

**HAMILTON-WENTWORTH DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD  
SPECIAL EDUCATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

**Wednesday, February 25, 2026**

**5:30 – 7:30 pm**

**Education Centre – room 308**

**AGENDA**

- 1. Welcome and Call to Order** Judy Colantino, Chair of SEAC
- 2. Land Acknowledgement** Judy Colantino, Chair of SEAC
- 3. Approval of the Agenda**
- 4. Budget Priorities** Matthew Gerard, Associate Director  
Business Services and Treasurer of the Board
- 5. REALISE – Recreation and Leisure in Special Education**  
**Realize your Joy! Realize your Friends! Realize your Potential!** Natalie Spain, Occupational Therapist  
Special Education, Inclusion & Equity
- 6. Approval of the Minutes**  
January 28, 2026
- 7. Business Arising from the Minutes**
- 8. Updates**
  - a) Trustees
  - b) Local Association Representatives
  - c) Superintendent
- 9. Correspondence**
- 10. Other Business**
- 11. Adjournment**

**PLEASE ADVISE ANN HEWITT OF YOUR ATTENDANCE OR REGRETS ([ahewitt@hwdsb.on.ca](mailto:ahewitt@hwdsb.on.ca))**

**25-26 meeting dates:**

March 25

April 29

May 27

June 5