



A G E N D A

POLICY COMMITTEE MEETING

Meeting Held Via Google Meet
Monday, August 18, 2025 at 5:00 P.M.

Mission Statement:

In a partnership of family, school and community, our mission is to **educate**, **challenge** and **inspire** each individual to excel and become a contributing member of society.

2025-2026 Board of Education Goals:

1. By June 2026, the Thomaston Board of Education will adopt a districtwide curriculum alignment policy requiring that all English Language Arts (ELA) curriculum documents in grades PreK–12 explicitly identify connections to the Portrait of a Graduate (POG) competencies, as evidenced by formally approved curriculum maps that include POG indicators and a documented review process.
 2. By June 2026, the Thomaston Board of Education will adopt a family-school communication policy that streamlines districtwide messaging practices as evidenced by published protocols and parent school climate survey results.
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Members:

Tanya Galpin, Board of Education Secretary Frank Treglia, Board Member	Matthew VanOrmer, Committee Chairperson and Board of Education Vice-Chairperson Roxy Fainer, Ex-Officio Member/Board of Education Chairperson Francine Coss, Superintendent	Steven Carr, Board of Education Treasurer Nathan Vieira, Board Member
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1. Call to Order

2. Presentations (*Information Related to Current or Future Policy*) - None

3. Discussion Items (*Consider for Policy Revision*)

- 3.1. CAFE Policy Policy 5142.41 - Armed Security Guards - Francine Coss, Superintendent
 - 3.1.1. [Sample CAFE Policy](#)
 - 3.1.2. [CAFE School Resource Officer Memorandum of Understanding - Francine Coss, Superintendent](#)

4. First Read (*Proposed Policy Revisions*)

- 4.1. Policy 1140 Non- School Activities - Francine Coss, Superintendent
 - 4.1.1. Current Policy
 - 4.1.2. Marked Up Copy
 - 4.1.3. Clean Copy
- 4.2. Policy 1311.2 Political Activities in the Schools/On School Board Property
 - 4.2.1. Current Policy
 - 4.2.2. Marked Up Copy
 - 4.2.3. Clean Copy

5. Second Read (*Proposed Policy Revisions*) - None

6. Action Items (*Finalized Policy Revisions*)

- 6.1. Policy 1327 - Relations with Youth Organizations - Cristina Kingsbury, Thomaston High School Principal
 - 6.1.1. Clean Copy

7. Adjournment