WALLINGFORD PUBLIC SCHOOLS PARENT - TEACHER ADVISORY COUNCIL (PTAC) 2025-2026

PTAC WALLINGFORD PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Dear Parents, Guardians and Families,

We welcome all of you as a member of the Parent-Teacher Advisory Council (PTAC) because we believe being partners in your students' education is important and that together we can accomplish more. As we kick-off a new school year, please join us to collaborate with administration, teachers, staff and the wider community to identify opportunities where we can work together to achieve common goals for the benefit of our Wallingford students and schools. Now more than ever, open communication and collaboration remain vital to our student's educational success. So, how can you help?...

Participate in and contribute to your student's school based PTAC:

School-based PTACs focus on issues of concern to your student's school(s). Meetings are open to all, occur either monthly or every other month starting in September or October and run throughout the school year. Please contact your school office for their meeting schedule to learn more. School-based PTACs are often looking for volunteer parent leaders as well, so if this interests you let them know and please get involved!

Participate in and contribute to System-Wide PTAC:

System-Wide PTAC focuses on issues that concern multiple schools or are of district-wide interest. Meetings are open to all and include parent representatives from each school-based PTAC. Meetings this year will occur monthly and be available virtually via the google meet platform to start the year. Please contact central office if you would like the link to be shared to join a particular meeting.

The System-Wide PTAC meeting dates and times for the 2025-2026 school year are as follows:

*Tuesday, September 16, 2025 at 6pm

Tuesday, October 21, 2025 at 6pm – Election of Officers**

Tuesday, November 18, 2025 at 6pm

*Tuesday, December 16, 2025 at 6pm

Tuesday, January 20, 2026 at 6pm

*Thursday, February 19, 2026 at 6pm

Tuesday, March 17, 2026 at 6pm

*Tuesday, April 21, 2026 at 6pm

Tuesday, May 19, 2026 at 6pm

*Reserved for System-wide PTAC Focal Working Sessions if/as needed. BOE / Central Admin not anticipated.

Additionally, there is a Special Education PTAC that focuses on system-wide issues that pertain specifically to the Special Education Program. To get involved in Special Education PTAC, please feel free to reach out to the Assistant Superintendent for Special Education, Aimee Turner at aturner@wallingfordschools.org.

Get Connected with and follow System-Wide PTAC:

Connect electronically and through social media at http://www.wallingfordswptac.com/ or head to the district website for PTAC information including meeting minutes and links to your school-based PTAC: https://www.wallingford.k12.ct.us/families/ptac-system-wide.

Sincerely,

Valerie Glynn

PTAC Chairperson

*Marissa Beamer*PTAC Vice Chairperson

^{**}If you have interest in an officer's position, please feel free to contact central office and/or V. Glynn.