



**SPECIAL EDUCATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE
AGENDA
Thursday April 20, 2023**

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, learn and live.

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

6. Approval of Minutes from March 23, 2023

7. Staff Reports 6:40 p.m.

- Administration
- Board

8. Inclusive Student Services Department Report

9. 2023-2024 – Proposed SEAC Meeting Dates 6:55–7:00 p.m.

- September 21, 2023
- October 19, 2023
- November 9, 2023 (a week earlier as teacher conferences on the following Thursday)
- December 14, 2023
- January 18, 2024
- February 15, 2024
- March 21, 2024
- April 18, 2024
- May 23, 2024
- June 20, 2024

10. Open Discussion Period: (Timed Item 20 minutes) 7:00-7:20 p.m.

11. Business Arising from the Minutes 7:20 p.m.

12. Association Reports & Committee Reports 7:30 p.m.

- Autism Ontario - Resources for Connecting with your School Team

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| 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 25, 2023 | |
| 17. Adjournment | 8:00 p.m. |

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