



**Santa Cruz County Board of Education
Special Board Meeting
Saturday, January 24, 2026 09:00 AM
Boardroom and/or Zoom**

MEETING MINUTES

1. CALL TO ORDER, ROLL CALL AND ESTABLISHMENT OF QUORUM

President Williams called the meeting to order at 9:11 a.m.

Trustees Present:

Stacey Kyle, Greg Larson (Vice President), Abel Sanchez, Rachel Williams (President)

Ash Immoor (Student Trustee)

Trustee Absent (At Time of Roll Call):

Bruce Van Allen

Trustees Absent:

Ed Acosta, Sue Roth, Vicente Guillen Martinez (Student Trustee)

Staff Present:

Faris Sabbah (Superintendent), Verenise Figueroa

1.1 Board Member Remote Attendance

There were no requests for remote attendance.

2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Superintendent Sabbah led the Pledge of Allegiance.

3. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Moved By Vice President Larson

Seconded By Trustee Sanchez

A motion was made to approve the agenda as presented.

Motion Type: Unanimous Voted

Carried (4 to 0)

4. PUBLIC COMMENT

No requests for public comment

5. BOARD WORKSHOP

5.1 Board Self-Evaluation

In accordance with Board Bylaw 9400, the Board participated in a board self-evaluation conducted by California School Board Association Director, Mike Walsh.

Trustee Van Allen arrived to the meeting at 9:20 a.m.

6. SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS AND UPCOMING EVENTS

All meetings scheduled and approved by the Board are listed below. Specific meetings may be removed or added if so determined, pending board approval.

February 19, 2026

County Board of Education - Regular Meeting
Santa Cruz County Office of Education
5:30 p.m.

March 19, 2026

County Board of Education - Regular Meeting
Santa Cruz County Office of Education
5:30 p.m.

April 16, 2026

County Board of Education - Regular Meeting
Santa Cruz County Office of Education
5:30 p.m.

7. ADJOURNMENT

President Williams adjourned the meeting at 1:20 p.m.