

CHEATHAM COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION BOARD MEETING AGENDA

Cheatham County Board of Education

November 7, 2024

Place: Educational Annex/Board Room

Time: 6:00 PM

1. Call to Order
2. Moment of Silence - Dale McCarver
3. Pledge of Allegiance - Dale McCarver
4. Roll Call
5. Approval of Agenda
6. Presentations, Awards Recognitions  
Employees Of The Month

**ACESA**

Ella Jennette, Extended Resource Teacher

**ECES**

Diane Paterson, Pre-K Assistant

**KSES**

Lacey Carter, Teacher

**PEFAMS**

Alicia Wolfe, Assistant/Computer Teacher

**PVES**

Kaitlyn York, Extended Resource Assistant

**WCES**

Jessica Chambers, Teacher

**CMS**

Preston Carter, Teacher

**HMS**

Abby Hall, Nurse

**SMS**

Carolann Adcock, RTI Focus Teacher

**CCCHS**

Julia Diederich, Teacher

**HHS**

Nicole Wycoff, Teacher

**SHS**

Mat Simon, Teacher

**RA**

Dr. Jordan Reed, Teacher

**Daycare**

Jessica Johnson, PVES Employee Daycare

**Nutrition**

Crystal Allen, CMS Assistant Manager

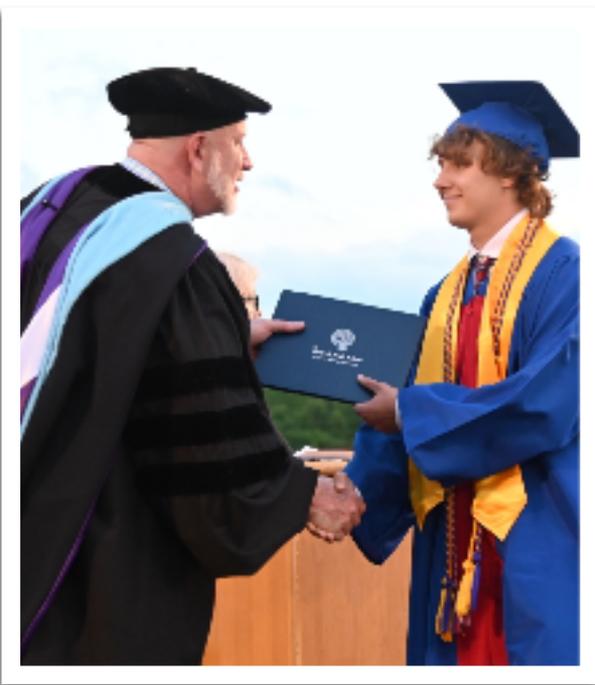
**Transportation/Maintenance**

Colton Burdette, Maintenance Tech

**Central Office**

Tracy Michon, Finance and Operations Specialist

7. Public Forum
8. School Improvement Plan (SIP) Goal Update  
Pegram Elementary Fine Arts Magnet School  
PEFAMS, Sarah Spain
9. Executive Committee
10. Five Year Plan  
Partnerships & Community Engagement  
Tim Adkins/Claudette Fizer
11. Elected Officials - Opportunity for Elected Officials to Address Board
12. Consent Agenda
  - A. Minutes: October 3, 2024  
October 29, 2024
  - B. Disposal of surplus equipment/materials
    1. CTE Supervisor Cooper requests disposal of the following items from SHS Health Science Classroom: Broken Hospital Bed, Broken Wheel Chair and Broken/Outdated Medical Mannequin.
13. Budget and Finance
  - A. Summary  
report provided
  - B. Budget Revision Fund 141 - State Offset Grant \$32,938.00
  - C. Employee Bonus
  - D. WCES Ball Field Lights - \$185,000.00
14. Old Business
  - A. Review of October 29th Emergency Vote
  - B. School Bus Purchases and Rebate
15. New Business
  - A. LEA Compliance Report
  - B. TISA Accountability Report
16. Brief comments from Board Members
17. Announcements
18. Adjourn



# FIVE-YEAR PLAN PARTNERSHIPS/ COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

# Relationships, Communications

**GOAL ONE:** Cultivate relationships and improve communication between the district and all stakeholders



After successfully piloting our Listen and Learn luncheons last year, we will continue them this year at our three middle schools:

