrd	Interim Principal
Horace Mann	Evan Wexler	Assistant Principal
Horace Mann	Marisa Lombardi	K-2 Teacher
Horace Mann	Claire Donohue	3-5 Teacher
Horace Mann	Dr. Jamie Smith	6-8 Teacher
Horace Mann	Sara Kos	Counselor
Horace Mann	Tracy Napier	Special Education Teacher
Horace Mann	Michele Green	Special Subject Teacher
Horace Mann	Brittany Mirsky	CST Member
Horace Mann	Taylor Rooney	ESL Teacher
WSMCS	Catherine Clark	Special Ed Teacher
WSMCS	Maria Czuba	3rd Grade Teacher
WSMCS	Christian DelPiano	Health & PE Teacher
WSMCS	Andrea Mantone	School Counselor
WSMCS	Serge Puchinsky	Band Teacher
WSMCS	Robyn Pullaro	5th Grade Teacher
WSMCS	Kim Hightower	CST Team
WSMCS	Michelle Appleby	Special Ed Teacher
Washington	George Becker	Principal
Washington	Lisa Wasielewski	Asst. Principal
Washington	Kristen Nardone	CST
Washington	Maura Connolly	Reading Specialist
Washington	Sandy Wojciechowski	Title I Interventionist
Washington	Katherine Hester	Gr. 3 teacher
Washington	Alexa Costello	Gr. 7-8 teacher
Washington	Alexis Cmielewski	ICR teacher
Woodrow Wilson	Tara Furmaniak	Principal
Woodrow Wilson	Jason Acerra	Assistant Principal
Woodrow Wilson	Anthony Palmieri	Tech Teacher
Woodrow Wilson	Maria Pagano	Counselor

Woodrow Wilson	Erica Bogdan	Teacher
Woodrow Wilson	Romalyn Crisostomo	Teacher
Woodrow Wilson	Ryan Campbell	P.E Teacher
Woodrow Wilson	Katherine Gregorian	Title 1/Data Team
Woodrow Wilson	Alyssa Scrudato	Title 1
Woodrow Wilson	Gina Puchinsky	Title 1/Data Team
John M. Bailey	Al McCormick	Principal
John M. Bailey	Alana Ryan	Assistant Principal
John M. Bailey	Dana Vincent	School Counselor
John M. Bailey	Susan Fahley	Gr. 1 Teacher
John M. Bailey	Kathleen Hickey	Gr. 3 Teacher of ELA
John M. Bailey	Dawn Cole-Moon	Gr. 4 Teacher of Math
John M. Bailey	Eva Stavridis	Teacher of Music
John M. Bailey	Justin Scriven	Teacher of Art
John M. Bailey	Joseph Norton	Teacher of Physical Ed.
John M. Bailey	Jessica Yurechko	CST - LDTC
Nicholas Oresko	Monique Bullock	Principal
Nicholas Oresko	Mikaela Ponce	Early Childhood Teacher
Nicholas Oresko	Dana Lella	Middle School ELA
Nicholas Oresko	Alissa Ramdat	Counselor
Nicholas Oresko	Lee Gray	Middle School Science
Nicholas Oresko	Carina Lamas	Special
Nicholas Oresko	Ally Petraikian	Special Ed Teacher
Nicholas Oresko	Katie Kim	Math Coach/Data Team
Nicholas Oresko	John Brown	Specials Teacher
BHS	Keith Makowski	Principal
BHS	Dr. Bransfield	AP Soc Studies teacher
BHS	Tanya Russell	10th Grade Honors Teacher
BHS	Dolores Gale	Biology Honors/Scientific Research Teacher
BHS	Komila Patel	Physics Honors/AP Teacher
BHS	Yulianna Sorial	9th Grade Honors/Scholars Teacher

BHS	Heather Natoli	Math Dept - Alg I teacher
BHS	Jaclyn Albertie	Math Dept - AP Pre-Cal teacher
District Team	Dr. Wachera Ragland-Brown	Chief Academic Officer
District Team	Dr. Dennis Degnan	Assistant Superintendent
District Team	Dawn Aiello	Director of Math
District Team	Jolene Bergantino	Data / Assessment / State and Federal Programs
District Team	Monique Bullock	Principal
District Team	Tim Craig	Director - Music / Art
District Team	Tara Degnan	Director - Science
District Team	T. Elisha Mele	Gifted and Talented Instructional Coach
District Team	Kim DeMedici	Supervisor - Special Services
District Team	Colleen Damian	Communications Manager
District Team	Lisa Gomez	Gifted and Talented Instructional Coach
District Team	Monica Flynn	Director of Early Childhood, World Language, & ESL / Bilingual Education
District Team	Thomas Jacobson	Director of Physical Education
District Team	Tara Soto	Gifted and Talented Instructional Coach
District Team	Nancy Ruane	Director of English
District Team	Dan Ward	Director of Social Studies

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BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE

HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

May 19, 2026

RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING DISTRICT AND SCHOOL-LEVEL NJTSS TEAMS FOR THE 2026-2027 SCHOOL YEAR

WHEREAS, the Bayonne Board of Education is committed to fostering academic success and well-being for all students through a comprehensive multi-tiered system of support; and

WHEREAS, the New Jersey Tiered System of Supports (NJTSS) provides a framework to strengthen academic, behavioral, and social-emotional interventions through data-driven decision-making, high-quality instruction, and a collaborative approach; and

WHEREAS, the Bayonne Board of Education recognizes the need for a structured and consistent implementation of NJTSS across all district schools to ensure equity, effectiveness, and sustainability of support systems; and

WHEREAS, the establishment of both a District NJTSS Team and School-based NJTSS Teams will provide leadership, guidance, and accountability in the implementation and continuous improvement of the NJTSS framework;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Bayonne Board of Education hereby establishes a **District NJTSS Team** for the 2026-2027 school year, which shall:

1. Develop and oversee the district-wide implementation of NJTSS.
2. Provide professional development and resources to school-based teams.
3. Monitor and evaluate the effectiveness of NJTSS practices across all schools.
4. Ensure alignment with state guidelines and best practices.
5. Foster collaboration between schools, families, and community stakeholders.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Bayonne Board of Education directs each school within the district to establish a **School NJTSS Team** for the 2026-2027 school year, which shall do the following:

1. Implement NJTSS practices at the school level according to district guidelines.
2. Analyze student data to inform intervention and instructional decisions.
3. Engage staff, families, and community partners in the support process.
4. Participate in ongoing professional learning and collaboration with the District NJTSS Team.
5. Provide feedback to the District NJTSS Team to improve implementation strategies.

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NJTSS Teams 26-27

Location	Last Name	First Name	Position
Henry E. Harris	Kazimir	Maria	Principal
Henry E. Harris	Jaros	Luisa	Assistant Principal
Henry E. Harris	Raslowsky	Danielle	Math teacher/Data Team
Henry E. Harris	Doria	Margaret	Title I Interventionist
Henry E. Harris	Harrington	Mary	Multi-sensory Reading specialist
Henry E. Harris	Iorio	Jenna	Inclusion Teacher
Henry E. Harris	Ballance	Kaitlyn	Counselor
Henry E. Harris	Gill	Jacquiline	ELA Teacher/Data Team
Henry E. Harris	Tsakos	Stamatia	Title1 Interventionists
Henry E. Harris	Jacobson	Rose	Title1 Interventionists
Philip G. Vroom	Janeczko	Stacey	Principal
Philip G. Vroom	Baranok	Alyssa	Nurse
Philip G. Vroom	D'Angelo	Sandra	Guidance
Philip G. Vroom	Wexler	Rebecca	Title1 Interventionists
Philip G. Vroom	Christine	Alvarez	Title1 Interventionists
Philip G. Vroom	Crystal	Perez	Title1 Interventionists
Philip G. Vroom	Eleni	Verardi	Reading Spec
Philip G. Vroom	Bernice	Poalucci	Inclusion
Philip G. Vroom	Kim	Katie	Math Coach
Philip G. Vroom	Kilroy	Michelle	CST
Philip G. Vroom	Mitchell	Michael	PE Teacher

Walter F. Robinson	Fiermonte	Karen	Principal
Walter F. Robinson	Costello	Areta	Asst Principal
Walter F. Robinson	Cirillo	Leslie	School Counselor
Walter F. Robinson	Piniero	Tiffany	Mental Health Counselor
Walter F. Robinson	Salso	Fallon	Title I
Walter F. Robinson	Wasilewski	Sharon	Read Specialist
Walter F. Robinson	Spiers	Jessica	Gen Ed Teacher
Walter F. Robinson	Mizrak	Rachel	ESL Teacher/Data Team
Walter F. Robinson	Yurchak	Valerie	Gen Ed Teacher
Walter F. Robinson	Burnett	Kelsey	Gen Ed Teacher/Data Team
Mary J. Donohoe	Baccarella	PJ	Principal
Mary J. Donohoe	Lee	Brianne	Teacher
Mary J. Donohoe	Wade	Marissa	Teacher
Mary J. Donohoe	Schenkman	Amanda	Counselor
Mary J. Donohoe	Miragliotta	Nicole	Special Ed Teacher
Mary J. Donohoe	Regan	Danielle	Teacher
Lincoln	Malanowski	Carolyn	Principal
Lincoln	Zalis	Heather	Asst. Principal
Lincoln	Suhovic	Nicole	Teacher
Lincoln	Pondillo	Lindsay	Teacher
Lincoln	Hunter	Amy	Teacher/Data Team
Lincoln	Castillo	Elcy	CST
Lincoln	Jhaveri	Priya	Teacher/Data Team
Lincoln	Hickey	Meghan	Counselor

Lincoln	Calcaterra	Mary	Reading Specialist
Lincoln	Ryan	Katie	Teacher
Horace Mann	Byrd	Donald	Principal
Horace Mann	Wexler	Evan	Assistant Principal
Horace Mann	Nitkowski	Kara	School Counselor
Horace Mann	Kos	Sara	SAC
Horace Mann	Napier	Tracy	Inclusion Teacher/Special Ed
Horace Mann	Burns	Melissa	ESL Teacher
Horace Mann	O'Flaherty	Jennifer	Teacher
Horace Mann	Mulroy	Kristen	Teacher
Horace Mann	Harrison	Jeannette	CST Member
Horace Mann	Smith	Dr. Jamie	Teacher
WSMCS	Pondillo	James	Principal
WSMCS	DeRocco	Denise	Interventionist
WSMCS	Loveland	Ryanlee	Special Education Teacher
WSMCS	Skowronski	Kathleen	Resource
WSMCS	Aceti	Carla	Teacher
WSMCS	Pullaro	Robyn	General
WSMCS	DeAngelo	Jason	General
WSMCS	McCabe	Tara	General
WSCMS	Giordano	Tanya	Reading Specialist
WSCMS	Geis	Jen	Reading Specialist
WSMCS	Nattini	Mary	Teacher
WSMCS	Soto	Tara	G&T coach
Woodrow Wilson	Furmaniak	Tara	Principal
Woodrow Wilson	Acerra	Jason	Assistant Principal
Woodrow Wilson	Crincoli	Judy	ICR Teacher
Woodrow Wilson	Puchinsky	Gina	Title 1 Interventionist
Woodrow Wilson	Gregorian	Katherine	Title 1 Interventionist
Woodrow Wilson	Bergalowski	Jillian	Multi-Sensory Reading Specialist
Woodrow Wilson	Pagano	Maria	Counselor
Woodrow Wilson	Scrudato	Alyssa	Title 1

