

Hanover Public School District  
School Board Meeting  
Administration Building - 403 Moul Avenue, Hanover, PA

May 11, 2026  
6:00 P.M.

I. Opening Business

A. Call to Order

B. Pledge of Allegiance

C. Roll Call

Board Members: Mr. Frederick, Mrs. Gulden, Mr. Huston, Mrs. Rice, Mrs. Keeney, Mr. Lippy, Mrs. Shea, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Walter

Also Present:

II. Recognition of Visitors

Public Comments:

III. Approval of minutes from Past Meetings - The Board is requested to approve the minutes for April 27, 2026. ([enclosure](#))

BOARD ACTION:

IV. Superintendent's Report - Dr. John Scola

- NIGHTHAWK talks
- Dates to Remember:
  - Thursday, May 21: Retirement Dinner at 5pm
  - Wednesday, May 27: Campus Night at 6:30pm
  - Thursday, May 28: Graduation at 7pm

V. Assistant to Superintendent's Report - Dr. Susan Seiple

- Keystone Assessments
- Summer Programming
- New Teacher Induction

VI. Matters for Which Board Action is Required

A. Personnel

- 1) Employment - The Board is requested to approve the following employment:

Professional Employee:

Nathan Mattis, Math Teacher at Hanover High School, effective at the

start of the 2026-2027 school year. Rate of compensation will be Master's, Step 8. ([enclosure](#))

Classified Employees:

John Newman, Custodian, part-time, 4 hours per day, at Hanover High School, effective pending successful completion of all required employment. Rate of compensation will be within Level One, commensurate with the current year's Classified Salary Schedule. ([enclosure](#))

Wayne Dohler, Teaching Assistant, full-time, 7 hours per day, from Hanover High School to Hanover Middle School, Autistic Support, effective May 7, 2026. Base rate of compensation will remain the same.

Leslie Nelson, Health Room Assistant/LPN, full-time, 7 hours per day, at Washington Elementary, effective pending successful completion of all required employment paperwork. Rate of compensation will be within Level Four, commensurate with the current year's Classified Salary Schedule. ([enclosure](#))

BOARD ACTION:

- 2) **High School Summer Credit Recovery, Hanover High School**  
June 15–18th June 22–25th  
Teacher Hours: 8:15 AM – 11:45 AM  
Teacher Pay: \$35 per hour

Teachers:

Jen Gomulka (Direct Instruction - Math)  
Meagan Gibbs (Direct Instruction - Math)  
Corrinna Berwager (Packets)  
Tara Bahn (Packets)  
Jackie Uhler (Packets)  
Becky Smith (Packets)  
Ellena Keriazes (English)  
Emma Rikas (English)  
Kyle Krout (Science)

Teacher Assistant:

Amalea Williams - LS Packet Support

**Elementary Summer School (K–5), Washington Elementary**  
July 13-16th July 20-23rd

Teacher Hours: 8:00 AM – 2:30 PM  
Teacher Pay: \$35 per hour

Teachers:

Jayce Carr (Incoming K)  
Michele Becker (Incoming K)  
Sherry Knox (Incoming K)  
Breela Farley (Incoming 1)  
Danielle Mathie (Incoming 2)  
Brooks Keeney (Incoming 3)  
Delany Colgan (Incoming 4)  
Heather Toomey (Incoming 5)  
Mandy Morgret (STEAM)  
Jen Gebhart (STEAM)  
Jayda Simmons (Gym)

Teaching Assistants:

Arizbeth Moreno  
Belinda Smoot  
Lisa Brown  
Kathy Pritt  
Alana Stroh

Nurses:

Jess Bossalina (July 13-16)  
Barb Colehouse (July 20-23)

Secretary Coverage:

Tania Kuhn (July 13-16)  
Principals (July 20-23)

**ESY Program (K-7)**

July 6-30th  
Teacher Pay: \$35 per hour  
Teacher Hours: 8:00 AM – 2:00 PM

Teachers:

Beth Felix (K-3)  
Deb Wildasin (K-3)  
Lisa Kalagassy (K-3)  
Jen Bolin - SLP (K-3)  
Jesse Linsenmeyer (4-7)  
Madison Dell (4-7)

Emily Becker (4-7)  
Madison Maloney - SLP (4-7)

Teaching Assistants:

Miranda Arndt (K-3)  
Gloria Brennan (K-3)  
Lori Ruhlman (4-7)

Itinerant Staff:

Rachel Glatfelter  
Kelly Lewis Abell  
Carla Kelly  
Katie Lloyd

Nurse:

Barb Colehouse

BOARD ACTION:

- 3) Bus/Van Drivers - The Board is requested to approve the following van drivers:

Lincoln:

Nathaniel Gonzales  
Zachary Terry

BOARD ACTION:

- 4) Conferences/Workshops - The Board is requested to approve the following conferences/workshops:

Dr. Susan Seiple	Curriculum Council Retreat
	Gettysburg, PA
	June 9-11, 2026
	<a href="#">(enclosure)</a>

BOARD ACTION:

- 5) School Physicians - The Board is requested to approve the following school physicians for the 2026-2027 school year:

School Physicians:  
Dr. Douglas Masucci (Consulting Physician)

School Dental Hygienist  
Micki Schneider

BOARD ACTION:

B. Policy

1) The Board is requested second approval for the following policies:

- [140](#) Charter Schools
- [202](#) Eligibility of Nonresident Students
- [221](#) Dress and Grooming
- [234](#) Threat Assessment
- [325](#) Dress and Grooming
- [619](#) District Audit
- [810](#) Transportation

BOARD ACTION:

C. Budget and Finance

1) Check Registers - The Board is requested to approve the following check registers from the General Fund including athletic, middle school, and high school activity accounts totaling \$1,042,981.59, Cafeteria totaling \$39,752.20, and Capital Reserve totaling \$462.50, for a grand total of \$1,083,196.29. ([General Fund](#)) ([Cafeteria](#)) ([Capital Reserve](#))

BOARD ACTION:

2) 2026-2027 General Fund Budget Final Approval - The Board is requested to approve a tax millage for the 2026-2027 General Fund Budget, with no change of 0.00 mills (0.00%) (Act 1 maximum 4.8%), remaining at 23.06 mills and an expenditure level totaling \$45,990,877, and with additional assignments of \$1,000,000 for technology and transfers at an estimated \$1,240,000. This budget reflects no use of fund balance. In addition, the Board is requested to approve a per capita tax (Act 679) of \$0.00 (prior \$0.00), and per capita tax (Act 511) of \$0.00 (prior \$0.00), and occupational tax of \$0.00 (prior \$0.00). The Board is requested to approve an earned income tax at 0.5% and real estate transfer tax at 0.5%.

BOARD ACTION:

- 3) Homestead/Farmstead Approval - The Board is requested to approve the receipt and disbursement of \$1,000,298.83 (\$1,000,720.83 prior year) from the state as part of the Act 1 property tax reduction. The result is a reduction in the assessment of approved homestead properties of approximately \$TBD, which equates to approximately \$TBD (\$322.50 prior year) in tax reduction for approved homesteads. ([enclosure state](#)) (enclosure county TBD data not released)

BOARD ACTION:

- 4) Installment Payment of Taxes Schedule - The Board is requested to approve the installment payment dates of taxes, as the first installment due September 1, 2026, the second installment due October 5, 2026, and the third installment due November 2, 2026. To qualify for installment payments, the first installment payment must be paid by the due date. A 10% penalty will be added to installment payments paid after the installment due date. All properties will be eligible for installment payment of taxes.

BOARD ACTION:

- 5) Cell Tower Agreement Amendment In Language - The Board is requested to approve the amendment in language relating to monthly rental cost and annual escalator with Vertical Bridge. ([enclosure](#))

BOARD ACTION:

VII. Public Comment:

VIII. Adjournment

Next Board Meeting - **Tuesday**, May 26, 2026 at 6:00 PM.