



Oakland Unified School District

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Department Details

Department name: Board of Education
Type: Governing Board
Meeting time: 4:00 PM
Meeting location: Great Room, LaEscuelita Education Center, 1050 2nd Avenue, Oakland, CA ((entrance at or near
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Description: The Governing Board, commonly called the Board of Education, is the elected (seven members) and student elected (two student, preferential voting) policy-making body of the 39,000 K-12 student, 32,000 adult, 6,000 plus employee public education system within the City of Oakland, California. The Governing Board's primary responsibility, among others, is to ensure that every student served by the District is well educated and demonstrates high academic achievement. The Board holds full power in all areas of District Governance: Community Relations and Governance, Personnel Management, Facilities Management, Pupil Achievement and Financial Management.

Name	Title	Start Date	End Date
Maximus Simmons Appointed By: Elected, All City (Student) Council	Student Director	7/1/2024	6/30/2026
Marianna Smith Appointed By: Elected, All City (Student) Council	Student Director	7/1/2025	6/30/2026
Rachel Latta Appointed By: Elected, Voters, District 1	Director	1/6/2025	1/8/2029
VanCedric Williams Appointed By: Elected, Voters, District 3	Director	1/4/2021	1/8/2029
Mike Hutchinson Appointed By: Elected, Voters, District 4	Director	1/4/2021	1/4/2027
Patrice Berry Appointed By: Elected, Voters, District 5	Director	1/6/2025	1/8/2029
Clifford Thompson Appointed By: Elected, Voters, District 7	Director	1/4/2021	1/8/2029
Valarie Bachelor Appointed By: Elected, Voters, District 6	Vice President	1/9/2023	1/4/2027
Jennifer Brouhard Appointed By: Elected, Voters, District 2	President	1/9/2023	1/4/2027