



Janet T. Mills
Governor

STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION
Maine Department of Health and Human Services
109 Capitol St.
Aroostook Room
Augusta ME, 04330
Join Zoom Meeting:

A. Pender Makin
Commissioner

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Members of the State Board of Education
FROM: Paulette Bonneau, Chair
DATE: September 28, 2026
RE: October 8, 2026, State Board of Education Meeting

In accordance with the State of Maine laws, Title 20-A, Chapter 5, Section 402, I call for a meeting of the State Board of Education for Thursday, October 8, 2026, at Maine Department of Health and Human Services, Aroostook Room, 109 Capitol Street, Augusta, Maine, and virtually via Zoom.

On Thursday, October 8, 2026, the Board will meet in a Workshop Session in accordance with the agenda outlined below.

October 8, 2026

9:00 – 9:10	Board Introductions	Paulette Bonneau, Chair
9:10 – 9:30	DOE Report	Commissioner Makin
9:30 – 10:15	Follow-up on Ch. 61	Chair Fern Desjardins School Construction Committee
10:15 – 10:30	Break	
10:30 – 11:00	Discussion Regarding the Professional Standards Board	Dillon Clark, Principal, Belgrade Central School Denham Ward, SBE
11:00 – 11:30	LD 1018 Report, NASBE Report and 405 Language review	Board members
11:30 – 12:00	Josie James – Washington County Teacher of the Year	Josie James Jon DeLorme, Educate Maine

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