



**Ohio Connections Academy (OCA)
Board Meeting**

Notice is hereby given to the members of the OCA Board and the general public that the OCA Board will hold a meeting open to the public on:

Date and Time:
Friday, April 24, 2020 at 10:30 a.m.

**Held via teleconference due to State Precautions regarding Public Health and Safety
During COVID-19 Pandemic:**

800-504-8071; Access Code 466-9854#

Notices of this meeting have been appropriately posted as required law. Persons with a disability may request a reasonable accommodation by contacting Marie Hanna at (513) 234-4900 ext. 300. Requests should be made as early as possible to arrange the accommodation; no later than twenty four (24) hours prior to the meeting.

BOARD AGENDA

- I. Call to Order – G. Schuster
- II. Roll Call – G. Schuster
- III. Public Comment

The Board welcomes participation by the members of the public both in-person and telephonically. To address an item on the agenda, before the scheduled start of the meeting, an individual must write their name and a short description of the agenda item on which they wish to comment on the card provided and submit this to the Chair, along with any materials they want to have distributed to Board. Individuals who wish to address the Board telephonically must contact the School Principal by phone or by email at least twenty four (24) hours before the scheduled start of the Board meeting. If the individual wants to provide any written materials to the Board, these should be emailed to the School Principal at least twenty four (24) hours before the scheduled start of the meeting.

The total time for any individual to present, either in person or via telephone, on an item on the agenda shall not exceed three (3) minutes, unless the Board grants additional time.

Individuals desiring to make a formal presentation to the Board on an item not on the agenda but desiring it be placed on the agenda must provide notice and written submissions detailing the subject of the presentation to the School Principal at least fourteen (14) days prior to the meeting. Any such presentation shall not exceed fifteen (15) minutes in duration, unless otherwise permitted by the Chair.

To view the Board Public Comment Policy, visit the school's "About Us" page at www.connectionsacademy.com

- IV. Routine Business
 - a. Approval of Agenda – G. Schuster

- V. Oral Reports
 - a. Executive Director's Report (Executive Director's Report and MSR attached) – M. Hanna
 - i. School Response to COVID-19 Pandemic
 - ii. Graduation and End of Year Activities Update
 - iii. State Testing Update
 - iv. Math Update
 - b. OBL Products, Services and Initiatives Update (attached) – K. Woods
 - c. Financial Report (attached) – J. McMillin
 - i. Budget Timeline Discussion – T. Blair

- VI. Consent Items
 - a. Approval of Minutes from the February 28, 2020 Board Meeting (attached)
 - b. Approval of Staffing Report (attached)
 - c. Acceptance of Bank Reconciliation (attached)
 - d. Approval of Online & Blended Learning Invoices for February and March (attached)
 - e. Approval of Revision(s) to Employee Handbook: Work From Home Policy (attached)
 - f. Approval of Revision(s) to 2019-2020 School Year State Specific School Handbook: College Credit Plus (attached)
 - g. Approval of Staff Compensation Plan for the 2020- 2021 School Year (attached)

- VII. Action Items
 - a. Approval of Revision(s) to the Charter Contract with Ohio Council of Community Schools (OCCS) (attached) – M. Hanna/A. Goodson
 - b. Approval of Revision(s) to Performance & Accountability Plan (attached) – M. Hanna/A. Goodson

- VIII. Information Items
 - a. President's Update – G. Schuster
 - b. Board Recruitment Update – G. Schuster
 - c. State Account Relations (STAR) Update – K. Woods
 - d. Outreach Update – J. Rotar
 - e. Partner School Leadership Team Update – A. Pasquinilli
 - i. Update on IAs (attached)
 - ii. School Operations Metrics (attached)
 - f. Board Planning for the 2020-2021 School Year – K. DeGorff
 - i. Board Support Update
 - ii. Proposed Meeting Schedule
 - iii. Board Composition
 - iv. Conflict of Interest Reminder
 - v. Board Experience Survey
 - g. OCCS Representative Update – J. Wall

- IX. Adjournment and Confirmation of Next Meeting Date – Friday, May 22, 2020 at 10:30 a.m.