Announcements and Opportunities:

Revised DCPS Discipline Policy Safe and Positive Schools read it here: New guidance on interventions and suspensions

EmpowerEd DC Teacher Solutions Summit will be held Sat March 18th from 11 am-2 pm at @OpenGovHub downtown. Come learn, collaborate with & be inspired by the ideas and solutions of DC teachers. REGISTRATION OPEN:

...eventbrite.com/e/dc-teacher-solutions-summit...

Teachers: Want to present?

2023 Boundary and Student Assignment Advisory Committee

Paul Kihn, Deputy Mayor of Education, Chairperson

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**Anacostia Breaks Ground on Greenhouse to feed the Community:**


**Upcoming SBOE and Council Hearings:**

- **C4DC website blog** has member testimony on recent Council hearing on the Budget bills. You can review them [here](#).
- **SBOE**. Sign up [here](#) to testify at SBOE meetings. Working meetings are the first Wednesday - available to watch. SBOE meetings are on the 3rd Wednesday.
Committee of the Whole Hearings and Roundtables. Hearing Notices, Witness Lists, and Submitted Testimony for hearings can be viewed [here](#). Check the hearing notices for additional information about providing testimony.

**DC Council Committee of the Whole Upcoming Education Hearings: Draft Council Oversight Hearings for FY24 can be found [here](#).**

Use the links below to register for the upcoming Committee of the Whole Hearings and Roundtables. For all other questions, including interpretation requests, email cow@dccouncil.us or call (202) 724-8196. Please submit your written testimony to cow@dccouncil.us at least 24 hours prior to the hearing. The deadline to sign up for most hearings is 5pm on the second business day before the hearing. Please refer to the hearing notice. Hearing Notices, Witness Lists, and Submitted Testimony for the hearings below can be viewed [here](#). Check the hearing notices for additional information about providing testimony.

**News**

**Digital Equity DC**  See the 2023 Digital Equity Budget Recommendations [here](#).

**Standing Meetings: Ward Councils and C4DC Members**

**Information and Meetings- click to get to websites**

- **Ward 2 Education Council:** Email: [Ward2EdCouncil@gmail.com](mailto:Ward2EdCouncil@gmail.com)  Website: [www.Ward2EdCouncil.org](http://www.Ward2EdCouncil.org)  **Meetings:** on second Monday of the month.
- **Ward 3 – Wilson Feeder Education Network**  Email: [w3ednet@gmail.com](mailto:w3ednet@gmail.com), **Meetings:** Monthly
- **Ward 4 Education Alliance**  Email: [Ward4edalliance@gmail.com](mailto:Ward4edalliance@gmail.com), **Meetings:** 2nd Thursday of the month
- **Ward 5 Education Equity Committee**  Email: contact@ward5eec.org  **Meetings:** 3rd Tuesday of the month (September to June), email for Zoom link.
- **Ward 6 Public Schools Parent Organization (W6PSPO)**  Email: m.godec@att.net or chpspo@gmail.com  **Meetings:** Third Tuesday of every month
- **Ward 7 Education Council**  Email: [ward7ed@yahoo.com](mailto:ward7ed@yahoo.com)  **Meetings:** 1st Thursday of every month from September- June from 6:30pm - 8:00pm  The registration link is: [https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZUvfuGsrTkuHtU118LvT8F4_y0bK7nztDo](https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZUvfuGsrTkuHtU118LvT8F4_y0bK7nztDo)  After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting.  [https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCCl7P8PZrJPQzZGsPlBtRCg](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCCl7P8PZrJPQzZGsPlBtRCg)

● **Ward 8 Education Council** Email: ward8educationcouncil@gmail.com - meetings the 3rd Thursday of the month - look on Ward 8 Council facebook page

● **Senior High Alliance of Parents, Principals and Educators (SHAPPE)** Email: dc.shappe@gmail.com Meetings: 4th Tuesday of each month on zoom

● **Public School Partnership Program – The Washington Lawyers’ Committee**

● **Media Partners:** We Act Radio/Education Townhall [https://educationtownhall.org/about/](https://educationtownhall.org/about/) and Educationdc.net [https://educationdc.net/educationdc](https://educationdc.net/educationdc)


“The Catchup”: Useful DC Education Videos and Links

● Educationdc.net - read the latest blog [here](https://educationdc.net/educationdc). Planning for Schools and Saving Them - history, and where we are headed

**Resources**

**EDUCATOR WORKFORCE REPORT**

**DC COME BACK PLAN:**
https://static1.squarespace.com/static/59cebe6ff09ca495d3b4a940/t/63bc296a9eb5c344a3b4d39e/1673275755220/DC%27s+Comeback+Plan_Full1923.pdf

**DCPS Strategic Plan Engagement** Review all of the input that has been submitted for the next DCPS strategic plan. [https://dcpssstrong.com/strategic-plan/](https://dcpssstrong.com/strategic-plan/)

**Dyslexia: The Office of the State Superintendent of Education (OSSE) must implement the following as outlined by DC Law 23-191**. Addressing Dyslexia and Other Reading Difficulties Amendment Act of 2020. You can now find the most recently published [2022-23 School Year Approved Kindergarten - 2nd Grade Universal Screeners](https://www.c4dcpublicschools.org/) and the [Universal Literacy Screener Guidance](https://www.c4dcpublicschools.org/) on the dyslexia landing page. For questions, please contact Dyslexia Specialist Charmelle Smith at Charmelle.Smith@dc.gov.

**Open Meetings Requirements for DCPS and Charter Schools** - OMA video for DCPS/Charter schools. [DC LSAT OMA training video](https://www.c4dcpublicschools.org/)

**Educator Workforce**

https://osse.dc.gov/sites/default/files/dc/sites/osse/page_content/attachments/2022%20DC%20Educator%20Workforce%20Report_FINAL.pdf

DC Library Strategic Plan
https://www.dclibrary.org/strategicplan

DC DPR Strategic Plan - draft
Department of Parks and Recreation Ready to Play draft strategic plan

Office of Planning Demographic Data Hub - https://opdatahub.dc.gov/

EDSCAPE - Education Planning Landscape - https://edscape.dc.gov/


Department of General Services Plans on Sustainability, Climate and Clean Energy
https://dgs.dc.gov/page/policies-and-reports

2022 MasterFacilities Plan Annual Supplement

http://www.c4dcpublicschools.org/