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### **MEETING NOTICE**

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#### **Marblehead School Committee**

Name of Board or Committee

Address: Zoom Conference join via the web link or Dial in

Link:

https://zoom.us/j/95931853284?pwd=OXJZckVTR0MwV2phQ1EzTzdYR3hsQT09

Dial in Phone # (415) 762-9988 with ID and follow prompts

Meeting ID: 959 3185 3284

**Password:** 405973

Thursday	November	5 <sup>th</sup>	2020	7:00pm
Day of Week	Month	Date	Year	Time

Agenda or Topics to be discussed listed below (That the chair reasonably anticipates will be discussed)

#### I. Initial Business and Public Involvement

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Commendations
  - a. Principals Commendations-Village School
  - b. School Committee Commendations
- 3. Student Representative *Dan Howells*
- 4. Public Comment

#### II. Consent Agenda and Action Items

1. Minutes:

a. 6/8/2020, 6/10/2020, 8/6/2020, 8/20/2020, 9/17/2020, 10/1/2020

#### III. Superintendent Report

- 1. Superintendent's Update
  - a. Technology and Live Streaming Update
  - b. Collective Bargaining

#### **IV. Finance Organizational Support**

1. Schedule of Bills (Vote)

(Vote)

#### V. School Committee Communications and/or Discussion Items

- 1. Presentation on Homeschooling Policies IHBG and IHBG-R
- 2. Follow-up on School Committee Goals
- 3. School Committee Website Update
- 4. School Properties Discussion
- 5. Building Project Update

#### **VI. Closing Business**

- 1. New Business (Not reasonably anticipated by the Chair 48 hours in advance of the meeting.)
- 2. Correspondence
- 3. Adjournment

#### **THIS AGENDA IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE**

Chairperson	Sara Gold
Posted by	Lisa Dimier
Date	11/3/2020

# **Homeschool Request Process and Proposed Improvement Policy Subcommittee 10/9**



Home » Family & Community



### Home Schooling

#### **Notification Form**

State regulation requires that the Home Schooling Notification Form must be submitted at least 14 days prior to starting home schooling for administrative purposes. The form should be completed and returned to the Superintendent's Office, 9 Widger Road, Marblehead, MA.

#### Portfolio Review

At the end of the school year, the Superintendent will request to see some form of testing or results in the form of a portfolio. The portfolio should contain an example of work in each subject area from the beginning of the year as well as one from the end of the year. The goal is to acknowledge that there has been improvement over the course of the year. The district strives to make certain that all home-schooled children meet the state's guidelines. A copy of the state's frameworks can be found on their website.

#### **School Activities Participation**

Participation in curricular or extra-curricular activities will be permitted with the Superintendent's permission. Authorization to participate will depend on the availability of space after Marblehead Public School students have enrolled. We ask that you please contact us in the 3rd week of September to check availability.

## Homeschool Request Process and Proposed Improvement Marblehead's Current Form:



### Marblehead Public Schools

9 Widger Road, Marblehead, MA 01945

#### **Home Schooling Notification Form**

**For School Year** 

Instructions: complete and return to the Superintendent's Office, 9 Widger Road, Marblehead, MA.

State regulation requires that this form must be submitted at least 14 days prior to starting home schooling for administrative purposes.

#### PLEASE PRINT: ALL SECTIONS MUST BE COMPLETED BY PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN.

Student(s)Name		Gender		Date of Birth	Current	# of hours	
Last	First	Middle	M	F	Month/Date/Year	Grade of instruction	
1.							
2.							
3.							
4.							

## **Homeschool Request Process and Proposed Improvement**

### **Proposed Additions/Changes:**



- More prescriptive approach to presenting curriculum selection and educational plan-Including materials, selected texts, online programs
- Expectations around the assessment of student performance in each content area Standardized testing, work samples, portfolio, progress reports
- Transitioning to an online application process
- Guidance on process for "determining parent ability to serve as effective educator"
- Inquiry into specific student needs ie– Special Education/IEP 504 Plan

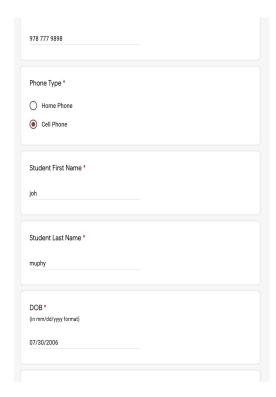
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*Please attach a	a copy of your child'	's IEP or Section 504 Plan.