- **February 25:** Sycamore Middle School
- **March 7:** Harpeth Middle School
- **March 18:** Cheatham Middle School

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- Attending PTO meetings and community/government meetings
- Improving communication via social media, website, videos, newsletters and emails
- Working on a video series highlighting our high school CTE programs of study

# Increase Family Engagement Activities

**GOAL TWO:** Provide family engagement activities that will address academic, social and emotional growth of students



Grant funding from the United Way of Greater Nashville was not able to sustain our successful Family Resource Center, the Family Development Center of Cheatham County Schools.

# Increase Family Engagement Activities

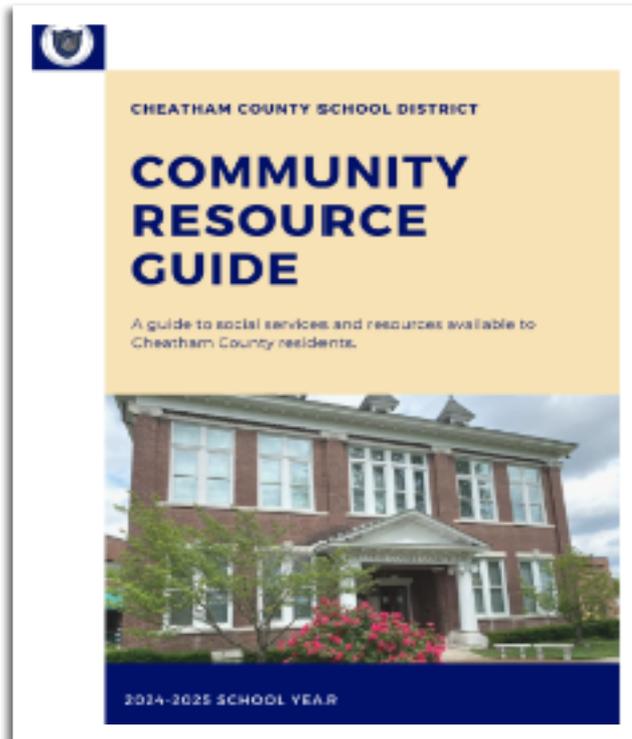
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Claudette Fizer, our family and community engagement coordinator, continues to assist families in need. She works with Cheatham County organizations to provide some of their basic needs. We continue to offer a food bank for our families as provided by the Second Harvest Food Bank.

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We continue to publish our annual Community Resource Guide, which is available on our website. The digital guide features a listing of social services and resources available to Cheatham County residents.

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The Cheatham County School District and other organizations formed the Cheatham County Homeless Coalition in 2023. We host quarterly meetings to raise awareness about how homelessness affects individuals and families in our county.

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The Cheatham County Homeless Coalition hosted its second annual Cardboard City event on September 7 at the Cheatham County Courthouse. This year, 17 teams participated and featured some of our Innovative Scholars and Career & Technical Student Organizations.

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Identify, establish and continue effective community outreach programs

- Our book/STEAM bus hosted a successful summer program in June
- GELF provided students in grades 1-3 with six free books this summer

# Increase Student Learning Opportunities

**GOAL THREE:** Support student learning, engagement and service opportunities through partnerships and connections



Expand our annual Career Fair for high school seniors entering the workforce after graduation

Our 2025 Career Fair is scheduled for May 9 at CCCHS. More than 50 area businesses participate this past year.

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Build upon and engage industry and business partnerships that support our students

We host CTE advisory committee meetings twice a year at our three high schools, giving our CTE teachers and students and industry partners time to collaborate.

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CTE/STEAM Coordinator Chris Cooper spoke at the Chamber of Commerce's recent Industrial Roundtable to support this work.

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Continue with our successful Kindness Grows Here program

Our schools are giving back to the community by partnering with various Cheatham County organizations and businesses.

# Looking Ahead

## STATE OF THE DISTRICT BREAKFAST



**Tuesday, January 28**  
Cheatham Middle School  
Breakfast begins at 8:30 a.m.  
Program starts at 9 a.m.