Woodrow Wilson	Montagne	Jerilyn	CST
Woodrow Wilson	Bogdan	Erica	Teacher
Washington	Becker	George	Principal
Washington	Wasielewski	Lisa	Asst. Principal
Washington	Connolly	Maura	Reading Spec.
Washington	Virack	Melissa	Counselor
Washington	Wojciechowski	Sandy	Title I
Washington	Nardone	Kristen	CST
Washington	Fabiano	Christina	Title I
Washington	Serpe	Alissa	Data Team - Math
Washington	Hester	Katherine	Teacher
Washington	Cmielewski	Alexis	Data Team - Special Ed
John M. Bailey	McCormick	Al	Principal
John M. Bailey	Ryan	Alana	Assistant Principal
John M. Bailey	Meyers	Ann Marie	Math Teacher
John M. Bailey	Kelly	Jane	Title I Interventionist
John M. Bailey	Cole-Moon	Dawn	Math Teacher
John M. Bailey	Constantine	Alexandria	ELA Teacher
John M. Bailey	Margagliano	Jessica	Multi-Sensory Reading Specialist
John M. Bailey	Vincent	Dana	School Counselor
John M. Bailey	Weir	Desiree	CST - School Psychologist
John M. Bailey	Rolon	Megan	Math Teacher
Nicholas Oresko	Bullock	Monique	Principal
Nicholas Oresko	Christie	Samantha	Interventionist
Nicholas Oresko	Lopez	Abigail	Early Childhood Teacher
Nicholas Oresko	Coll	Danielle	Counselor
Nicholas Oresko	Ozak	Kathleen	Incl Teacher
Nicholas Oresko	Kim	Kathryn	Math Coach
Nicholas Oresko	Arias	Heather	Reading Specialist
Nicholas Oresko	Mastrogiacomo	Allison	Middle School ELA
Nicholas Oresko	Olander	Kerry	Middle School Math
BHS	Makowski	Keith	Principal

BHS	Calderon	Victor	Social Studies Teacher/ICR
BHS	Pimental	Alty	Math Dept/ Alg I and Alg II
District Team	Ragland-Brown	Dr. Wachera	Chief Academic Officer
District Team	Aiello	Dawn	Director of Mathematics
District Team	Becker	Janine	Assistant Supervisor of Early Childhood
District Team	Bullock	Monique	Principal/Nicholas Oresko Community School
District Team	Carroll	Kelly	Assistant Principal/William Shemin Midtown Community School
District Team	DeRocco	Denise	Title I Interventionist
District Team	Fiermonte	Dr. Karen	Principal/Walter F. Robinson Community School
District Team	Glock	Christy	Supervisor of Mental Health Services
District Team	Gomez	Lisa	Gifted and Talented Instructional Coach
District Team	Hickey	Kaitlin	ESEA Supervisor, Federal and State Grants
District Team	Kim	Katie	Math Instructional Coach
District Team	T. Elisha	Mele	Gifted and Talented Instructional Coach
District Team	Maggio	Vincent	Coordinator of Data and Assessment
District Team	(Lefante) Sugrue	Kristy	ELA Instructional Coach
District Team	Nichols	Lecia	Assistant Principal, Bayonne High School
District Team	Basile	Juana	Assistant Supervisor of ESL/Bilingual Education
District Team	Soto	Tara	Gifted and Talented Instructional Coach
District Team	Steinman	Mark	Assistant Supervisor of Special Services

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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:

SAMANTHA PAYNE – Teacher

GRANTED – Unpaid Medical Leave of absence from May 28, 2026 to June 30, 2026

SARA PETROWSKI – Teacher

GRANTED – Unpaid Maternity Leave of absence from October 21, 2026 to December 23, 2026

JULIA SEVERINO – Aide

GRANTED – Unpaid Medical Leave of absence from April 22, 2026 to June 14, 2026

KATARZYNA MADALENA – Per Diem Custodian

REVISED – Unpaid Medical Leave of absence from March 9, 2026 to May 22, 2026

JOYCE SWEENEY – Custodian

GRANTED – Unpaid Medical Leave of absence from May 29, 2026 to June 30, 2026

GERALDINE MCCAFFERY – Teacher

GRANTED – Unpaid Intermittent Family Leave of absence from May 7, 2026 to June 30, 2026

JASMINE HENRY – Bus Attendant

GRANTED – Unpaid Medical Leave of absence from April 27, 2026 to May 5, 2026

BOGUMILA GROMADZKA – Custodian

GRANTED – Unpaid Family Medical Leave of absence from May 11, 2026 to July 31, 2026

SONIA BARTON – Teacher

REVISED – Unpaid Family Leave of absence from March 20, 2026 to June 30, 2026

GRANTED – Unpaid Maternity Leave of absence from September 1, 2026 to September 9, 2026

SANTINA BAMBACI – Occupational Therapist

REVISED – Unpaid Maternity Leave of absence from September 1, 2026 to June 30, 2027

VANESSA MARKO – Attendance Office

GRANTED – Unpaid Medical Leave of absence from May 14, 2026 to June 18, 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.

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

May 19th, 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.**

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May 19th, 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
5/19/26-6/30/26

Personnel listed on the attached Excel Sheet

JT/lc
James Turner
Assistant Supervisor of Community Education

JT/lc

Name	Job ID#	POSITION	Rate
DiMaggio, Barbara	#3606	CE Event Staf 2025-2026-Prom	\$30./hr.
Komisar, Andrea	#3606	CE Event Staff 2025-2026-BHS Baseball/Softball Scorer-Not To Exceed \$2,500.	\$15.92/hr.
Hayes, Jerome Jr.	#3606	CE Event Staff 2025-2026-Elementary Flag Football Student Manager-Not To Exceed \$2,500.	\$15.92/hr.
Casis, Karly	#3610	CE Youth Enrichment/Sports Program Teacher 2025-2026	\$30./hr.
Feuer, Kayla	#3610	CE Youth Enrichment/Sports Program Teacher 2025-2026	\$30./hr.
Oliver, Allagracia	#3610	CE Youth Enrichment/Sports Program Teacher 2025-2026	\$30./hr.

BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE

HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

WHEREAS, there is a need for coaches in the Bayonne School District;

BE IT RESOLVED, that the coaches be, and they hereby are, appointed for this school year 2026-2027 to the positions and at the salaries indicated after their respective names attached;

26-27 SEASON	POSITION	SPORT	LAST	FIRST	STATUS	CERT	BASE	PAST YRS EXP	ADD on 5th year
JOB I.D. 4094									
Fall	Head	Football	Hayes	Jerome	returning	teach cert	\$12,041	4	100
JOB I.D. 4093									
Fall	Asst	Football	Gorski	Vincent	returning	teach cert	\$7,853	8	200
Fall	Asst	Football	Jaworski	Kenneth	returning	teach cert	\$7,853	5	100
Fall	Asst	Football	Mullin	Jonathan	returning	teach cert	\$7,853	4	100
Fall	Asst	Football	Procter	Ian	returning	teach cert	\$7,853	3	
Fall	Asst	Football	Getchell	Derek	returning	teach cert	\$7,853	1	
Fall	Asst	Football	Turner	Steven	returning	teach cert	\$7,853	1	
Fall	Asst	Football	Varanelli	Nicholas	new	teach cert	\$7,853	0	
Fall	Asst	Football	Baret	Ernesto	new	teach cert	\$7,853	0	
Fall	Asst	Football	Gomez	Justin	returning	teach cert	\$7,893		
Fall	Asst	Football	Neivith	Robert M.	returning	sub cert	\$7,893		
JOB I.D. 4154									
Fall	Head	B Soccer	Pesantez	Victor	returning	sub cert	\$7,853		
JOB I.D. 4153									
Fall	Asst	B Soccer	Bonano	Norman	returning	sub cert	\$6,026		
Fall	Asst	B Soccer	Arcos	Christian	returning	sub cert	\$6,026		
Fall	Asst	B Soccer	Kapnisi	Ioanis	returning	sub cert	\$6,026		
Fall	Asst	B Soccer	Joulian	Sebastian	new	teach cert	\$6,026		
JOB I.D. 4157									
Fall	Head	G Soccer	Macho	Andrew	returning	teach cert	\$7,853	1	
JOB I.D. 4156									
Fall	Asst	G Soccer	Danilowicz	Kacper	returning	sub cert	\$6,026		
Fall	Asst	G Soccer	Giana	Giordano	returning	sub cert	\$6,026		
Fall	Asst	G Soccer	Maurer	Alexandra	new		\$6,026		
JOB I.D. 4183									
Fall	Head	G Tennis	Russotto	Gabe	returning	teach cert	\$7,853	4	100
JOB I.D. 4182									
Fall	Asst	G Tennis	Altobelli	Anthony	returning	teach cert	\$6,026	8	200
JOB I.D. 4196									

Fall	Head	G Volley	Longo	Patricia	returning	teach cert	\$7,853	42	1,000
JOB I.D. 4195									
Fall	Asst	G Volley	Gordon	Lindsay	returning	teach cert	\$6,026	12	300
Fall	Asst	G Volley	Fidrych	Juliet	returning	teach cert	\$6,026	2	
Fall	Asst	G Volley	TBD				\$6,026		
JOB I.D. 4051									
Fall	Head	X Country	DiGiorgio	Kevin	new	teach cert	\$7,318	0	
JOB I.D. 4050									
Fall	Asst	X Country	Murphy	Dara	returning	teach cert	\$5,504	1	
Fall	Asst	X Country	DelCollo	Gino	new	teach cert	\$5,504	0	
JOB I.D. 4149									
Fall/Win/Spr	Head	Robotics	Henry	David	returning	teach cert	\$15,653	2	
JOB I.D. 4146									
Fall/Win/Spr	Asst	Robotics	Wahba	Bessa	returning	teach cert	\$10,233	2	
JOB I.D. 4085									
Fall/Win/Spr	Head	E-Sports	Fung	Steven	returning	teach cert	\$16,353	4	100
JOB I.D. 4084									
Fall/Win/Spr	Asst	E-Sports	Ng	Danny	returning	teach cert	\$10,933	4	100
JOB I.D. 4036									
Fall/Win	Head	Cheer	Mantone	Andrea	returning	teach cert	\$7,853	8	200
JOB I.D. 4035									
Fall/Win	Asst	Cheer	Cangiano	Maura	returning	teach cert	\$6,026	4	100
Fall/Win	Asst	Cheer	Flynn	Justyna	returning	teach cert	\$6,026	1	
Fall/Win	Asst	Cheer	Kopacz	Ava	new	sub cert	\$6,026	0	
JOB I.D. 4003									
ALL YEAR	Athletics	Trainer	Power	Tracey	returning	teach cert	\$20,237		
ALL YEAR	Athletics	Trainer	Davidson	Kemoy	returning	teach cert	\$20,237		

