

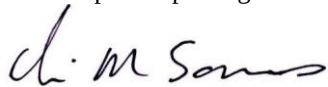
AGENDA FOR
BOARD OF EDUCATION
INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, NO. 57
CLEVELAND COUNTY, OKLAHOMA
LEXINGTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS

As required by Section 311, Title 25 of the Oklahoma Statutes, notice is hereby given that the Board of Education of Independent School District No. 57, Cleveland County, Oklahoma, will hold a regular meeting on **December 12, 2022 at 6:00 o'clock p.m.** at the Superintendent's office, Administration Bldg., Lexington Public Schools, 420 NE 5th Street, Lexington, Oklahoma.

AGENDA

1. Call to order by President
2. Roll Call
3. Pledge of Allegiance
4. Receive public comments on the Return to Learn Plan for Lexington Public Schools as required by the American Rescue Plan.
5. Financial Update and Student Enrollment numbers
6. Consent Agenda: All of the following items, which concern reports and items of a routine nature normally approved at board meetings, will be approved by one vote unless any board member desires to have a separate vote on any or all of these items. The consent consists of the discussion, consideration, and approval of the following items:
 - a. Consider and vote to approve November 14, 2022 regular session board meeting minutes
 - b. Consider and vote to approve bills, claims and payroll
 - c. Consider and vote to approve school fundraisers
 - d. Consider and vote to approve Bullying Prevention Policy update
 - e. Consider and vote to approve agreement with Nikki Keck, Visual Senses, for special education services for 2022-23
7. Regular Business
 - a. Consider and vote to approve or not approve the Return to Learn plan for Lexington Public schools, after receiving and considering public comments.
 - b. Consider and vote to approve or not approve authorizing the superintendent to consider the purchase of an auxiliary vehicle.
8. Proposed Executive Session
 - a. Vote to enter executive session under provision of 25 O.S. Section 307(B1)(1): Employment, hiring, appointing, promotion, demotion, disciplining, receiving the resignation of an employee.
 - b. Discuss employment of an adjunct instructor for Oklahoma History, Government, Civics and Economics
 - c. Discuss employment of an adjunct instructor for high school Life Skills
 - d. Discuss employment of temporary certified personnel
 - e. Discuss resignation of Debbie McLain
 - f. Discuss resignation/retirement of Harry Grider
 - g. Discuss quarterly elements of ongoing Superintendent's evaluation and initial annual contract review
10. Acknowledgement of return to regular session
 - a. Statement of Executive Session Minutes
 - b. Motion to employ or not employ an adjunct instructor for Oklahoma History, Government, Civics and Economics
 - c. Motion to employ or not employ an adjunct instructor for high school Life Skills
 - d. Motion to employ or not employ temporary certified personnel
 - d. Motion to accept or not accept resignation of Debbie McLain
 - e. Motion to accept or not accept resignation/retirement of Harry Grider
11. New Business
12. Superintendent's Report
13. Motion to Adjourn

Name of person posting this Notice: Heidi M Somers



Minutes Clerk/Secretary

Posted this 9th day of December, 2022 at or before 4:00 p.m. on the front window of the Administration Building, Lexington Public Schools, 420 NE 4th Street, Lexington, Oklahoma.

Lexington Public Schools Return to Learn Plan

Believing that teacher-led, in-person direct instruction is the educational method and mode most effective for the vast majority of students, we strive to maintain a healthy and safe environment for staff and students. Our efforts to provide increased sanitation and space available for student groupings will continue as we monitor information provided by the CDC and other health organizations, considering additional changes as public health conditions warrant.

Universal and correct wearing of masks: Masks worn over the nose and mouth are identified as a best practice when social distancing is not possible. Masks are available to students, staff, and patrons with correct wear reminders posted.

Modifying Facilities for Social Distancing: Facilities are marked to show the recommended 3-6 feet of distance in seating and standing areas wherever possible throughout our schools. In classrooms, students are seated to minimize non-distanced contact with others.

Handwashing and Respiratory Etiquette: Students receive demonstrations and are reminded in classrooms about the healthy benefits of proper and frequent handwashing as well as respiratory etiquette of covering the mouth during coughs and sneezes. Signage is posted throughout the district with these reminders. Hand sanitizer is available in classrooms, offices, cafeteria, and other places that students or patrons may pass.

Cleaning and Maintaining Healthy Facilities including Improving Ventilation: We use industrial misting and fogging equipment to sanitize buildings and buses. Air purification technology has been identified for school use.

Contact Tracing Combined with Isolation and Quarantine, Collaborating with State, Local, and Tribal Health Departments: The Superintendent and other administrators attend available zoom calls with the Oklahoma State Health Department as it coordinates with the Oklahoma State Department of Education in order to be informed regarding infection rates, testing, vaccines, and school specific guidance for prevention measures.

Diagnostic and Screening Testing: An informed relationship is maintained with the Cleveland County Health Department so that referrals to testing are readily available.

Vaccination Efforts for the School Community: Lexington School and community accessed available vaccination opportunities from coordinated mass public health events, clinic based provision within tribes, and pharmacy and medical practices. The school will continue to communicate opportunities to our staff and community.

Appropriate Accommodations for Students with Disabilities with Respect to Health and Safety Policies: Accommodations that consider learning gaps caused by an instructional shift due to public health conditions have been instituted. These include socially distanced small group instruction and alternative assignments. Also, the needs of students who may need individualized physical accommodations in order to be safe during heightened health risks are closely examined.

Coordination with State and Local Health Officials: We routinely communicate with, report to, and receive information from the Cleveland County Health Department as well as the identified regional and state representatives of OSDH.

Approved 6/14/2021
Reviewed 12/12/2022