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Atlanta Neighborhood Charter School

Educational Excellence Committee Meeting

Date and Time

Thursday October 9, 2025 at 8:30 AM EDT

In accordance with Georgia's open meetings requirements, notice of this meeting has been posted at both campuses and on the ANCS website.

Agenda

	Purpose	Presenter	Time
I. Opening Items			8:30 AM
A. Record Attendance		Mark Boswell	1 m
B. Call the Meeting to Order		Mark Boswell	1 m
C. Approve Minutes from September Meeting	Approve Minutes	Mark Boswell	1 m
II. Educational Excellence			8:33 AM
A. Agenda MAP Data Calendar Review and Approval for 27-28	Discuss	Mark Boswell	1 m
B. Data Overview: MAP	Discuss	Alastair Pullen	20 m

	Purpose	Presenter	Time
C. School Calendar Review and Approval for 27-28	Discuss	Alastair Pullen	10 m
Goal: Approve a school calendar that brings consistency and aligns with APS with few variations. We will be reviewing the proposed school calendar for the 2027-2028 school year.			

III. Other Business

IV. Closing Items **9:04 AM**

A. Adjourn Meeting	Vote	Mark Boswell	1 m
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Coversheet

Approve Minutes from September Meeting

Section: I. Opening Items
Item: C. Approve Minutes from September Meeting
Purpose: Approve Minutes
Submitted by:
Related Material:
Minutes for Educational Excellence Committee Meeting on September 11, 2025

APPROVED



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Minutes

Educational Excellence Committee Meeting

Date and Time

Thursday September 11, 2025 at 8:30 AM

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Committee Members Present

Alastair Pullen, Duanne Davis (remote), LaNiesha Cobb Sanders (remote), Lara Zelski (remote), Mark Boswell, Mark Sanders (remote), Rhiannen Laurent (remote), Sabrina Gomez (remote), Shannon Rutledge (remote)

Committee Members Absent

None

I. Opening Items

A. Record Attendance

B. Call the Meeting to Order

Mark Boswell called a meeting of the Educational Excellence Committee of Atlanta Neighborhood Charter School to order on Thursday Sep 11, 2025 at 8:33 AM.

C. Approve Minutes from May Meeting

LaNiesha Cobb Sanders made a motion to approve the minutes from Educational Excellence Committee Meeting on 05-08-25.

Shannon Rutledge seconded the motion.
The committee **VOTED** unanimously to approve the motion.

II. Agenda

A. Purpose and Responsibilities

- Restated committee purpose and responsibilities aligned to Charter: oversee academic excellence goals with school leadership; ensure compliance with charter, laws, and regulations; support.

B. Charter Compliance Report

- Quarterly tracking reviewed for APS 5-year renewal:
 - Academic performance (CCRPI and standardized testing).
 - Financial status (ongoing monitoring).
 - Innovative features: Constructivism (EC), Conscious Discipline, Farm Program.
- Status: Current indicators show ANCS meeting/exceeding district benchmarks.

C. Data Overview: Milestones

- Georgia Milestones analysis (Elementary and Middle)
 - ELA/Reading: +5.5 percentage points YoY improvement.
 - Math: Positive YoY gains.
 - Science: Decline noted in 5th grade (only grade tested).
 - Subgroup performance
 - Students with Disabilities (SWD): Top performance at elementary; strong at middle; transitions from IEP to 504 noted as gaps close.
 - Economically Disadvantaged (ED): Elementary leads citywide; middle showing growth as new ED students enroll and persist.
- Challenge Index
 - Subgroups outperform expectations; some non-ED students underperform relative to demographics.
- Rankings
 - Elementary and Middle among top APS charter schools.

III. Other Business

A. Future focus

- Deeper subgroup analyses (new vs. veteran ANCS students); MAP data review scheduled for next meeting; streamline meetings with pre-loaded, digestible data and strategic discussion.

IV. Closing Items

A. Adjourn Meeting

Rhiannen Laurent made a motion to Adjourn Meeting.

LaNiesha Cobb Sanders seconded the motion.

The committee **VOTED** unanimously to approve the motion.

There being no further business to be transacted, and upon motion duly made, seconded and approved, the meeting was adjourned at 9:10 AM.

Respectfully Submitted,
Mark Boswell

Coversheet

School Calendar Review and Approval for 27-28

Section:	II. Educational Excellence
Item:	C. School Calendar Review and Approval for 27-28
Purpose:	Discuss
Submitted by:	
Related Material:	Proposed 2027 - 2028 School Calendar.png

2027-2028 School Calendar

July 2027						
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August 2027						
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- Regular School Day179
- Teacher Workday9
- Asynchronous + PD2
- School Closed/Holiday

Instructional Days (In-person)			
0 Jul		19 Jan	
21 Aug		16 Feb	
21 Sept		22 Mar	
16 Oct		15 Apr	
16 Nov		20 May	
13 Dec			