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**BROWARD**  
 County Public Schools

**Redefining Our Schools**

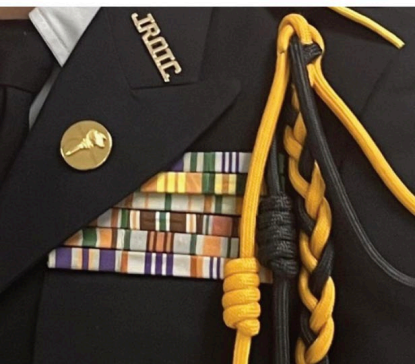
THE PATH FORWARD



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At the September 10, 2024, Regular School Board Meeting, the School Board approved revisions to Policy 8010, School Attendance Zone Boundaries and School Usage.

The purpose of today's discussion is to review the components of this year's boundary process that will be presented in a resolution to the School Board for approval at the September 24, 2024, Special School Board Meeting.



# Superintendent's Recommended Boundary Process

- ✓ Proposed Schools to Be Addressed
- ✓ Proposed Boundary Process Timeline
- ✓ Stakeholder Engagement Plan
- ✓ School Boundary Committee
- ✓ Proposed Considerations for Evaluating Proposals



# Proposed List of Schools to be Addressed through Redefining

## Potential Repurposing

- ❖ Broward Estates ES
- ❖ North Fork ES
- ❖ Silver Lakes ES
- ❖ Silver Shores ES
- ❖ Olsen MS

## Potential Grade Reconfiguration

- ❖ Coconut Creek ES
- ❖ Hollywood Central ES
- ❖ Thurgood Marshall ES
- ❖ Pines MS

**Additional Discussion:** Bennett ES, Coral Cove ES



# Proposed Boundary Process Timeline

Timeline	
8/27/2024	Workshop: Redefining Broward Schools Part 1
9/11 – 9/18/2024	Meetings with Municipalities having zones of under-enrollment
9/16 - 9/30/2024	Community Meeting to discuss options for schools in under-enrollment zones
<b>9/17/2024 (TODAY)</b>	<b>Workshop: Redefining Broward Schools Part 2: present schools to address, timeline, committee options, evaluation considerations</b>
9/24/2024	Resolution to Establish Boundary Committee
9/20 - 10/9/2024	Scenario Development- All Scenarios Posted for Comment
10/_/2024	Committee Orientation and Training
10/16 - 10/23/2024	Regional Stakeholder Engagement- Meetings for All Identified Schools and Communities
11/13/2024	Boundary Committee Votes on Recommendations to School Board
12/10/2024	School Board Workshop Redefining Schools 3 Rule Development to Present all Proposals and Committee Recommendations
12/11/2024	Superintendent's Final School Attendance Area Boundary and Usage Recommendations for 2025/26 Memo
1/14/ 2025	Special School Board Rule Making Meeting to Adopt Recommendations
1/15/2025	Notification to Students, Parents, and Staff Impacted by Adopted Changes

- District staff will conduct eight community meetings during the month of September in areas with regional under-enrollment to discuss strategies and solutions to increase enrollment, improve programmatic offerings, and, if necessary, to reduce school capacity.
- Community members at the **five** schools identified for consolidation or repurposing will be afforded the opportunity to develop boundary proposals for their schools by working with Demographics & Enrollment Planning staff. These proposals will be shared on the District's Redefining Our Schools website.
- Staff- and community-generated proposals will be shared with the community at-large at three regional meetings in the month of October. Community input from these meetings will be captured and shared with the School Board.
- Community members will be invited to attend a rule development School Board Workshop and a rule making School Board Meeting to speak on the proposed changes.





- Membership will consist of stakeholders from specific schools being addressed through Redefining
- Two representatives (parent and/or community member) will be selected from each impacted school
- Recruitment of committee representatives will be facilitated by Area Advisory Chairs in collaboration with school leadership
- Committee members will complete an orientation/ training covering Sunshine Law, boundary considerations, etc.
- The committee will meet in November to discuss all proposals and vote on whether or not to recommend that the School Board adopt or reject each proposal. At the conclusion of this meeting the committee will sunset.



# Proposed Boundary Considerations

- Impact on Enrollment
- Impact on Feeder Patterns
- Impact on Neighborhood Integrity
- Impact on Distance to School
- Impact on School Diversity





# Next Steps

- September 24, 2024, Special School Board Meeting: Agenda item for resolution to convene School Boundary Committee
- Ongoing program reviews of magnet and innovative programs
- Ongoing stakeholder and community meetings to gather input on redefining
- Scenario development with communities of impacted schools
- November 2024 School Board Workshop to discuss proposals

