



SPECIAL EDUCATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE

AGENDA:

Thursday June 5, 2025

6:30 – 8:00 p.m.

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| 1. Call to Order | 6:30 p.m. |
| 2. Land Acknowledgement | |
| <p>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.</p> | |
| 3. DDSB Indigenous Rights & Human Rights | |
| <p>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.</p> <p>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.</p> | |
| 4. Roll Call / Regrets / Welcome Guests / Technology Check | |
| 5. Approval of the Agenda | |
| 6. Approval of Minutes from May 1, 2025 | |
| 7. Staff Report | 6:40 p.m. |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Introduction Superintendent Lauren Bliss• ISS Impact Update 2024-2025 Issue 9 – Profession Learning – Commitments to Inclusion and Anti-Oppression | |
| 8. Board Report | 6:45 p.m. |
| 9. Consultation: Creating Safe and Inclusive Schools
Heather Mundy, Superintendent of Education:
Consultation by the Violence in Schools Working Group | 6:50 p.m. |
| 10. Presentations: | 7:10 p.m. |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Presenter: Jeff Raymer Leveraging AI for Inclusivity | |
| 11. Business Arising from the Minutes | 7:30 p.m. |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Special Education Placement: Gifted• SEAC Parent/Caregiver Survey/Response Rate to Date• Draft Letter to Ministry of Education – Timing of Budget Release | |
| 12. Association Reports & Committee Reports | 7:35 p.m. |
| 13. Correspondence | 7:45 p.m. |
| 14. Community Concerns | 7:50 p.m. |

15. Celebrations and Success

7:55 p.m.

16. Next S.E.A.C. meeting – September 4, 2025

17. Adjournment

8:00 p.m.

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