



GREATER ESSEX COUNTY DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD

SPECIAL EDUCATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING

Agenda

Wednesday, June 10, 2026

Board Committee Room

1:00 PM

Please notify Chairperson Kim McKinley or Melissa Beaton in advance if accommodations are required.

1. Call to Order

2. Acknowledgement of Traditional Lands and Water

We acknowledge that we are on land and surrounded by water, originally inhabited by Indigenous Peoples who have travelled this area since time immemorial. This territory is within the lands honoured by the Wampum Treaties; agreements between the Anishinaabe (Ah-nish-e-naa-bay), Haudenosaunee (Hoe-den-oh-show-nee), Lenni (Len-eh) Lenape (Lenaw-pay) and allied Nations to peacefully share and care for the resources around the Great Lakes. Specifically, we would like to acknowledge the presence of the Huron/Wendat (Wendat) Peoples and the Three Fires Confederacy Ojibwe (Oh-jib-way), Odawa (Oh-dah-wah), Potawatomi (Paw-taw-watt-ohme). We are dedicated to honouring Indigenous history and culture while remaining committed to moving forward respectfully with all First Nations, Inuit and Métis.

3. Attendance

4. Approval of Agenda

Action

RECOMMENDED ACTION

That SEAC approve the agenda of the SEAC meeting of June 10, 2026.

5. Declaration of conflict of interest

6. Approval of Minutes

Action

RECOMMENDED ACTION

That SEAC approve the minutes of the SEAC meeting of May 13, 2026.

7. Business Arising as a Result of the Minutes

8. Special Education Presentation

Information

- 2026-2027 Special Education Budget – S.O. Armstrong and S. Maheux
- ODA Plan 2026-2027 – S.O. Armstrong and S. Maheux

9. Special Education Updates

Information

- Professional Development Updates – L. Bates

- Special Education Plan Review – L. Bates

10. Items for Future Agendas

11. Association Reports

Information

12. Distribution

- Bluewater District School Board – Funding Support for Students with Special Education and Mental Health Needs
- Simcoe County District School Board – Funding Support for Students with Special education and Mental Health Needs

13. Adjournment



NEXT MEETING, September 9, 2026

Board Meeting Minutes available on [GECDSD website](#).

Vicki Houston, Director of Education

Chris Mills, Administrative Liaison

Kim McKinley, SEAC Chairperson

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