ADOPTED AT BBOED BOARD MEETING HELD MAY 19, 2026

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

WHEREAS, it has been determined that a vacancy exists in certain disciplines in the Bayonne Public School District, and

WHEREAS, the Superintendent of Schools, Mr. John Niesz, has recommended the appointment of the below staff, pending criminal history review and receipt of certification; now, therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, that pending fingerprint verification and receipt of certification, the below named staff are hereby appointed at the salaries adjacent to their names and on the effective dates indicated:

EMPLOYEE NAME	POSITION	ANNUAL SALARY	APPOINTMENT DATE
Geomara Martinez	Teacher of Spanish	\$71,987	September 1, 2026 26-27 Salary Guide
Dina Hassan	Teacher of Psychology	\$67,600	September 1, 2026 26-27 Salary Guide
Jazmeen Murray	Teacher of Students with Disabilities	\$67,000	September 1, 2026 26-27 Salary Guide
Julia Patterson	Teacher of Elementary K-6	\$70,100	September 1, 2026 26-27 Salary Guide
Martha Mendoza	Teacher of Spanish	\$67,000	September 1, 2026 26-27 Salary Guide
Jenny Rodriguez	Teacher of Students with Disabilities	\$76,887	September 1, 2026 26-27 Salary Guide
Kevin DiGiorgio	Teacher of Physical Education	\$93,495	September 1, 2026 26-27 Salary Guide
Lisa Bowen	Teacher of Preschool through Grade 3	\$67,600	September 1, 2026 26-27 Salary Guide
Amanda Carey	Teacher of Students with Disabilities	\$69,500	September 1, 2026 26-27 Salary Guide
Erika Danielle Nunez	Speech Language Pathologist	\$70,100	September 1, 2026 26-27 Salary Guide
Danielle Stein	School Counselor	\$77,437	September 1, 2026 26-27 Salary Guide

ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MAY 19, 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

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	FROM	TO
Ryan	Catherine	Teacher of Title 1 at Horace Mann School	Teacher of Elementary K-6 at Henry E. Harris School
Pagano	Maric	School Nurse at Philip G. Vroom School	School Nurse at Dr. Walter F. Robinson School

ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MAY 19, 2026

Office of Assistant Superintendent of Personnel

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

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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 2026-2027 school year, all assignments/reassignments are made without change in salary unless otherwise indicated.

See Attached

ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MAY 19, 2026

Office of Assistant Superintendent of Personnel

Last Name	First Name	From	To
Abadir	Magdy	Teacher of Preschool through Grade 3 at Lincoln Community School	Teacher of Preschool through Grade 3 at John M. Bailey School
Adamyran	Tamara	Teacher of ESL at Dr. Walter F. Robinson School	Teacher of ESL at Mary J. Donohoe School
Alvarez	Christine	Title 1 at Philip G. Vroom School	Elementary School Teacher K-8 at Philip G. Vroom School
Ammirato	Dana	Teacher of the Handicapped at Woodrow Wilson School	Teacher of the Handicapped at Nicholas Oresko School
Asuncion	Kristine	Teacher of ESL at Mary J. Donohoe School	Teacher of ESL at Dr. Walter F. Robinson School
Bablonia	Rooney	Teacher of Biological Science at Horace Mann School	Teacher of Biological Science at Bayonne High School
Baressi	Rosemary	Teacher of Preschool through Grade 3 at Nicholas Oresko School	Teacher of Students with Disabilities at Nicholas Oresko School
Besbay	Engy	Teacher of ESL at Mary J. Donohoe School	Teacher of ESL at Lincoln Community School and Woodrow Wilson School
Bryant	La'Vacía	Preschool Instructional Coach	Preschool Intervention Referral Specialist
Camilo	Saony	Teacher of Bilingual Education at Dr. Walter F. Robinson School	Teacher of ESL at Bayonne High School
Clare	Cristina	Teacher of Music at Henry E. Harris School	Teacher of Music at William Shemin Midtown Community School
Clarkin	Rebecca	Teacher of Students with Disabilities at Woodrow Wilson School	Teacher of Students with Disabilities at Nicholas Oresko School
Corbals	Nancy	Teacher of Students with Disabilities at Dr. Walter F. Robinson School	Teacher of Students With Disabilities at Bayonne High School
Cortese	Elizabeth	Teacher of Elementary K-6 at Horace Mann School	Teacher of Elementary K-6 at Dr. Walter F. Robinson School
Crespo	Priscilla	Teacher of Art at Lincoln Community School	Teacher of Art at Bayonne High School
Cruz	Christina	Teacher of Students with Disabilities at Woodrow Wilson School	Teacher of Students with Disabilities at Nicholas Oresko School
Daddio	Gina	Teacher of Elementary K-6 at Dr. Walter F. Robinson School	Teacher of Students With Disabilities at Woodrow Wilson School
Debenedictis	Barbara	District-Wide Science Instructional Coach	Elementary School Teacher at Nicholas Oresko School
DeFreitas	Rosania	Teacher of Bilingual Education at Dr. Walter F. Robinson School	Teacher of ESL at Mary J. Donohoe School
Diaz	Lisa	12 Month Child Study Team Secretary at Lincoln Community School	12 Month School Secretary at William Shemin Midtown Community School
Dobrowolska	Malgorzata	Teacher of Preschool through Grade 3 at Nicholas Oresko School	Preschool through Grade 3 at Lincoln Community School
Drennan	Larissa	District-Wide Science Instructional Coach	Teacher of Science at Bayonne High School
Durak	Pheobe	Teacher of Elementary K-6 at Horace Mann School	Teacher of Elementary K-6 at Henry E. Harris School
Fabiano	Christina	Title 1 Teacher at Washington Community School	Teacher of Title 1 at Woodrow Wilson Community School
Fortes	Angela	Teacher of Students with Disabilities at Henry E. Harris School	Teacher of Students with Disabilities at Nicholas Oresko School
Fuentes	Nathalie	Teacher of Elementary K-6 at Woodrow Wilson School	Teacher of Title 1 at Horace Mann School
Gomez	Lisa	District Wide Gifted & Talented Instructional Coach	Teacher of Title 1 at William Shemin Midtown Community School
Gonzalez	Patricia	Title 1 Teacher at Lincoln Community School	Elementary School Teacher K-8 at Woodrow Wilson School
Gorka Seelen	Margaret	Teacher of the Handicapped at Nicholas Oresko School	Teacher of the Handicapped at Horace Mann Community School
Gray	Lee	Teacher of Science at Nicholas Oresko School	Teacher of Science at Horace Mann School
Griffin Jr.	David	Elementary School Teacher K-6 at Woodrow Wilson School	Elementary School Teacher K-6 at John M. Bailey School
Hanna	Martha	Teacher of English at Bayonne High School	Teacher of English at William Shemin Midtown Community School
Havel-Smith	Patti	Elementary School Teacher at Woodrow Wilson School	Teacher of the Handicapped at Philip G. Vroom School
Higgins	Kaytee	School Counselor at Bayonne High School	School Counselor at Washington Community School
Jacobson	Rose	Title 1 Teacher at Henry E. Harris	Teacher of Title 1 at John M. Bailey School
Kari	Pollio	Teacher of Elementary K-6 at Philip G. Vroom School	Teacher of Students with Disabilities at Nicholas Oresko School
Kelly	Jane	Title 1 Teacher at John M. Bailey School	Elementary School Teacher K-8 at John M. Bailey School
Kim	Kathryn	District-Wide Math Coach	Teacher of Mathematics at Nicholas Oresko School
Labib	Sarah	Teacher of Students with Disabilities at Lincoln Community School	Teacher of Students with Disabilities at Washington Community School
Lamas	Carina	Teacher of Music at Nicholas Oresko School	Teacher of Music at Washington Community School
Leonard	Denise	Title 1 Teacher at William Shemin Midtown Community School	Elementary School Teacher at Woodrow Community School
McIntyre	Kathiann	Teacher of the Handicapped at Lincoln Community School	Teacher of the Handicapped at Washington Community School
Mele	Tonya	District Wide Gifted & Talented Instructional Coach	Elementary School Teacher at Mary J. Donohoe School
Molina	Helen	Teacher of World Language at Bayonne High School	Teacher of Elementary World Language
Napolitano	Alessio	Teacher of Art at Bayonne High School	Teacher of Art at Lincoln Community School
Neary	Suzanne	12 Month School Secretary at William Shemin Midtown Community School	12 Month Child Study Team Secretary at Lincoln Community School
Nixon	Steven	Teacher of Elementary K-6 at Washington Community School	Teacher of Elementary K-6 at Woodrow Wilson School
Nowak	Gina	District-Wide Social Studies Instructional Coach	Teacher of Elementary School K-8 at Henry E. Harris School
Patterson	Joanne	Teacher of Students with Disabilities at Mary J. Donohoe School	Teacher of Students with Disabilities at Lincoln Community School
Pereira	Tara	Teacher of Students with Disabilities at Lincoln Community School	Teacher of Students with Disabilities at Woodrow Wilson School
Perez	Crystal	Teacher of Title I at Philip G Vroom School	Preschool through Grade 3 at William Shemin Midtown Community School
Petrakian	Ally	Teacher of Students with Disabilities at Nicholas Oresko School	Teacher of Students with Disabilities at William Shemin Midtown Community School
Pollio	Kari	Teacher of Elementary K-6 at Philip G. Vroom School	Teacher of Students with Disabilities at Woodrow Wilson School
Ponce	Mikaela	Teacher of Preschool through Grade 3 at Nicholas Oresko School	Teacher of Students With Disabilities at Woodrow Wilson School
Purino	Julian Rae	Teacher of Elementary K-6 at Henry E. Harris School	Teacher of Elementary K-6 at Washington Community School
Ruttler	Matthew	District-Wide Special Services Instructional Coach	Teacher of the Handicapped at Mary J. Donohoe School
Ryan	Catherine	Teacher of Elementary K-6 at Henry E. Harris School	Teacher of Elementary K-6 at Horace Mann Community School
Schleppy-Garlatti	Marcia	Teacher of Students with Disabilities at Woodrow Wilson School	Teacher of Students with Disabilities at Nicholas Oresko School
Scudato	Alyssa	Title 1 Teacher at Woodrow Wilson School	Teacher of Title 1 at Lincoln Community School
Serkin	Elaine	Title 1 Teacher at John M. Bailey School	Teacher of Art at William Shemin Midtown Community School
Sierra	Jesse	Teacher of Music at John M. Bailey School	Teacher of Music at Dr. Walter F. Robinson School
Smarz	Anne	Elementary School Teacher at Dr. Walter F. Robinson School	Elementary School Teacher at Philip G. Vroom School
Sugrue	Kristy	District-Wide Reading Instructional Coach	Teacher of English at Dr. Walter F. Robinson School
Torres	Barbara	Teacher of the Handicapped at Nicholas Oresko School	Teacher of the Handicapped at William Shemin Midtown Community School
Teakos	Stamatia	Teacher of Title 1 at Henry E. Harris School	Teacher of Students with Disabilities at Lincoln Community School
Wernock	Ashley	Teacher of Preschool through Grade 3 at Lincoln Community School	Teacher of Preschool through Grade 3 at Horace Mann School

Wetzel	Dorothy	Elementary School Teacher at Philip G. Vroom School	Elementary School Teacher at Dr. Walter F. Robinson School
Zisa	Jennifer	Teacher of the Handicapped at Washington Community School	Teacher of the Handicapped at Lincoln Community School

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

WHEREAS, current contracts for the below named custodians/engineers are to expire, and

WHEREAS, the Superintendent of Schools, Mr. John J. Niesz has recommended that the new contracts be tendered; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, that the attached named custodians/engineers are hereby appointed for the period of July 1, 2026 to June 30, 2027 at the indicated salary;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Education hereby approves said contracts.

