

**BOARD OF EDUCATION  
COMMITTEE TO IMPLEMENT THE NO CHILD LEFT BEHIND ACT  
December 4, 2002  
Senate Room A**

**Welcome**

Mr. Mark Christie, Chair

**Presentations**

The PALS Test:

How and why it works

Dr. Marcia Invernizzi, University of Virginia

Implementation of Reading Programs:

Clark Elementary School – Charlottesville

Mr. Art Stow, Principal  
Ms. Colleen Muldoon and  
Ms. Amy Waddell, Teachers

Ginter Park Elementary School - Richmond City

Ms. Victoria Oakley, Principal

Mount Vernon Elementary School - Alexandria City

Dr. Lilia Lopez, Principal

**Update on the measurement of  
persistently dangerous schools**

Dr. Cynthia Cave, Director of Policy  
Department of Education

**Review of the methodology  
for establishing AYP  
starting points**

Dr. Cheri Magill, Director of Accreditation  
Department of Education

**Discussion of Plans for Next Meeting**

Mr. Christie

**Adjournment**

# COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA

## Board of Education Agenda



**Date of Meeting:** December 4, 2002

**Time:** As Shown

**Locations:** General Assembly Building, Senate Room A, Richmond

NVCC Manassas Campus, 6901 Sudley Road, Colgan Building,  
Room MC 326, Manassas

Southwest Virginia Higher Education Center, One Partnership Circle, Abingdon

Galax Campus, Wytheville Community College, 121 West Grayson Street, Galax

**Note: This meeting will be conducted via audio conference call.**

**2:00 p.m. FULL BOARD CONVENES**

**Moment of Silence**

**Pledge of Allegiance**

**Action Items**

- A. First Review of Proposed List of Assessment Instruments to Measure English Language Proficiency for Limited English Proficient (LEP) Students/Approval of Process to Evaluate Locally Selected or Developed Instruments
- B. First Review of Progress Report on No Child Left Behind (NCLB) Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) Implementation

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

**DISCUSSION OF CURRENT ISSUES** - by Board of Education Members and Superintendent of Public Instruction

**ADJOURNMENT**

## **PUBLIC NOTICE**

The Board president reserves the right to change the times listed on this agenda depending upon the time constraints during the meeting.

### **GUIDELINES FOR PUBLIC COMMENT**

1. The Board of Education is pleased to receive public comment at each of its regular monthly meetings. In order to allow the Board sufficient time for its other business, the total time allotted to public comment will generally be limited to thirty (30) minutes. Individuals seeking to speak to the Board will be allotted three (3) minutes each.
2. Those wishing to speak to the Board should contact Dr. Margaret Roberts, Executive Assistant for Board Relations at (804) 225-2924. Normally, speakers will be scheduled in the order that their requests are received until the entire allotted time slot has been used. Where issues involving a variety of views are presented before the Board, the Board reserves the right to allocate the time available so as to insure that the Board hears from different points of view on any particular issue.
3. Speakers are urged to contact Dr. Roberts in advance of the meeting. Because of time limitations, those persons who have not previously registered to speak prior to the day of the Board meeting cannot be assured that they will have an opportunity to appear before the Board.
4. In order to make the limited time available most effective, speakers are urged to provide multiple written copies of their comments or other material amplifying their views.