



DECATUR PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT #61  
BOARD OF EDUCATION AGENDA

Open Session Meeting  
Keil Administration Building  
101 W. Cerro Gordo Street  
Decatur, IL 62523

October 12, 2023  
5:30 PM Special Open Session Meeting  
Closed Session Immediately Following  
Return to Open Session to Take Action, If Needed

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Legend: AI = Action Item      DI = Discussion Item      IO = Information Only

**Strategic Plan Mission:**

*The mission of Decatur Public Schools, the destination district of our community, is to unlock students' unique and limitless potential to achieve their personal aspirations as fully prepared, contributing citizens in a global society through learning experiences distinguished by:*

- *commitment to the whole person resulting in student growth and confidence*
- *relevant, innovative, personalized academic pathways that promote passion and pride*
- *a learning environment that fosters curiosity and the thirst for achievement and discovery*
- *a culture of diversity, adaptability, and resilience*
- *meaningful and lasting relationships*
- *extraordinary school and community connections*

**The Board of Education Parameters that Guide Our Work:**

- We will make decisions in the best interest of all students.
- We will treat all people with dignity and respect.
- We will seek input and collaboration throughout our diverse community.
- We will practice responsible stewardship of all our resources.

**IO 1.0 CALL TO ORDER – CALL FOR EXECUTIVE SESSION**

The Board of Education will meet in Closed Executive Session to conduct student discipline hearings.

Roll Call

**IO 2.0 PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**AI 3.0 APPROVAL OF AGENDA, OCTOBER 12, 2023**

**IO 4.0 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

- Identify oneself and be brief.
- Comments should be limited to 3 minutes.
- Any public comments submitted to the Board Secretary will be included in the record.

**DI 5.0 BOARD DISCUSSION**

**AI 6.0 ROLL CALL ACTION ITEM**

- A. Vote on a Potential Student 2324-0006 Expulsion
- B. Vote on a Potential Student 2324-0007 Expulsion
- C. Vote on a Potential Student 2324-0008 Expulsion
- D. Vote on a Potential Student 2324-0009 Expulsion
- E. Vote on a Potential Student 2324-0010 Expulsion
- F. Vote on a Potential Student 2324-0011 Expulsion

**IO 7.0 IMPORTANT DATES**

- October**
- 13 Eisenhower High School Homecoming Parade and Game
  - 14 Eisenhower High School Homecoming
  - 20 Parent/Teacher Conferences
    - **NO SCHOOL for ALL Students**
  - 23 Indigenous People’s Day Observed
    - **NO SCHOOL and District Offices are Closed**

**NEXT MEETING**

The public portion of the next regular meeting of the Board of Education will be at 6:30 PM, Tuesday, October 24, 2023 at the Keil Administration Building.

**AI 8.0 ADJOURNMENT**