See Attached

ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MAY 19, 2026

Office of the Assistant Superintendent of Personnel

Last Name	First Name	2026-2027 Salary
Arias	Deyanira	45,057.00
Arias	Roberto	45,695.00
Basile	Gregory	51,389.00
Bauer	Matthew	70,658.00
Bielawiec	Barbara	46,339.00
Blackmire	Aiden	45,057.00
Blicharz	Zbigniew	75,237.00
Bolles	Joseph	45,695.00
Bolles	Robyn	46,989.00
Bremner	Robert	46,989.00
Brown	Jeffrey	50,095.00
Budna	Danuta	46,989.00
Budny	Kazimierz	54,125.00
Burns	Christopher	72,397.00
Burns	Robert	54,125.00
Calabro	Richard	45,695.00
Cantale	Vincent	60,128.00
Casais	Anthony	44,211.00
Cavanagh	James	49,457.00
Cavanagh	Maryann	44,211.00
Ciano	Joseph	71,387.00
Corpening	Velda	45,695.00
Czudak	Edward	60,395.00
D'Avella	Bruno	58,839.00
Daddi	Frank	50,845.00
Dawidowski	Andrzej	66,209.00
Deangelo	Albert	63,045.00
Derosa	Mauro	75,037.00
Dhuperoir	Isiah	46,339.00
Dyachuk	Nina	53,125.00
Elder	Alan	54,125.00
Esposito	Gennaro	53,125.00
Esposito	Giuseppe	47,649.00
Eusebio	Julian	45,695.00
Fearon	Brian	66,663.00
Florkiewicz	Richard	46,339.00
Flynn	Kenneth	54,040.00

Foglia	Michael	63,027.00
Foglia	Neil	49,725.00
Franconeri	Gary	45,057.00
Fulton	Frederick	48,611.00
Galvis Molina	Liliana	45,057.00
Garcia	Gilmar	57,092.00
Gargiulo	Giuseppe	47,649.00
Gargiulo	Maria	49,725.00
Gebhardt	Joseph	46,339.00
Gerace	Rosa	59,584.00
Gill	Wayne	50,095.00
Giron	Diana	46,339.00
Gomez	Adrian	55,545.00
Gomez	Adrian	73,231.00
Gomez Noceda	Maria	61,857.00
Gromadzka	Bogumila	44,211.00
Grofkwicz	Joseph	62,119.00
Harmer	Catherine	45,695.00
Harrington	Neal	72,018.00
Height	Michael	66,209.00
Hernandez	Amarilis	52,139.00
Hoffman	David	61,667.00
Hrychynszyn	Michael	52,595.00
Hundley	Daniel	50,095.00
Jarczewski	Piotr	49,457.00
Jordan	Michael	50,095.00
Kaliberda	Zoriana	44,211.00
Kalisch	Patricia	63,482.00
Karlicki	Jan	59,193.00
Karlicki	Malgorzata	67,618.00
Karwowska	Boguslawa	63,027.00
Kaszuba	Robert	72,330.00
Kawa	Marta	53,986.00
Kawa	Zbigniew	49,457.00
Komisar	Svitlana	55,545.00
Komorowski	Stanley	50,739.00
Kosakowski	Zbigniew	50,739.00

Kotowska	Alicja	66,663.00
Kozak	Olexandra	46,339.00
Krops	Justin	62,242.00
Kubiak	Ewa	54,340.00
Kuznik	Monika	45,695.00
LaScala	Victor	52,225.00
Laskowska	Dorota	49,725.00
Laureano	Alberto	72,631.00
Leahy	Elzbieta	58,839.00
Lojewski	Lynn	54,340.00
Lubach	Izabela	46,339.00
Macecsko	John	58,839.00
Madrigal	Carlos	50,207.00
Manzano	Francisco	65,641.00
Mari	Francis	67,181.00
Mariano	Anthony	59,943.00
Marin	Mayra	45,057.00
Martin	Michael	62,593.00
Martinez	Christopher	46,989.00
Martinez	Katherine	48,457.00
Martino	Peter	49,361.00
Mazurkiewicz	Kazimiera	50,586.00
McCord	Michael	45,695.00
McGonigle	Thomas	49,725.00
McGuckin	Joseph	68,291.00
McNaught	Liam	46,339.00
Mendez	Maria	49,361.00
Mercier	Brian	49,725.00
Milewska	Katherine	45,695.00
Mirjah	Glendale	49,361.00
Miszcuk	Janusz	69,657.00
Miszcuk	Teresa	46,989.00
Miszcuk	Wlodzimierz	60,946.00
Monegro	Mirna	45,057.00
Moody	Thomas	71,037.00
Morales	Jose	59,728.00
Morel	Jason	46,989.00

Morel	Julio	51,389.00
Morera	Ana	51,489.00
Mullin	Mary	45,057.00
Nalewajek	Andrzej	54,986.00
Nalewajek	Joanna	50,586.00
Nalewajek	Karolina	47,649.00
Nunez	Evelyn	52,139.00
Olsen	Thomas	67,030.00
Orlowska	Mariola	55,245.00
Ortiz	Heriberto	63,027.00
Pagano	Giuseppe	62,593.00
Pagano	Michelina	73,631.00
Pallitto	William	53,889.00
Paradine	Michael	56,811.00
Perkowska	Ewa	46,989.00
Pimentel De La Cruz	Ruth	45,057.00
Plaskon	Michael	73,631.00
Polakowski	Marzena	64,346.00
Portento	Nicola	72,687.00
Posluszny	Damian	49,457.00
Ramdat	Nalika	45,057.00
Ramirez	Emma	51,489.00
Ramirez	Gustavo	54,875.00
Rebisz	Maria	46,339.00
Repetti	John	60,946.00
Rivera	Sally	46,339.00
Rogalska	Grazyna	50,586.00
Rolon	Judith	46,989.00
Rowan	Earl	46,989.00
Rowan	Eric	58,839.00
Saavedra	Michelle	45,057.00
Sandhu	Mohammad	48,611.00
Shostak	Walter	62,593.00
Smith	Jennifer	46,989.00
Sniegos	Raymond	69,657.00
Spano	Salvatore	74,853.00
Spano	Vito	50,739.00

Spriggs	Sharon	65,887.00
Stanczyk	Wioletta	53,128.00
Stanlaw	Robert	45,695.00
Stokes	Brandon	57,740.00
Surgal	Jaroslav	73,687.00
Szymanski	Clint	46,989.00
Szymczak	Iwona	50,586.00
Taggart	Gregory	55,545.00
Tarbett	James	73,687.00
Teira Vizcaya	Rosa	45,695.00
Trackewicz	Dorothea	57,719.00
Tropila	Anthony	49,457.00
Umana	Rene	61,961.00
Valdez	Alberto	54,125.00
Valenzuela Lorenzo	Ruth	45,695.00
Varechtchouk	Nataliya	58,645.00
Varela	Joaquin	46,339.00
Vodrazka	DaShawn	46,339.00
Vosbury	Joanna	58,839.00
Walsh-Newby	James	54,793.00
Walton	Destiny	45,695.00
Weeks	Albert	74,431.00
Weeks	David	46,989.00
Weiss	Jason	48,611.00
Wilson	Rodney	44,211.00
Zaborek	Agnieszka	46,989.00
Zaleck	Richard	66,209.00
Zoyac	Joshua	45,057.00
Zuniga	Gioconda	52,139.00

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

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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

NAME	FROM	TO	NEW SALARY	EFFECTIVE DATE
Samantha Salaverria	Senior Lounge Manager	Senior Lounge Supervisor	\$21.50 Per Hour	June 1, 2026

ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MAY 19, 2026

Office of Assistant Superintendent of Personnel

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

WHEREAS, the Bayonne Board of Education has determined that there is a need for hiring of persons for certain positions in our district, and having obtained approval following a criminal history records review; now therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Bayonne Board of Education approves the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools and does appoint the following individuals to the positions listed below:

Name	Position
Melinda Gonzalez	Bus Attendant

ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MAY 19, 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 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.

Name	Position	Hourly Rate	School
Donna Hundley	AM Duty	\$30.00	Henry E. Harris School
Kathleen Skowronski	AM Duty	\$30.00	Midtown Community School

ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MAY 19, 2026

**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 2026-2027 school year; now, therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, the Superintendent of Schools hereby recommends the below-listed staff at the rate of \$24 July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027 per hour unless otherwise indicated.

**SECURITY STAFF 2026-2027
ASSIGNED BY THE DISTRICT COORDINATOR OF SAFETY AND SECURITY**

Burke, Darren
Carey, Timothy (\$41)
Coons, Tina
Dale, Thomas
Daoud, George
Diaz, Marisol
Elia, Michael
Figliuzzi, Francesco
Gregory, Dan
Hall, Louis

Hurley, Michael (\$41)
Irwin, Ephraim
Jones, Marcus
Jordan, Sor
Kazimir, Charles (\$41)
Konopka, Chester
McCrossen, Matthew
Nevith, Robert
Nowicki, Filip
Obie, Bryant

Perez, Carlos
Regan, Glenn
Rodgers, Eric, JR
Rodgers', Eric
Smith, Christyann
Toro, Geanna
Waly, Shereen
Wiley, Ronald
Wilson, Danny

ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MARCH 17, 2026

Board of Education of the City Of bayonne
Hudson County, New Jersey

WHEREAS, the Bayonne Board of Education operates the Bayonne Alternative High School, and

WHEREAS, there is a need for professional staff to instruct students enrolled in the program for the 2026-2027 school year, now, therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, the Superintendent of Schools hereby recommends the below listed staff at the CBA rate per session, unless otherwise indicated, to be paid by District Finds.

