



# CITY OF SOMERVILLE, MASSACHUSETTS SCHOOL COMMITTEE

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To the Members of the School Committee:

Pursuant to Chapter 20 of the Acts of 2026, this meeting of the School Committee will be conducted via Hybrid or Zoom Webinar Participation.

We will post an audio recording, audio-video recording, transcript, or other comprehensive records of these proceedings as soon as possible after the meeting on the City of Somerville website and local cable access government channels.

Meetings of the School Committee have been scheduled for the week of **Monday, March 2, 2026**, as follows:

**Mon. Mar. 2**

**City Council Chambers**- Somerville City Hall -93 Highland Ave

**7:00 p.m.**

**Regular School Committee Meeting – For any and all business \*Hybrid**

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[somervillema.gov/GovTVLive](https://somervillema.gov/GovTVLive)

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**Wed. Mar. 4**

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**Zoom Webinar**

**12:45 p.m.**

**School Committee and Student Advisory Committee Meeting**

1. Improving Student Club Experience
2. Celebrating Clubs and other student achievements beyond academics and sports
3. Ideas for Transition Program to the High School
4. Next steps for the School Committee regarding the Divestment Ballot Question #3

**6:00 p.m.**

**Executive Session**

1. Pursuant to M.G.L. c. 30A, Section 21 (a)(3) ("Purpose 3") for the purpose of discussing strategy as it relates to collective bargaining with the following collective bargaining units, as an open meeting may have a detrimental effect on the bargaining position of the Committee, as declared by the Chair:
  - AFSCME Clerical
  - SEU Unit A
2. Pursuant to M.G.L. c. 30A, Section 21(a)(2) to conduct strategy sessions in preparation for negotiations with nonunion personnel and contract negotiations with nonunion personnel, including the Chief of Financial Officer
3. Pursuant to M.G.L. c.30A, §21(a)(7), to comply with or act under authority of, any general or special law or federal grant-in-aid requirements, specifically M.G.L. c.30A, §22(f) and (g) with regard to the review, approval,

***All meetings, with the exception of Special Meetings for Executive Session, are open to the public.***

*The items listed are those reasonably anticipated by the Chair to be discussed at the meeting. Not all items may in fact be discussed and other items not listed may also be brought up for discussion to the extent permitted by law.*

