



# BOARD OF EDUCATION OF DORCHESTER COUNTY BOARD CLIPS

September 17, 2020

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### Student Mission Pledge

I will finish my program of study and become college and career ready!

## TEXTBOOK ADOPTION

*World History*  
Houghton Mifflin Harcourt © 2019

## APPROVED BOARD POLICIES

*Policy 504.01 Personnel Policies:  
Employee Benefits; Holidays*

*Policy 504.02 Personnel Policies:  
Employee Benefits; Annual Leave*

*Policy 504.03 Personnel Policies:  
Employee Benefits; Tuition Reimbursement*

*Policy 504.05 Personnel Policies:  
Employee Benefits; Retirement*

*Policy 504.06 Personnel Policies:  
Employee Benefits; Deferred Compensation Plan*

*Policy 504.07 Personnel Policies:  
Employee Benefits; Accrued Sick Leave Payout*

*Policy 100.08 Board of Education:  
Board Policy; Nondiscrimination Policy*

## BOARD POLICY PRESENTED FOR FIRST READING

*Policy 190.03 Board of Education:  
Meetings Agendas and Procedure; Agenda*

## BOARD ACTIONS

The Board approved the following purchases, contracts, and documents:

- Approved purchase of 700 Verizon 8800L Jetpacks with unlimited data and filtering in the amount of \$221,543.00.
- Approved payment of 50 hot spots from AT&T with monthly service to support the connectivity for one year in the amount of \$17,945.00
- Approved MSDE grant for \$510,856.00 to be used to purchase technology.
- Approved MSDE grant for \$1,016,385.00 to be used to support the tutoring program.
- Approved grant from the Governor's Office for \$124,000.00 to be used to support broadband for unserved students.
- Approved donation from Mid-Shore Community Foundation for \$5,000.00 to be used to offset COVID-19 expenses in Food Service.

- Approved purchase for Materials of Instruction for Project Lead the Way Programs not to exceed \$46,000.00
- Approved the FY 2022 update to the Capital Improvement Plan for presentation to County Council and the Public School Construction Program
- Approved purchase of the Amplify Grade 6 and 7 student licenses for online access in the amount of \$17,500.00
- Approved the MOUS with the Dorchester County Health Department
- Approved the purchase orders to Learn Well for invoices received not to exceed \$10,000.00 for SY 2020-2021 for cost to tutor approved students hospitalized out of county
- Approved the purchase order to Medi Document Management for scanning and shredding for NDHS and C-SDHS not to exceed \$98,000.00
- Approved the license renewal for McAfee Endpoint Protection (anti-virus) software in the amount of \$36,347.45
- Approved the purchase of 200 iPads for kindergarten and 1<sup>st</sup> grade students in the amount of \$58,800.00
- Approved purchase of 3 UPS systems with battery packs and licenses from Data Networks, Inc. in the amount of \$12,573.00
- Approved purchase of 200 Acer TravelMate notebooks for elementary and middle schools from CDW-G in the amount of \$51,800.00
- Awarded the annual boiler/hot water heater preventive maintenance service bid to Capital Boiler Works, Hebron, MD in the amount of \$12,700.00
- Approved authorization of expenditures to Home Depot Pro for 19 electrostatic sanitizing machines not to exceed \$28,079.81
- Approved authorization of expenditures to Lywood Electric for replacing of high voltage electrical cables at C-SDHS Stadium not to exceed \$12,515.00

**PERSONNEL ITEMS FOR  
September 17, 2020**

**CERTIFICATED  
APPOINTMENTS**

*Elisabeth Chatfield*, New Teacher Mentor  
Central Office  
Effective: August 24, 2020

*Danielle Cox*, Elementary Teacher  
Warwick Elementary School  
Effective: September 11, 2020

*Dylan Cramer*, Elementary Teacher  
Choptank Elementary School  
Effective: September 4, 2020

*Sally Roberts*, Special Education Teacher  
Maple Elementary School  
Effective: September 24, 2020

*Brandi Weippert*, Science Teacher  
Mace's Lane Middle School  
Effective: September 3, 2020

**CERTIFICATED  
RESIGNATION**

*Devon Klass*, Music Teacher  
Maple Elementary School  
Effective: August 24, 2020

*Angela Richetts*, Community School Liaison  
Choptank Elementary School  
Effective: September 25, 2020

**CERTIFICATED  
RETIREMENT**

*Dale Herman*, Special Education Teacher  
North Dorchester High School  
Effective: July 1, 2020

*Rachael Roberts*, Mathematics Teacher  
Mace's Lane Middle School  
Effective: July 1, 2020

**NON-CERTIFICATED  
APPOINTMENTS**

*Michael Hunter*, Computer Repair Technician  
Central Office  
Effective: September 14, 2020

*Larry Jones*, Computer Repair Technician  
Central Office  
Effective: September 21, 2020

*Stephen Kinser*, Computer Repair Technician  
Central Office  
Effective: TBD

*Vincent Knoepfel*, Computer Repair Technician  
Central Office  
Effective: TBD

**NON-CERTIFICATED  
TRANSFERS**

*Uga Moaney*, from Head Custodian at Vienna Elementary  
School to Head Custodian at Maple Elementary School  
Effective: August 17, 2020

**NON-CERTIFICATED  
RESIGNATION**

*Gracie Weldon*, Instructional Assistant  
Sandy Hill Elementary School  
Effective: August 19, 2020

**NON-CERTIFICATED  
RETIREMENT**

*Deborah Todd*, Instructional Assistant  
Warwick Elementary School  
Effective: July 1, 2020