All appointments are on an as needed basis.

BAYONNE ALTERNATIVE HIGH SCHOOL STAFF

Name	Duty	Name	Duty
Bailey, Stacey	Self Contained	McGuckin, Lauri	Secretary (\$18/hr)
Baret, Ernesto	Inclusion	McNaught, Kathleen	ELA
Barton, Sonia	Spanish	Melin, Mary	Secretary (\$18/hr)
Blanchard, Bill	Math	Napoletano, Alessio	Art
Brown, Brian	Social Studies	Paiz, Charlene	ESL
Cantale, Christine	SE	Pineiro, Alicia	Spanish
Clark, Tim	Trades	Polishchuk, Maria	Science
Clinton, Raquan	CST	Sawires, Naomi	Math
Costanza, Susan	Social Studies	Scarpelli, Kristen	ELA
Del Piano, Christina	Health/ Phys Ed	Schaefer, Donna	Cred Rec KM
Dimajo, Barbara	Guidance	Schaefer, Leigh Ann	Edgenuity
Estefanos, Simone	ELL	Topolewski, James	Trades
Henry, Barbara	ELA	Zazquez, Michael	Guidance
Hosmer, Patty	Science	Weimmer, Anthony	SE-BD
Irizaray, Dylan	Technology	Wright, Steven	ELA

Jessen, Leah	Trades		
Kuczynski, Edith	Guidance		
Lasher, Keirsten	CST- Psychologist		
Lawson, William	Trades		
Lewkowitz, Scott	Health/ Phys Ed		
Mantone, Andrea	Guidance		
McCullough, Jessica	Science		
McDonough, Jennifer	ELA		
McGuckin, John	Trades		

ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MAY 19, 2026

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

WHEREAS, it has been determined that staff is needed to undertake and complete several school district activities; and

WHEREAS, the Superintendent of Schools, John J. Niesz, has recommended the following persons to be assigned to the attached programs; now, therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, that the attached name personnel are appointed on a per diem basis and at the salaries listed for summer 2026 programs and projects based on the school district's needs.

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SUMMER NURSES (As Needed)

Rate: 1/200th of pay
 Names:

Baranok, Alyssa
 Castillo, Amber
 Chrzanowski, Tracey
 Conway, Sharon
 Fortunato, Tori

Galvin, Madison
 Kwiatkowski, Anna
 Mentias, Sally
 Petti, Jessica
 Rubia, Shirley

Skalski, Sara
 Skupien, Brittany

BUS ATTENDANTS

Rate: As per 2026-2027 contractual hourly rate.

Names:

Bauch, Dawn
 Borges, Joel
 Bruno, Nicolette
 Bryant, Khaleedah
 Bullock, Edward
 Camacho, Deven
 Cardona, ILuminada
 Carpenter-Fritch, AnnMarie
 Cermak, Georgia
 Duran Tejada, Elsa
 Duran Tejada, Elsa
 Flanagan, Joel

Garcia, Carlos
 Harrington, Theresa
 Henry, Jasmine
 Jacobsen, Allison
 Lopez, Roshell
 Maldonado, Juana
 Miller, Justin
 Mirabal Vasquez, Ana
 Moody, Dawn
 Moody, Jolyssa
 Morel, Dahiana
 O'Hare, Marylee

Olson, Kathleen
 Quevedo Rivero, Maria
 Reason, Carol
 Regan, Donna
 Riccardi, Nikki
 Rodriguez, Desiree
 Rodriguez, Iris
 Valentin, Luis
 Valette, Nicole
 Watson, Juanita
 Wright, Natasha

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

WHEREAS, it has been determined that High School Counselors are required to complete essential responsibilities related to both the close of the current school year and the preparation for the upcoming new school year, including closing out records for graduating seniors, processing transfers and sending records for students leaving the district, registering out-of-district transcript records of incoming new students and making their class schedules, revising student schedules based on credit recovery final grades, resolving schedule conflicts and change requests, and

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED, that the Superintendent of Schools has recommended the following staff be approved for five days of summer work at 1/200th salary. PAID BY DISTRICT FUNDS.

High School Counselors:

- Melissa Adamcik
- Amanda Axmann (Cohen)
- Lauren Battaglino
- Marleen Chiaravalloti
- Rocio Coppola
- Kim Dwyer
- Madison Fruchter
- Rose Hopper
- Rachael Hughes
- Edith Kuczynski
- Cailey Kirby
- Shawn Ramsay
- Meredith Thompson-Bass
- Michael Vazquez
- Nancy Walsh
- Rodney Wilson

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BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE

HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

WHEREAS, there is a need for a Student Center Counselor to work in July and August to provide the Bee Ready Orientation Program to incoming freshman; therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Superintendent of Schools has recommended the following personnel be assigned to the program indicated, and will be paid \$30 per hour for a total of 60 hours.

<u>NAME</u>	<u>PROGRAM</u>
Barbara Dimajo	Counselor

Account # 20-438-100-101-032-001-

ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD May 19, 2026

Student Center

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

May 19, 2026

WHEREAS, this Board of Education of the City of Bayonne, Hudson County, New Jersey deems it necessary to hire for BHS Summer Drama Jr.

BE IT RESOLVED, that this Board of Education appoints the following teachers listed below. A stipend will be paid from the Bayonne Board of Education.

Summer Drama Director	\$2200.00	Sandra McGrath
Summer Drama Choreographer	\$1850.00	Lindsey Robinson
Set Designer & Construction	\$1650.00	Tom Warren
Lighting Technician	\$1650.00	Brendan Wahlers
Sound Technician	\$1650.00	Giana Orlando
Teacher in charge	\$30.00 per hour, not to exceed \$1500.00	Rylee Waldron

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Music, Art, & Business Department

May 2026

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

WHEREAS, the Bayonne Board of Education will continue the (ESY) Extended School Year Program, AND

WHEREAS, it has been determined that the attached list of staff have applied for various positions in the program, NOW

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Superintendent hereby approves the following to be assigned accordingly in the Extended School Year Program, July 1st 8:30-12:30 (for Certified staff only) – paid at an hourly rate of 1/200th of salary. All staff will start 8:15-2:45 on July 6th – July 30th 2026, at a rate of 1/200th of salary.
PAID BY DISTRICT FUNDS.

See Attached

ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MAY 19, 2026

Office of Spec. Serv. Dept.
5/11/2026
9:00AM

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SPECIAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT

Name of Program: Special Services Extended School Year 2026 (#5/#10/BHS)
 Monday through Thursday – July 1st through July 30th
 July 1st 8:30 AM– 12:30 PM Certified Staff only
 July 6th through July 30th 8:15 - 2:45

Rate: Bayonne Board of Education Certified Staff - 1/200th of Salary

Project Support/Mental Health Counselors:

Deveney Zebrowsky – July 1, 27, 28, 29, 30 at Bayonne High School
Sioban Leahy – July 6, 7, 8, 9, 13, 14 at Bayonne High School
Gregory Moreau – July 15, 16, 20, 21, 22, 23 at Bayonne High School
Melissa Virack – July 1, 6-30 th at Lincoln Community School
Isabella Spatola – July 6, 7, 8, 13, 14, 15, 20, 21, 22, 27, 28, 29 at Woodrow Wilson Community School
Marissa Frasso – July 9, 16, 23 & 30 at Woodrow Wilson Community School and will cover if Melissa or Isabella call out sick]

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

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Office of Spec. Serv. Dept.
5/06/2026
9:00AM

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SPECIAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT

Name of Program: Special Services Extended School Year 2026 (#5/#10/BHS)
 Monday through Thursday – July 1st through July 30th
 July 1st 8:30 AM– 12:30 PM Certified Staff only
 July 6th through July 30th 8:15 - 2:45

Rate: Bayonne Board of Education Certified Staff - 1/200th of Salary

Teachers:

Susan Sweeney	Dayna Ammirato
Nicholas Varanelli	Danetta Albright
Dennis Tiberi	Eliza Tipton
Jennifer McDonough	Jessica Mecka
Stacey Bailey	Joseph Megaro
Katie Frank	Josefina Wende
Kathleen Stanler	Lauren LoPresti
Allyson Mackow	Marcia Schleppey
Brian Hampton	Michele Petrakian
Ernesto Baret	Nancy Corbalis
James Coll	Nicole Miragliotta
Jenna Collins	Nina Salas
Kathryn Obiedzinsky	Rebecca Clarkin
Kathleen Skowronski	Shannon Ashe
Liana Novembrino	Tanya McCormack-Sabo
David Hoffmann	Taylor Cramer
Lindsay Leahey	Christina Cantale
Michael Cabrera	
Natasha Hernandez	
Stephanie Studwell	
Tara Greene	
Patricia Feuer	
Alicia Rodriguez	
Ally Petrakian	
Amanda Becker	
John Paczkowski	
Anthony Weimmer	
Betty Jean Wilson	
Brianne Brown	
Christina Cruz	
Christine Colon	
Christina O'Mara	
Crystal Geraldo	

SPECIAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT

Name of Program: Special Services Extended School Year 2026 (#5/#10/BHS)
Monday through Thursday - July 6th through July 30th

Rate: 1/200th of Salary

Teacher Aides:

Latricia Law	Kelly MacDonald	Joanne Baran
Amany Beshay	Maria Wright	Deborah Antczak
Awatif Ghobrial	Maureen Cancro	Keith Kimbrough
Julianna Barone-Cotter	Robert Yannaccone	Linda Harris
Tandy Bauer	Barbara Grau	Tanashia Boon
Georgette Abadir	Emelia Molesky	Nermin Hanna
Wafa Soliman	Amany Zakher	Enas Farag
Malikah Reynolds	Krista Feeley	Sherin Ishak
Karen Russo	Neville Phillips	Hayat Samid
Tanya Hernandez	Marichelle Makarious	Remonda Beshara
Lucy Lambides	Melissa Kudlacik	Rita Farag
Fadia Salib	Nina Smith	Nermeen Gaballah
Magdi Boutrous	Diana Pou	Eman Makar
Migdalia Gonzalez	Jaqueline Torres	Gina Geremonte
Angelica Murrieta	Danielle Bunting	Amal Ishak
Laila Samaan	Manal Hanna	Terfajana Henin
Neama Beshay	Gabrielle Dederding	Nikisha Townes
Keisha Hull	Shena DeMoya	Naglaa Souryal
Linda Gonzalez	Margreet Awad	Kathleen Moran
Barbara Lopez	Magy Abdelmasah	Tina Gomez
Maria Castano	Maryam Makar	Maryam Faltaous
Demiana Habashi	Brady Cashman	Maria Abdou
Abeer Botros	Kristine Feline	Enjy Gaid
Mona Guirgis	Enaam Fares	Daniel Mendez
Nelvy Cestero	Naira Masoud	
Mariam Boktor	Evangelia Stavridis	

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 July 6th through July 30th 8:15 - 2:45

