

NOTICE OF NEWCASTLE ISD BOARD OF TRUSTEES
"SPECIAL" BOARD MEETING
Monday, August 31, 2026 - 6:10 PM
Newcastle ISD Community Room
505 Washington Avenue
Newcastle, TX 76372

The subjects to be discussed or considered, or upon which any formal action may be taken, are as follows: (Items do not have to be taken in the same order as shown on the meeting notice.)

1. Call to Order
2. Announcement by chairman that a quorum is present, that the meeting has been duly called and that the notice of the meeting has been duly posted for time and manner as required by law.
3. Open Forum
4. Consent Agenda
 - A. Minutes of previous meeting: August 11, 2026 Meeting
5. Discuss and consider
 - A. Discuss Board Training
 - B. Information Updates — Facilities, Financial, Personnel, Enrollment, Transportation, and Activities
 - C. Next Regular Meeting Scheduled for September 21st
6. Action Items
 - A. Review and consideration of 2025-26 Budget Amendments
 - B. Consider and Approve the NISD Budget for the 2026–2027 school year
 - C. Consider approval of Newcastle ISD Resolution adopting the **M&O** tax rate of \$0.7264 per \$100 of taxable valuation for the maintenance and operating fund and the adoption of the **I&S** tax rate of \$0.5000 per \$100 of taxable valuation of taxable valuation of **I&S** Debt Service Fund for a total tax value of \$1.2264 per \$100 of taxable valuation for 2026 tax year. Including designations and preservation of encumbered debt funds.
 - D. Consider and take possible action to revise the 2026-2027 Student Handbook Dress and Grooming Code regarding facial hair.
7. Closed Session: The Board may convene in Closed Session pursuant to the Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code, Chapter 551, including but not limited to:
 - §551.071 – Consultation with Attorney
 - §551.072 – Deliberation Regarding Real Property
 - §551.074 – Personnel Matters (appointments, employment, evaluation, reassignment,

duties, discipline, or dismissal of employees and officers)

§551.076 – Deliberation Regarding Security Devices or Security Personnel

§551.082 – Deliberation Regarding Discipline of a Public School Child or Complaint
Against a School District Employee

§551.0821 – Deliberation Regarding Personally Identifiable Information About a Public
School Student

§551.089 – Deliberation Regarding Security Assessments or Devices and Cybersecurity
Matters

A. Reconvene from closed session for action relative to items considered during closed
session.

8. Adjournment

If, during the course of the meeting, any discussion of any item on the agenda should be held in a closed meeting, the Board will conduct a closed meeting in accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, Tex. Gov't. Code, Chapter 551, Sub-chapters D & E.