

Bethel Board of Education Special Meeting - RETREAT

Saturday, August 5, 2023 9:00 AM

Board of Education Conference Room E, 1 School Street, PO Box 253, Bethel, CT 06801

1. Call to Order

1.A. Roll Call for Quorum

1.B. Pledge of Allegiance

2. Board Goals 2023-2024

3. Engagement for Student Success

4. Future Topics for Board of Education

5. Policy Reflection & Review

6. Recording of Board Meetings

7. Superintendent Evaluation Format

8. Recommended Executive Session - CT General Statutes 1-200(6)

8.A. Interpersonal Board Relationships

9. Adjourn

2023-2024 District Theory of Action

If we engage in cycles of continuous improvement focused on rigorous and relevant learning opportunities and fostering students' emotional intelligence, then we will empower all learners.

Suggested 2023-2024 Goals

Classroom Instruction

1. Ensure classroom instruction is rigorous and relevant, so that students meet e curricular course standards and/or grade level expectations.
2. Implement research-based instructional practices in our curriculum, assessment, and instruction that support the Science of Reading;

Emotional Intelligence

1. Create a learning environment that fosters the emotional intelligence of our students in order to support their well-being and performance in school and in life.
2. Continue to bring mental health awareness to our families and stakeholders.

2022-2023 Goals

Education Equity & Acceleration of Learning

3. Based on assessment, implement instructional practices to accelerate learning. Evaluate results and adjust as appropriate.
4. Implement Science of Reading instructional practices in our curriculum, assessment, and instruction; apply appropriate practices throughout grade levels.

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Civility and Inclusion

1. Emphasize through words and actions within our schools, with stakeholders and the community, the critical importance of civil discourse that respects the rights of others to their opinions.

Community and Collective Purpose

1. Engage, communicate and advocate for educational excellence, a shared benefit to and responsibility of students, families, educators, staff, town leadership, and members of the community.

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