Rate: Bayonne Board of Education Certified Staff: 1/200th of Salary

<u>Speech Therapists</u>	<u>Physical Therapists</u>	<u>Occupational Therapists</u>
Julia Paolantonio	Cathy Trapani	Naomi Korbman – 3 Days
Kylie Trebour	Christa Shinnars – 2 Days	Gordana Issa
Amanda Neilsen	Thomas Greene	Jamie Szweada
Salvaa Hasan	Angelina Liao	Anne Rose
Clair Quinones	Christine Gaul	Sarwat Naseem
		Tracy Barbossa – 3 Days
		Nicole Perez – 2 Days
		Dawn Maratta-Kielb – CST Evals
		Jacqueline Magee
		Caitlin Hoehlein
		Dianne Hall
		Emma Franconeri – 3 Days
	<u>BCBA/BEHAVIORIST</u>	Abigail Seidman
	Matthew Brown	Daniella Attanasio
	Stefanie Baldovin	Sara Angrosina
	Jennifer Mensing	Tara Attisano
	Daniella Barquet	Gianna Muli – 3 Days
	Mackenzie Brown	
	Brielle Fiore	
	Jillian Lissenden	<u>Art Therapy</u>
	Jessica Hernandez	Justin Scriven
	Michael Schmidt	Diana Rickard
		Faith Gerges

BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE

HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

WHEREAS, it has been determined that both Special Education and General Education teachers are required for the purpose of attending IEP meetings with Child Study Team Members as required by NJAC, and

WHEREAS, the Superintendent of Schools, has recommended these General Education and Special Education teachers to be approved as needed, to attend these meetings during the months of July and August, dates to be determined, at a rate of 1/200th of salary, at an hourly rate, not to exceed 10 hours,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the following personnel be approved as needed:
PAID BY DISTRICT FUNDS

Special Education:

Frank Lebron
Caitlin Miller
Lauren Ortiz

General Education:

Kathryn Ryan
Kelly Sweeney
Michele Nolan
Pryia Jhaveri
Mia Torres
Vanessa DeAngelo

ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MAY 19, 2026

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

WHEREAS, it has been determined that the Child Study Team members, are needed for the purpose of completing evaluations, conducting parent meetings, developing IEP documents, and maintaining all office responsibilities in order to remain in compliance as per the New Jersey Administrative Code, and

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED, that the Superintendent of Schools has recommended the following staff be approved as needed at 1/200th salary, not to exceed 10 days.
PAID BY DISTRICT FUNDS.

Child Study Team Members

Vivian Diaz
Kristen Nardone
Michele Barba
Breanna Perez
Kim Hightower
Karen Robergeau-DeMasi
Charlene Paiz
Montana Cushmeyer
Vera Treonze
Kerrie Lopez
Keirsten Lasher
Raquan Clinton
Elcy Castillo-Ospina
Michelle Kilroy
Gerilyn Montagne
Genessi Edwards
Heather Humenic

Mary Beth McCann
Jessica Stancampiano
Mariez Aziz
Jessica Yurechko
Desiree Weir
Melissa MacKenzie
Jeannette Harrison
Brittany Mirsky

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

WHEREAS, according to N.J.A.C. 6A:7, Managing Equity in Education, all school districts, including charter schools and Renaissance school projects, are mandated to develop a three-year Comprehensive Equity Plan (CEP),

WHEREAS, the responsibility of each board of education and board of trustees of every public school district, charter school, and Renaissance school project in New Jersey is to identify and correct all discriminatory and inequitable policies, programs, practices, and conditions within or affecting schools,

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED, that the Board of Education approves the submission of the proposed Comprehensive Equity Plan Statement of Assurance, Year 2 to the County Office of Education for the school year 2026-2027.

ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MAY 19, 2026

Office of the Assistant Superintendent of School Personnel

Comprehensive Equity Plan Statement of Assurance, Year 2

School District, Charter School or Renaissance School Project Information School Year 2026-2027

Name of County: Hudson

Name of School District/Charter School/Renaissance School Project: Bayonne School District

Address: 669 Avenue A Bayonne NJ 07002

Affirmative Action Officer (AAO): Thomas Fogu

Telephone #: 201-858-5847

AAO Email: tfogu@bboed.org

Alternate Contact Person: Dennis Degnan

Telephone #: 201-858-5565

Title: Assistant Superintendent of Curriculum

Email: ddegnan@bboed.org

1. The school district, charter school or renaissance school project has reviewed its implementation strategies for school year 2025-2026 and provides assurance that the implementation timeline has been met at each school within the district, charter school or renaissance school project, if applicable. The areas of noncompliance as indicated in the CEP have met specific indicators of achievement at each site, if applicable, during this previous school year.
2. The school district, charter school or renaissance school project will continue to fully implement its Board-approved Comprehensive Equity Plan.
3. The district, charter school or renaissance school project will achieve and maintain compliance with all applicable laws, codes, and regulations governing equity in education including, but not limited to: N.J.S.A.18A:36-20; N.J.S.A.10:5; N.J.A.C. 6A:7; Titles VI and VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964; Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972; Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973; The Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990; Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (I.D.E.A.) of 1997.

Certification

By signing below, the Chief School Administrator or Charter or Renaissance School Project Lead Person certifies that all statements above are true and correct:

Name and Title: *John J. Niesz, Superintendent of Schools*

Signature: *[Handwritten Signature]*

Date: *May 6, 2026*

BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE

HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

WHEREAS, the School Safety Team in each of our schools in our district is required to complete a "Self-Assessment" indicating how they have fulfilled the various requirements under the State's Anti-Bullying Bill of Rights Act; now therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, this Board of Education of the City of Bayonne, Hudson County, New Jersey reports the **Official** Self-Assessment Grades of the Schools in our District.

ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MAY 19, 2026

HIB Self-Assessment Grades
2025
(Reporting Period 7/1/24 – 6/30/25)

School	Grade
Henry E. Harris	78
Phillip G. Vroom	78
Walter F. Robinson	76
Mary J. Donohoe	78
Lincoln Community	75
Horace Mann	74
Midtown Community	78
Washington Community	77
Woodrow Wilson	78
John M. Bailey	77
Nicholas Oresko	78
Bayonne High School	76
Bayonne Adult High School	78
DISTRICT GRADE	77

Total Score Possible 78

**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 19th day of May 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 MAY 19, 2026

Office of the Assistant Superintendent of Personnel

SCHEDULE A

STAFF ID #35331 effective May 5, 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 **April/May** to the Bayonne Board of Education and the Board accepts the recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools and building administrator.

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H.I.B. – Report to the Board of Education
Month: May

H.I.B Case #	School	H.I.B. Confirmed
#10	Henry E. Harris	No
#8	Philip G. Vroom	Yes
#29	Horace Mann	Yes
#21	William Shemin Midtown Community	No
#22		Yes
#24		No
#14	Woodrow Wilson	Yes
#5	John M. Bailey	No
#3	Nicholas Oresko	No

**BAYONNE PUBLIC SCHOOLS**

Administration Building

669 Avenue A

Bayonne, New Jersey 07002

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Fax: 201-858-5599

DANIEL M. CASTLES

School Business Administrator

****MONTHLY CHECKS RECEIVED - APRIL 2026****

DATE	FROM	DESCRIPTION	ACCOUNT	AMOUNT
04/01/26	School Employees	Medical insurance	Refund	\$2,520.90
04/01/26	Bayonne Board of Education	Medical insurance	Refund	\$244,012.50
04/01/26	Sun Life Assurance Company	Medical insurance - stop loss reimb.	Refund	\$594,160.94
04/01/26	N.J.S.I.G.	Workers compensation - teacher aide	Refund	\$1,022.32
04/01/26	N.J.S.I.G.	Workers compensation - custodial	Refund	\$2,947.79
04/01/26	N.J.S.I.G.	Workers compensation - custodial	Refund	\$1,243.28
04/01/26	State of New Jersey	School Based Youth Services Program	Special Programs	\$25,201.00
04/01/26	School Parents	Chromebook reimbursements	Miscellaneous	\$370.00
04/01/26	School Parents	Chromebook reimbursements	Miscellaneous	\$1,115.00
04/01/26	Community Education	Youth enrichment - B/A Care	Current O/R	\$248.00
04/01/26	Fun and Function	Miscellaneous	Miscellaneous	\$495.34
Subtotal				\$873,337.07

DATE	FROM	DESCRIPTION	ACCOUNT	AMOUNT
04/13/26	School Employees	Medical insurance	Refund	\$1,900.00
04/13/26	School Employee	Medical insurance - Leave reimbursement	Refund	\$329.76
04/13/26	School Parents	Chromebook reimbursements	Miscellaneous	\$350.00
04/13/26	BMI Benefits LLC	Supplemental workers compensation	Miscellaneous	\$2,234.29
04/13/26	Iron Mountain	Paper rebate	Miscellaneous	\$128.56
04/13/26	Tipalti - HUDL	Athletic events reimbursement	Current O/R	\$741.07
04/13/26	International-Matex Tank Terminals	IMTT Grant Award - BHS	Special Programs	\$30,423.80
04/13/26	Community Education	Youth enrichment - B/A Care	Current O/R	\$3,672.63
04/13/26	Community Education	Youth enrichment - B/A Care	Current O/R	\$3,862.53
04/13/26	Community Education	Youth enrichment - B/A Care	Current O/R	\$6,742.00
Subtotal				\$50,384.64

DATE	FROM	DESCRIPTION	ACCOUNT	AMOUNT
04/15/26	School Employees	Medical insurance	Refund	\$950.00
04/15/26	Bayonne Board of Education	Medical insurance	Refund	\$245,582.91
04/15/26	School Employee	Medical insurance - Leave reimbursement	Refund	\$200.00
04/15/26	School Employee	Medical insurance - Leave reimbursement	Refund	\$241.54
04/15/26	School Employee	Payroll reimbursement	Refund	\$2,170.24
04/15/26	N.J.S.I.G.	Workers compensation - custodial	Refund	\$1,243.28
04/15/26	N.J.S.I.G.	Workers compensation - teacher aide	Refund	\$1,022.32
04/15/26	School Employees	Mentor teacher program (8)	Refund	\$5,200.00
04/15/26	CSM Cost Solutions	Food rebate	Miscellaneous	\$1,200.18
04/15/26	Community Education	Youth enrichment - B/A Care	Current O/R	\$7,990.40
04/15/26	Community Education	Ice time rental fees	Current O/R	\$6,877.50
Subtotal				\$272,678.37

DATE	FROM	DESCRIPTION	ACCOUNT	AMOUNT
04/16/26	School Employee	Mentor teacher program	Refund	\$1,000.00
04/16/26	Sonepar USA - Cooper Electric	Miscellaneous	Miscellaneous	\$2,097.14
04/16/26	BMI Benefits LLC	Supplemental workers compensation	Miscellaneous	\$485.39
04/16/26	Community Education	Youth enrichment - B/A Care	Current O/R	\$250.00
04/16/26	Community Education	Youth enrichment - B/A Care	Current O/R	\$3,403.09
Subtotal				\$7,235.62

