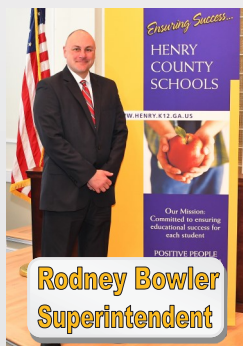
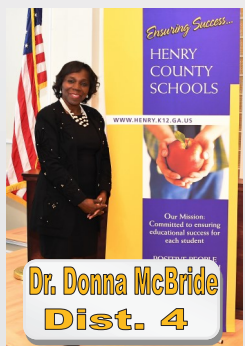
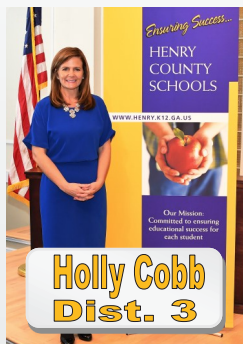
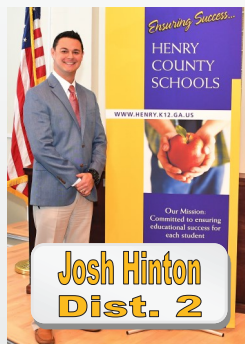
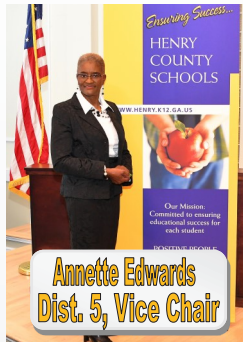
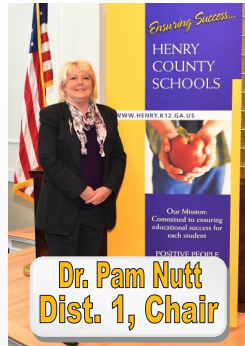


BOARD MEMBERS & SUPERINTENDENT



WHAT ARE THE DUTIES OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION?

The Henry County Board of Education is the governing body of Henry County Schools. Key duties of the Board include but are not limited to the following:

- Appointing the Superintendent
- Adopting school system policies
- Approving and overseeing the budget
- Adopting courses of study
- Providing school facilities
- Employing school system personnel
- Monitoring plans for continuous improvement of the school system

The Superintendent is a professional educator appointed by the Board, and serves as chief executive officer responsible for leading and managing school system operations.

Please visit the Henry County Schools website for a list of Board of Education meeting dates and times.

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What is the Henry County Board of Education?

The Henry County Board of Education is the governing body of the Henry County School System. The primary role of the Board is the legislation of school system policies, which are executed under the direction of the school system Superintendent. The Board's five members are elected to staggered, four-year terms from county election districts.

Is the Superintendent an elected member of the Board?

No. The Superintendent is appointed by the Board and serves as the Chief Executive Officer of the school system. The Superintendent is responsible for implementing the policies adopted by the Board and for leading daily operations of the school district.

When and where are meetings held? Am I invited?

Board of Education meetings are open to the public and are held in the Administrative Offices in McDonough. Unless otherwise posted ...

- Regular meetings of the Board are held at 7:00 p.m. on the second Monday of the month.
- Study session meetings are held at 5:00 p.m. on Wednesdays preceding the regular meeting.
- Special called meetings are held as needed.

See the "Board of Education" tab on the district website for meeting dates, times, and agendas.

How does the Board of Education make decisions?

At the study session meeting, the Board receives information and engages in discussion on agenda items. Generally, the Board does not take action on these items at this meeting.

At the regular meeting, the Superintendent makes recommendations for Board action and each Board member votes on the specific items listed on the meeting agenda.

The agendas and unofficial minutes of Board meetings are posted on the Henry County Schools website.

May I address the Board of Education?

Citizens may be added to the study session meeting agenda by contacting the Office of the Superintendent, in writing, no later than three working days prior to the meeting.

At the regular meeting, citizens may sign in for "public participation" for the purpose of bringing information, questions or general concerns to the Board's attention. When the public participation agenda item is reached, the Board Chair will invite individuals to step to the podium to address the Board.

Individuals should limit their comments to three to five minutes. Groups should select a spokesperson.

Please note that concerns of a sensitive nature involving individual students or staff members will not be aired in a public forum. Such matters must be addressed by the appropriate administrative staff.

If I address the Board, will I get an answer tonight?

The Board or Superintendent will provide an immediate response, if possible. Often, however, it is necessary for the administrative staff to obtain additional information in order for the Board and/or Superintendent to give an informed and appropriate response. If this is the case, the Superintendent or designee will follow up with you in a timely manner.

What if I have a question or want additional information?

Most questions and requests for information are handled by the Board's administrative staff. For assistance, please contact Henry County Schools at 770-957-6601.

Matters relating to an individual school or school employee should first be directed to the principal of that school.

General information about Henry County Schools, including news and events, financial reports, student enrollment and test scores, curriculum, calendar information, and student and parent resources may be accessed at the system website at www.henry.k12.ga.us.

School-specific information is available via individual school websites.



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