

SPECIAL EDUCATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE AGENDA: Thursday April 3, 2025

6:30 – 8:00 p.m.

1. Call to Order

6:30 p.m.

2. Land Acknowledgement

The Durham District School Board acknowledges that many Indigenous Nations have longstanding relationships, both historic and modern, with the territories upon which our school board and schools are located. Today, this area is home to many Indigenous peoples from across Turtle Island. We acknowledge that the Durham Region forms a part of the traditional and treaty territory of the Mississaugas of Scugog Island First Nation, the Mississauga Peoples and the treaty territory of the Chippewas of Georgina Island First Nation. It is on these ancestral and treaty lands that we teach, live and learn.

3. DDSB Indigenous Rights & Human Rights

The Durham District School Board recognizes Indigenous rights are distinct. In the exercise of those rights, Indigenous staff and students shall not be subject to action with the aim or effect of depriving these distinct rights.

The Durham District School Board is committed to learning and working environments that centre human rights and equity and are safe, welcoming, respectful, equitable, accessible, inclusive and free from discrimination.

- 4. Roll Call / Regrets / Welcome Guests / Technology Check
- 5. Approval of the Agenda
- Approval of Minutes from March 20, 2025
- 7. Staff Report 6:40 p.m. ISS Impact Update 2024-2025 Issue 7 – Teachers of the Deaf Hard of Hearing
- 8. Board Report
- SEAC Discussion & Planning:
 - DRAFT Deputation to Education Finance
 - SEAC Section of the 2025-2026 DDSB Inclusive Student Services Special Education Plan
- 10. Draft 2025-2026 SEAC Meeting Dates
 - DRAFT SEAC Dates for 2025-2026 •
 - September 4, 2025
 - October 2, 2025 is a conflict choice of either September 25 or October 16
 - November 6, 2025 •
 - December 4, 2025
 - January 8, 2026 •
 - February 5, 2026

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7:20 p.m.

6:45 p.m.

6:50 p.m.

• March 5, 2026 (March Break 13-20)	
 April 9, 2026 (April 3 is Good Friday so move to second week) 	
• May 7, 2026	
• June 4, 2026	
11. Business Arising from the Minutes	7:25 p.m.
12. Association Reports & Committee Reports	7:30 p.m.
13. Correspondence	7:40 p.m.
14. Community Concerns	7:45 p.m.
15. Celebrations and Success	7:55 p.m.
16. Next S.E.A.C. meeting – May 1, 2025	
17. Adjournment	8:00 p.m.

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