DATE	FROM	DESCRIPTION	ACCOUNT	AMOUNT
04/17/26	School Parents	Chromebook reimbursements	Miscellaneous	\$350.00
04/17/26	Community Education	Youth enrichment - B/A Care	Current O/R	\$14,008.97
04/17/26	Community Education	Adult-karate/aerobics/yoga & Facility rent	Current O/R	\$12,320.00
Subtotal				\$26,678.97

DATE	FROM	DESCRIPTION	ACCOUNT	AMOUNT
04/21/26	School Employee	Mentor teacher program	Refund	\$1,000.00
04/21/26	School Employee	Mentor teacher program	Refund	\$1,000.00
04/21/26	Community Education	Youth enrichment - B/A Care	Current O/R	\$2,700.98
04/21/26	Community Education	Youth enrichment - B/A Care	Current O/R	\$3,344.22
04/21/26	Community Education	Youth enrichment - B/A Care	Current O/R	\$5,281.89
Subtotal				\$13,327.09

DATE	FROM	DESCRIPTION	ACCOUNT	AMOUNT
04/27/26	School Employees	Medical insurance	Refund	\$2,475.00
04/21/26	School Employee	Medical insurance - Leave reimbursement	Refund	\$840.00
04/21/26	N.J.S.I.G.	Workers compensation - custodial	Refund	\$1,243.28
04/21/26	N.J.S.I.G.	Workers compensation - teacher aide	Refund	\$1,022.32
04/21/26	N.J.S.I.G.	Miscellaneous	Miscellaneous	\$1,475.36
04/21/26	Bureau of Education & Research	Miscellaneous	Miscellaneous	\$5.00
04/21/26	BMI Benefits LLC	Supplemental workers compensation	Miscellaneous	\$970.96
04/21/26	School Parents	Chromebook reimbursements	Miscellaneous	\$360.00
04/21/26	Jostens	Miscellaneous	Miscellaneous	\$384.26
04/21/26	Community Education	Youth enrichment - B/A Care	Current O/R	\$4,388.00
04/21/26	Community Education	Youth enrichment - B/A Care	Current O/R	\$856.00
04/21/26	Community Education	Youth enrichment - B/A Care	Current O/R	\$4,725.20
Subtotal				\$18,745.38

DATE	FROM	DESCRIPTION	ACCOUNT	AMOUNT
04/30/26	School Employee	Medical insurance - Leave reimbursement	Refund	\$889.12
04/30/26	School Employee	Medical insurance - Leave reimbursement	Refund	\$651.00
04/30/26	Bayonne Board of Education	Medical insurance	Refund	\$244,695.71
04/30/26	Gente Services LLC - COBRA	Medical insurance	Refund	\$8,545.17
04/30/26	School Employee	Mentor teacher program	Refund	\$1,000.00
04/30/26	State of New Jersey	School Based Youth Services Program	Special Programs	\$25,201.00
04/30/26	Verizon	Cell tower rent	Miscellaneous	\$75.00
04/30/26	Community Education	Facility rental fees	Current O/R	\$1,628.00
04/30/26	Community Education	Ice time rental fees	Current O/R	\$11,290.00
04/30/26	Community Education	Youth enrichment - B/A Care	Current O/R	\$690.00
04/30/26	Community Education	Youth enrichment - B/A Care	Current O/R	\$1,131.64
Subtotal				\$295,796.64

GRAND TOTAL \$1,558,183.78

ADOPTED AT BOARD MEETING HELD MAY 19th, 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 April 2026

Report of School Monies April 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.

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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 **April 30th, 2026 regular** payroll and all taxes in the amount of **\$6,648,966.21** be accepted and approved, and now;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the purchase orders presented for review at the workshop **April 28th, 2026** are hereby accepted.

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

May 19, 2026

BE IT RESOLVED that the Bayonne Board of Education, upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the following agencies for the 2026-2027 School Year for Homebound Instruction.

NO.	AGENCY	SERVICES	CONTRACT DATES	COST/RATES	FUND	COMMENTS
1	Silvergate Prep Academic Excellence and Therapeutic Innovation	Provide education to children while on medical homebound	2026-2027 School Year	\$50.00 per hour for a total of 10 hours per week - Length of services is expected to extend greater than 10 school days at an estimated length of stay of 30-60 days	11-150-100-320-010-251	Homebound Instruction See attached contract
2	LearnWell	Provide education to children while on medical homebound	2026-2027 School Year	of \$72.20 per hour for up to 10 hours per week.	11-150-100-320-010-251	Homebound Instruction See attached contract

Office Of The Assistant Superintendent Of Special Services

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HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

May 19, 2026

BE IT RESOLVED that the Bayonne Board of Education, upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the following agencies and independent evaluators for the 2026-2027 School Year.

NO.	AGENCY/INDEPENDENT EVALUATOR	SERVICES	CONTRACT DATES	COST/RATES	FUND	COMMENTS	STUDENT ID#
1	Care Option for Kids	Nursing Services	2026-2027 School Year	◊\$78.00/hour of RN services ◊\$72.00/hour of LPN (See attached contract and fee schedule)	11-000-213-320-010-251-251 (District Funds)	One-on-One Nursing Services for Students with an IEP/504	800437 (N.R.)
2	Starlight Homecare Agency, Inc. d/b/a Star Pediatric Home Care Agency	Nursing Services	2026-2027 School Year	◊\$66.00/hour of RN services ◊\$56.00/hour of LPN (See attached contract and fee schedule)	11-000-213-320-010-251-251 (District Funds)	One-on-One Nursing Services for Students with an IEP/504	832438 (S.M-R)
3	Soliant	Nursing Services Related Services	2026-2027 School Year	◊\$82.55/hour of RN services ◊\$78.25/hour of LPN ◊Speech Therapist (SLP) at a rate of \$102.55 (See attached contract and fee schedule)	Nursing 11-000-213-320-010-251-251 (District Funds) Speech 11-000-216-320-010-020 (District Funds)	One-on-One Nursing Services and Related Services for Students with an IEP/504	823136 (J.A.) 840031 (R.M.) 821437 (C.K.) 820237 (A.P.) 888131 (J.C.) 96907 (C.G.) 853240 (Z.D.)
4	Stay Well	Nursing Services	2026-2027 School Year	◊\$75.00/hour of RN services ◊\$64.00/hour of LPN (See attached contract and fee schedule)	11-000-213-320-010-251-251 (District Funds)	One-on-One Nursing Services for Students with an IEP/504	97307 (O.K.)
5	Dr. Buzinkal	Dyslexia Evaluations, Dysgraphia Evaluations, Dyscalculia Evaluations, Psych - Educational Evaluation, Psychological Evaluations (social emotional only), Cognitive Assessment (IQ only), Complete Neuropsychological Evaluations	2026-2027 School Year	◊Dyslexia Evaluations at the rate of \$1,400.00, ◊Dysgraphia Evaluations at the rate of \$1,400.00, ◊Dyscalculia Evaluations at the rate of \$1,400.00, ◊Psych - Educational Evaluation at a rate of \$1,800.00, ◊Complete Neuropsychological Evaluations at the rate of \$3,600.00 per evaluation ◊Evaluation for Autism \$4,400.00 ◊Placement \$4,200.00 ◊No Show \$300.00 (See attached contract and fee schedule)	11-000-219-320-010-020 (District Funds)	Evaluations for Bayonne Board of Education students Pre-K - 12	
6	Dr. Hrso	Psychiatric Services	2026-2027 School Year	◊Psychiatric evaluations at the rate of \$550.00 per Evaluation ◊\$300.00 for No Show ◊\$1,000.00 for Emergency Appointments (See attached contract and fee schedule)	11-000-219-320-010-020 (District Funds)	Evaluations for Bayonne Board of Education students Pre-K - 12	
7	The Bilingual Child Study Team	Bilingual Educational Evaluations for Preschool to High School	2026-2027 School Year	◊Bilingual Evaluations \$1,000.00 Per Evaluation (See attached contract and fee schedule)	11-000-219-320-010-020 (District Funds)	Bilingual Evaluations for the Child Study Team	
8	School Based Therapy	Related Services	2026-2027 School Year	◊Speech Therapy Services \$60.00 per thirty minute individual treatment session ◊Speech Therapy Services \$60.00 per thirty minute group treatment session ◊Speech Therapy Consultations \$60.00 per thirty minutes ◊Speech Therapy Evaluations \$350.00 per evaluation (or billed hourly at District's request) (See attached contract and fee schedule)	11-000-216-320-010-020 (District Funds)	In District Related Services for Students with an IEP	
9	Jump Ahead Pediatrics	Related Services	2026-2027 School Year	◊Speech Therapist at a rate of \$120.00 per hour (See attached contract and fee schedule)	11-000-216-320-010-020 (District Funds)	In District Related Services for Students with an IEP	
10	Health Habitats	Related Services	2026-2027 School Year	◊Speech Therapies, Occupational, and Physical Therapies at a rate of \$120.00 per hour ◊Evaluations/ Re-evaluations Inclusive of documentation \$480.00 flat rate (See attached contract and fee schedule)	11-000-216-320-010-020 (District Funds)	In District Related Services for Students with an IEP	

