

Notice and Agenda
Meeting of the Board of Directors of
Ben Yehuda Academy
December 14, 2016 6:00 p.m.

The Board of Directors of Ben Yehuda Academy and its Eleanor Kolitz Hebrew Language Academy will hold a meeting at 6:00 p.m. on Wednesday, December 14, 2016, at 12500 NW Military Hwy, Room 283, San Antonio, TX 78231. At that meeting, the Board may deliberate or act on any of the subjects listed on the following Agenda. The President may change the order of items listed below for the convenience of the Board.

Mission of Eleanor Kolitz Hebrew Language Academy:
“Prepare confident students through high academic and behavioral standards, who are grounded in Hebrew language and Israeli culture.”

1) ROLL CALL; ESTABLISHMENT OF QUORUM; CALL TO ORDER

Announcement by the Board President that a quorum of the Board Members is present, that this meeting has been duly called, that notice of this meeting has been posted in accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code Chapter 551, and that this meeting is now in session.

2) PUBLIC COMMENTS

At each regular meeting, the Board will set aside no less than 5 minutes and no more than 15 minutes to afford the general public an opportunity to speak to the Board on any matter concerning the education of students and the business of the Board. If there are no public communications or comments, the board will proceed to other business. Please be advised that Board Meetings are meetings open to the public, not public meetings. The presiding officer reserves the right to set a time limit for public comments and other reasonable restrictions in accordance with applicable law.

3) RECEIVE AND APPROVE MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING(S)

4) REPORTS

- a) Receive financial reports for November 2016
- b) Receive reports from Superintendent/Principal on applications, admissions, and enrollment

5) DISCUSSION AND ACTION ITEMS

- a) Public Hearing to discuss EKHLA's State Financial Accountability Rating.
- b) Discussion and possible action regarding fundraising
- c) Discussion and possible action regarding school policies
- d) Discussion and possible action regarding official attendance time
- e) Discussion regarding teacher recruitment
- f) Discussion and possible action regarding the school's future facility needs
- g) Discussion of Board succession plan

Vision of Eleanor Kolitz Hebrew Language Academy:

“EKHLA will be the model in educating its students in academics, values, Hebrew language, and Israeli culture.”

6) ADJOURN

In accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act (Subchapters D and E of Ch. 551, Tex. Gov't Code), the Board may enter closed session to deliberate any subject authorized by Subchapter D that is listed on the Agenda for this meeting.

Any final action, decision, or vote on a subject deliberated in closed session will be taken in an open session held in compliance with the Texas Open Meetings Act.