



Juvenile Services Education Program (JSEP)

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JSEP Monthly Board Meeting

Wednesday, April 1, 2026

Virtual Meeting 9:00 am

MINUTES

Board Member

Dr. Yolanda Holloway
Mr. Darryl Kelley
Mrs. Amanda White
Mrs. Mary Gable
Mrs. Grace Reusing
Mrs. Janice Purdham
Mrs. Betsy Tolentino
Ms. Ladetra Robinson

Others

Mr. Cory Fink
Dr. David Pinder, Superintendent
Ms. Elizabeth Mills
Mr. Marvin Stone, Deputy Ombudsman - Juvenile
Mrs. Dana Shoenberg, OIG
Mr. Kevin Hoefs, OIG
Mr. Ty Blackwell, OIG

- I. Welcome
- II. Roll Call - *Mr. Cory Fink*
- III. Approval of Minutes
 - March 4, 2026 Board Meeting Minutes approved (motion by Grace Reusing, seconded by Mrs. White)
- IV. Public Comment - *no public comment*
- V. Superintendent's Report - Dr. David Pinder
 - Report - distributed in Board packet
- VI. Unfinished Business
- VII. Subcommittee Reports - reports were provided during the livestream
 - **Legislative** - Dr. Holloway reported that they are coming to the end of the Spring session, March 23rd was crossover day. Continue to monitor bills, SB323 - and a diploma bill, April 13th is the close of session and will meet again. Dr. Holloway was a participant in the Speakers Event last week.
 - **Standards** - Mrs. White reported that the committee is making progress, met on March 18th, while we had planned to bring draft policies to the Board this month, staff suggested taking some more time to review and ensure that they are in alignment with current standards and practice. Staff are developing standard worksheets and measurements. The team has been working hard on that and should complete it by May 1.
 - **School Climate & Safety** - Mrs. Purdham focused on work flow in alignment with the strategic plan. Ensuring that school climate and safety are integrated with standards and sharing that information with staff.
- VIII. New Business
 - Mr. Ty Blackwell reported on behalf of the OIG covering the internal audits for 2nd quarter of FY26 which included the timeframe of November to January 2026.
 - Full reports will be posted on the JSEP section of the website.



IX. Board Member Remarks

- Mrs. Reusing thanked Superintendent Pinder and his team for decreasing the vacancy rate in such a short period of time in his administration. That has been a major hurdle during her tenure on the Board
- Secretary Tolentino expressed her pleasure in attending the History Day Event at Cheltenham and the support that our youth are receiving from the schools. On the legislative front, the budget did pass Monday night, but we did not experience any significant cuts, including funding for JSEP to reopen the school site at Noyes for the Facility for Children. Additionally, the Governor did submit a supplemental budget totaling approx \$5M, hopefully it will be approved for creating an EHR and facility maintenance projects.

X. Motion to adjourn by Secretary Tolentino, seconded by Dr. Holloway at 9:43 am