NO.	AGENCY/INDEPENDENT EVALUATOR	SERVICES	CONTRACT DATES	COST/RATES	FUND	COMMENTS	STUDENT ID#
11	Infinite Therapy Solutions	Related Services	2026-2027 School Year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◊School Based Speech, Occupational, and Physical Therapies at a rate of \$120.00 per hour ◊Clinic Based Speech, Occupational, and Physical Therapies at a rate of \$200.00 per hour ◊Home Based Speech, Occupational, and Physical Therapies at a rate of \$220.00 per hour ◊Evaluations \$480.00 flat rate (See attached contract and fee schedule)	11-000-216-320-010-020 (District Funds)	Home Based and In District Related Services for Students with an IEP	Home Based Related Services Student ID# 806533 (DT)
12	Supreme Consultants	Related Services	2026-2027 School Year	<p style="text-align: center;">Type of Service</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◊Bilingual Psychological \$800.00 per evaluation ◊Bilingual Educational \$800.00 per evaluation ◊Bilingual Speech & Language Evaluation \$800.00 per evaluation ◊Monolingual Evaluations/Assessments \$650 per evaluation/assessment ◊OT Bilingual \$800 per evaluation/assessment ◊OT Monolingual \$650 per evaluation/assessment ◊Virtual Interpreting Services \$52.00 per hour / 2 hours minimum ◊In-Person Interpreting Services \$58.00 per hour/ 2 hours minimum ◊ Home/Bed Side Instruction \$65.00 per hour / 2 hours minimum ◊Home/Bed Side Instruction (Special Ed.) \$80.00 per hour/ 2 hours minimum ◊Home Occupational or Speech Therapy \$135.00 per hour ◊Transcribing \$0.25 per word ◊Bilingual Arabic evaluations \$850 per evaluation ◊Bilingual Korean evaluations \$850 per evaluation <p style="text-align: center;">Temporary Staff</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◊Special Education Teacher \$70-\$80/hr. ◊Occupational Therapist \$95-\$105/hr. ◊COTA \$65-\$75/hr. ◊School Social Worker \$70-\$80/hr. (See attached contract and fee schedule)	11-000-219-320-010-020 (District Funds)	Evaluations for the Child Study Team	
13	Cross County Clinical & Educational Services	Psychological, Learning, Speech Language, P/T, O/T, and Social Intake Assessments	2026-2027 School Year	<p style="text-align: center;">Child Study Team Evaluations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◊English \$940.00 ◊Bilingual \$1,050.00 Arabic, French, Korean, Spanish, Chinese-Mandarin, Haitian Creole, Polish, Urdu, Chinese-Cantonese, Indian (Hindi, Gujarati, Bengali), Russian, and other languages available on request (See attached contract and fee schedule)	11-000-219-320-010-020 (District Funds)	Evaluations for the Child Study Team	
14	Educational Specialized Associates, LLC.	Pediatric Neurologist	2026-2027 School Year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◊Neurological Evaluation \$800.00 (See attached contract and fee schedule)	11-000-219-320-010-020 (District Funds)	Evaluations for the Child Study Team	
15	Children's Specialized Hospital	Five 6 hour sessions Physical Therapy Scheduled Clinics with Dr. Bentley	2026-2027 School Year	Scheduled clinics are for five - 6 hour sessions at \$420.00 per hour or \$2,520.00 per 6 hour clinic. The current schedule is for the following dates: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◊ 10/21/2026 ◊ 11/18/2026 ◊ 1/13/2027 ◊ 4/21/2027 ◊ 5/19/2027 The amount due will be \$12,600.00 for the five 6 hour sessions.	11-000-219-320-010-020 (District Funds)	See attached contract	

Office Of The Assistant Superintendent Of Special Services
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**BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE,
HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

May 19, 2026

BE IT RESOLVED that the Bayonne Board of Education, upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approves the following agencies and independent evaluators for the 2025-2026 School Year.

NO.	AGENCY/INDEPENDENT EVALUATOR	SERVICES	CONTRACT DATES	COST/RATES	FUND	COMMENTS	STUDENT ID#
1	ACES Assessments, Counseling, & Educational Support	◊ ASL Learning Evaluation ◊ ASL SPeech and Language evaluation ◊ ASL Psychological Evaluations	2025-2026 School Year	\$950.00 Per Evaluation	11-000-219-320-010-020 (District Funds)	ASL Evaluations for the Child Study Team	

Office Of The Assistant Superintendent Of Special Services
And The Special Services Department

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AGREEMENT

COOPERATIVE SPORTS PROGRAM

THE BAYONNE BOARD OF EDUCATION

AND

**THE JERSEY CITY BOARD OF EDUCATION
McNAIR ACADEMIC HIGH SCHOOL**

WHEREAS, the Jersey City Board of Education, having its principal offices at 346 Claremont Avenue, Jersey City, New Jersey (hereinafter referred to as the “Jersey City Board”) does not sponsor an Ice Hockey Sports Program at McNair Academic High School because it currently has an insufficient number of students to participate in a high school ice hockey sport program; and

WHEREAS, there are students enrolled in the Jersey City School District who have expressed an interest in participating in a high school ice hockey sport program; and

WHEREAS, the Bayonne Board of Education, having its principal offices at 669 Avenue A, Bayonne, New Jersey 07002 (hereinafter referred to as the “Bayonne Board”) has an Ice Hockey Sports Program and agrees to accept the McNair Academic High School students into the Bayonne High School Ice Hockey Sports Program; and

WHEREAS, the New Jersey State Interscholastic Athletic Association (hereinafter referred to as “NJSIAA”) permits cooperative sports programs between two or more (tri-op) member schools where those schools have an insufficient number of students to participate in a sport; and

WHEREAS, the NJSIAA’s rules and regulations require an agreement between the cooperating schools whereby one school shall have the complete responsibility as the Local

Education Agency (hereinafter referred to as "LEA") for the conduct of the specific sport, which will be available to the students at all those schools; and

WHEREAS, the Jersey City Board and the Bayonne Board (hereinafter referred to as the "Parties") are desirous of entering into an Agreement for a Cooperative Ice Hockey Sports Program between Bayonne High School and McNair Academic High School that will allow McNair Academic High School students to participate in the Bayonne High School Ice Hockey Sports Program for the 2026-2027 school year (hereinafter referred to as the "Agreement").

NOW, THEREFORE, based on the foregoing premises and in consideration of the following mutual promises and obligations contained herein, the Parties agree as follows:

1. McNair Academic High School students who are otherwise eligible to participate in winter sports during the 2026-2027 school year and wish to play ice hockey shall be permitted to participate in Bayonne High School's Ice Hockey Program. The student-athletes shall be subject to the NJSIAA eligibility rules as well as the eligibility rules of both schools, and where the rules are at variance, the more stringent rules will be in effect. The decision of the Executive Committee will be final, with no appeals
2. The Jersey City Board shall pay the Bayonne Board one thousand dollars (\$1,000) annually for each McNair Academic High School student who participates in the Bayonne High School Ice Hockey Program. This amount shall be paid to the Bayonne Board on or before December 1st of each school year of this Agreement.
3. The Bayonne Board shall have the complete responsibility as the LEA for the conduct of the Bayonne High School Ice Hockey Program which will be available to the students at the school. This shall include the employment of all certified staff responsible for the administration of the Ice Hockey Program and the supervision of the students from both schools.

4. The Bayonne Board shall furnish uniform jerseys for the students from both schools and shall provide transportation for all away games from Bayonne High School to the other game locations and returning to Bayonne High School. Every student is responsible to furnish their own skates, shin guards, socks, personal protection, girdle with shell, shoulder pads, gloves, elbow pads, stick, helmet with full cage, mouth piece, neck guard and any other piece of equipment required per State regulations.
5. The Bayonne Board shall be responsible for the provision of any medical, police, security, and any other competition(s) that the Bayonne High School Ice Hockey Team participates during the term of this Agreement.
6. The parents or guardians of the McNair Academic High School students shall be solely responsible for transporting the students to and from McNair Academic High School to Bayonne High School. Once on campus, Bayonne High School will transport both McNair Academic High School students and Bayonne High School students to all off-campus Ice Hockey activities, including but not limited to training, practices, home games, away games or any other competition(s) that the Bayonne High School Ice Hockey Team participates during the term of this Agreement.
7. The Bayonne Board will be considered the home site, and as such will be entitled to all League/Conference and NJISAA awards.
8. The Bayonne Board assumes all liability for, and agrees to indemnify and hold Jersey City and its agents, servants, employees, students, guests, licenses and invitees, harmless from and against any and all claims, losses, damages, injuries, and expenses, including reasonable attorney's fees, arising out of, resulting from, or incurred in connection with, any acts or omissions by the Bayonne Board, its agents, servants, or employees related to the performance of the Bayonne Board's obligations under the terms of this Agreement.

Likewise, the Jersey City Board assumes all liability for, and agrees to indemnify and hold Bayonne Board and its agents, servants, and employees, harmless from and against any and all claims, losses, damages, injuries, and expenses, including reasonable attorney's fees, arising out of, resulting from, or incurred in connection with, any acts or omissions by the Jersey City Board, its agents, servants, or employees related to the performance of the Jersey City Board's obligations under the terms of this Agreement.

9. Both parties shall maintain full and complete liability insurance, in limits not less than the maximum amounts of liability coverage now maintained by each party, throughout the term of this Agreement. Both parties shall also name each other as additional insured's under their policies.
10. This Agreement may be terminated by either party at the conclusion of the 2026-2027 ice hockey season by providing the other party with written notice of its intention to terminate and setting forth the reason(s) in said written notice.
11. This Agreement may only be modified by an instrument in writing signed by both Parties to this Agreement.
12. If any of the provisions contained in this Agreement are held illegal, invalid, or unenforceable, the remaining provisions shall remain in full force and effect.
13. This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, which taken together, shall constitute one instrument. It is not necessary that all parties sign all or any one of the counterparts, but each party must sign at least one counterpart for the Agreement to be effective.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have hereunto caused these presents to be signed by their proper corporate officers and caused their proper corporate seals to be hereunto affixed, effective on the date and year first written above.

WITNESS:

JERSEY CITY BOARD OF EDUCATION

BY: _____

Business Administrator/Board Secretary

Jersey City Board President

DATED: _____

DATED: _____

WITNESS:

BAYONNE BOARD OF EDUCATION

BY: _____

Daniel Castles
Business Administrator/Board Secretary

Bayonne Board President

DATED: _____

DATED: _____

**BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE,
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WHEREAS, the New Jersey School Boards Association is conducting its annual workshop “Partners in Student Achievement” from October 19th through October 22nd, 2026, and;

WHEREAS, Bayonne Board of Education trustees, Business and Administrative Officials have indicated a desire to attend at the Atlantic City Convention Center, now;

THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED, that the following Bayonne Board of Education employees are approved to attend the New Jersey School Boards Association Workshop, with expenses being within the related Board policy and State Regulation:

- John Niesz
- Dan Castles
- Tom Fogu
- Dr. Dennis Degnan
- Kenneth Kopacz
- Daniel George
- Dr. Wachera Rangland-Brown
- Jennifer Vechiarelli
- John Phillips
- Lou Pacyna
- Courtney Young
- Karee McAndrew
- Angela Sanniola
- Pamela Sclafane
- Hector Gonzalez
- Mary Jane Desmond
- Saverio Maggio
- Lisa Burke
- Miriam Bechay
- Melissa Godesky Rodriguez
- William Young
- Colleen Damian

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BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF BAYONNE

HUDSON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

May 19, 2026

WHEREAS, the Bayonne Board of Education based on the recommendation of the Child Study Team, chooses to send a Special Education student (ID 980826) placed in a resident home located in Lindenwold, NJ, New Jersey to attend Bankbridge School, in Sewell, New Jersey from March – June 2026

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

WHEREAS, the Lindenwold 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:

**Lindenwood Board of Education
801 Egg Harbor Road
Lindenwold, NJ**

**\$318.00 Per Diem
(plus admin 6%fee)**

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WHEREAS, the Bayonne Board of Education based on the recommendation of the Child Study Team, chooses to send a Special Education student(s), (ID#981326) to the following school for the 2025-26 school year.

WHEREAS, the following Emergency Route will begin April 2026, and

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that an emergency contract be given to the below listed transportation company:

Prestige Xpress LLC **28 Surrey Drive, Wayne, NJ**

RT. E 477	Pick Up: Bayonne, NJ	\$289.00 Per Diem \$50.00 Aide
	Drop Off: Lamberts Mill Academy, 1571 Lamberts Mill Rd., Westfield, NJ	

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