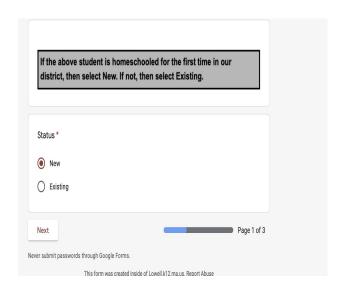
## Online Homeschool Request Exemplar - Lowell Public Schools

### **Page 1** - Family and Student Contact Information and Enrollment History



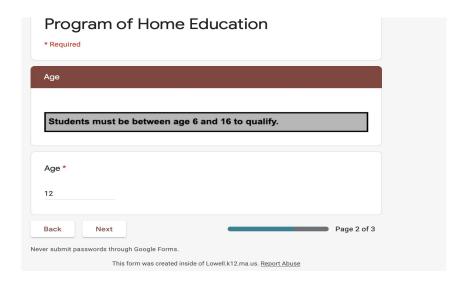
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# Online Homeschool Exemplar - Lowell Public Schools Page 3- Education Plan for ALL CONTENT AREAS



Instructional Plan: For each subject, please supply a detailed plan of topics to be covered, duration and expected results. You may also describe methods and/or programs to be used.	
ELA *	
Your answer	
Math*	
Your answer	
Science *	
Your answer	
Social Studies *	
Your answer	
Other subjects	4

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Other subjects			
Your answer			
Comments			
Your answer			
Method of Assessment *			
Portfolio			
☐ Anecdotal Report ☐ Test Results			
Please supply a brief description on the assessment method used.			
Assessment Method Description *			
Your answer			

# Online Homeschool Exemplar - Lowell Public Schools Page 3- Parent Commitment Statement



Failure of a home educator to abide in good faith by the procedures outlined above may result in the school committee taking action under M.G.L. Chapter 76, section 2 and/or 4, upon the recommendation of the superintendent. CHINS proceedings pursuant to M.G.L. Chapter 119, section 21, will not be invoked for any child pursuing a home education program.			I
Send me a copy of my responses.			
Back Submit Page 3 of 3	The following sig	ignature confirms the intent to provide a minin	num of 900-990 hours of instruction.
Never submit passwords through Google Forms.	Signature of Par	rent or Guardian	Date Submitted
	Failure outlined Massach	ted by email or U.S. mail upon receipt of your ap of a home educator to abide in good I may result in the School Committ husetts General Law Chapter 76, section endation of the Superintendent. M.G.L. Chapter 76, Sections 1, 2 an	faith by the procedures tee taking action under as 1, 2 and/or 4, upon the



9 Widger Road, Marblehead, MA 01945 phone: 781.639.3140

fax: 781.639.3149

#### **MEMORANDUM**

TO: Marblehead School Committee

FROM: Michelle Cresta, Director of Finance

CC: John J. Buckey, Superintendent

DATE: November 4, 2020

RE: Schedule of Bills for Approval

Included in this packet is the following Schedules of Bills for your consideration. The schedules and invoices have been uploaded to Dropbox and the required signatures have been obtained for each schedule.

Schedule	Amount		
21079	\$	1,795,993.90	
Total	\$	1,795,993.90	

#### **Suggested Motion:**

Motion to approve the identified schedules of bills totaling \$1,795,993.90.

### Charles H. Gessner 20 Gregory Street Marblehead, MA 01945

Telephone/FAX 781 631-3552
Email: chgessner@mac.com

November 2, 2020

Superintendent John Buckey Town Administrator Jason Silva Marblehead, MA 01945

#### Gentlemen:

I write as a former member and chairman of the Marblehead Finance Committee, and taxpayer, who remains interested in the town's financial situation. It seems clear that Marblehead is about to run into one of the unavoidable Proposition 2  $\frac{1}{2}$  crunches.

As a result of the planned consolidation of four elementary schools into two, a number of surplus property situations have developed. The Gerry School was dealt with in a timely fashion, and now it seems to me the remaining school properties should be studied so decisions on their future use can be made sooner rather than later. The Evelyth property has been underutilized for quite a few years, and starting early in 2022 the Coffin School should no longer be needed as a school. Also identified as a potential site for the new school was the school owned property off of Beacon/West Shore Drive. Part of it might be wetlands, but there appears to be land suitable for development.

There are other town interests – not financial – that could impact any future use of these properties. For example, it is my understanding that the Historical Commission is looking for space for an archive facility, and the future uses of school properties might impact their effort.

I hope you will work with the School Committee and Selectmen to form a committee to study the potential uses of these properties so they do not become "wasting assets" in town. Clearly some of them can be developed as future taxable properties and/or save the town significant money if used for municipal purposes.

Thank you for your consideration.

Cc Marblehead School Committee
Marblehead Board of Selectmen
Marblehead Historical Commission