THE SCHOOL BOARD OF BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA

DIVERSITY COMMITTEE MEETING

May 7, 2026

Minutes

Members Present		Members Absent
Antonio Burgess	Marsha Ellison	Ashley Eubanks
Carey Tabora	Narnike Pierre	Briana Jacques
Donna DeMarco	Rasheed Gray	Corey Shearer
Faheema Abdool-Ghany	Ruben Nesbitt	Esther Gold
Erica Hansinger	Shonda Woodard	Haley Nisim
Iman Sandifer	Teresa Williams	Jea'Cier Leon
		Luke Harrigan
		Windsor Ferguson

STUDENT SERVICES DIVISION STAFF: Carlisa Russell, Instructional Facilitator, Marion M. Williams, Committee Liaison, School Culture and Student Support; Latricia Lauture, Office Manager, School Counseling.

CALL TO ORDER

The regular monthly meeting of the School Board of Broward County, Florida, Diversity Committee was held on Thursday, May 7, 2026, at 6:30 p.m. at the Kathleen C. Wright Administration Building. The meeting was called to order by Narnike Pierre at 6:35 p.m. A quorum was not present.

CHAIR'S REPORT

Ms. Pierre reviewed the Diversity Committee's report and informed members that the committee will present at the May 12 School Board Workshop.

DIRECTOR'S REPORT

In Dr. Jodi Washington's absence, Ms. Marion Williams reported on upcoming School Culture and Student Support Department events: the Final College Tour, scheduled for the first week after school ends, and the Haitian Heritage Celebration on May 20th at the African-American Research Library.

QUORUM ESTABLISHED

A quorum having been established, the chair continued the business requiring committee approval.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The committee approved the minutes of the regular meeting held on April 2, 2026.

The committee discussed the student laptop sign-out process, with particular attention to procedures at a specific school. The committee also discussed selecting schools to visit during the 2026–2027 school year.

Committee Information Request:
Provide a list of programs that will be offered at Plantation 6-12 next school year and invite district staff to present on the Baker Act.

Motion
I Move: To keep current Chair Narnike Pierre as Chair until the election in September 2026-2027 School Year. Motion Passed

Motion
I Move: To move the four schools selected for revisit to be completed at the beginning of the School Year of 2026-2027. Motion passed.

The meeting adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

The next Diversity Committee meeting is scheduled for
Thursday, June 4, 2026, at 6:30 p.m.