

Shrewsbury Public Schools
School Committee: Potential Topics for 2017-2018

- 1) Major topics unique/salient to the coming year
 - a) Beal Early Childhood Center building project (throughout year)
 - b) Finalize and approve the *Profile of a Graduate* (Sep-Oct)
 - c) Develop and approve new set of strategic priorities (Sep-Dec)
 - d) Social Emotional Learning (SEL)
 - e) Fundraising for SHS athletic field project
 - f) Project-based learning
 - g) Vocational education
 - h) Sleep needs/school start time
 - i) Other?

- 2) Standard annual reports/presentations
 - a) Final report on outcomes of two-year district goals
 - b) Final reports on outcomes of two-year School Improvement Plans
 - c) Summer programming report
 - d) Summer facilities update
 - e) Personnel hiring update
 - f) Bullying statistics report
 - g) Transportation report
 - h) Athletics report
 - i) Concussion report
 - j) Nursing services report
 - k) Testing results reports
 - l) Report on future plans of previous graduating class
 - m) Current year enrollment and class size report
 - n) Enrollment projection report
 - o) Special Education services report
 - p) School choice and charter school report
 - q) School choice public hearing and vote
 - r) Staffing level report
 - s) SHS Program of Studies report/approval
 - t) Approval of following year calendar
 - u) Special Education Parent Advisory Committee report
 - v) Various curriculum reports
 - w) Safety & security update

- 3) Invited guests
 - a) A Cappella Choir (opening meeting)
 - b) State Representative Kane
 - c) Senator Moore
 - d) SHS Student Advisory Council (state requirement of four presentations)
 - e) Recognize state champion students/teams if they occur
 - f) Project 351 student ambassador
 - g) SHS Senior Scholars

- 4) Budget reports/presentations
 - a) Quarterly updates on current fiscal year status
 - b) Presentation and approval of FY19 Budget Guidelines & Priorities
 - c) Annual grants report
 - d) Financial Projections Subcommittee reports
 - e) Special education budget report
 - f) Curriculum & Instruction/Technology budget report
 - g) Superintendent's FY19 Budget Recommendation
 - h) Annual budget hearing(s)
 - i) Budget workshops
 - j) Presentation of budget to Finance Committee
 - k) State funding for education update
 - l) Review of tuitions and fees (action as desired)
 - m) Vote to recommend FY19 Budget to Town Meeting
 - n) Town Meeting budget presentations
 - o) Vote to authorize fund transfers

- 5) Policy
(Work with Policy Subcommittee to determine which policies need review for updates or elimination, and what new policies might be required)

- 6) Other
 - a) Appoint superintendent as representative to Assabet Valley Collaborative board
 - b) Assabet Valley Collaborative updates (four required by state law; no longer required quarterly)
 - c) Receipt of gifts over \$5,000 (e.g., for SHS field project)
 - d) Evaluation of the superintendent (midyear and final)
 - e) Superintendent's Awards for academic achievement
 - f) Various student presentations
 - g) Approval of student travel as warranted
 - h) Executive sessions for negotiations