

Vision: To empower all students with a STEM education which will help them reach their maximum potential and guide them to a promising and successful career.

Mission: To provide a high-quality, well-rounded education for K-12 students in Central Florida by incorporating innovative, proven, research-based instructional methods in a stimulating and nurturing environment which provides a special emphasis on Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics (STEM), and Reading.

DISCOVERY EDUCATION SERVICES INC.
GOVERNING BOARD SPECIAL MEETING

Thursday, January 29, 2026
5:30 PM
at Osceola Science Charter School

Schools:

Orlando Science Middle/High School
Orlando Science Elementary School
Orlando Science Charter School K-8
Seminole Science Charter School
Osceola Science Charter School

AGENDA

1. Call to Order
2. Approval of Agenda Items
3. Public Remarks
4. Board Member Remarks

ACTION ITEMS

Consent Agenda Items

- A01. Request Approval of 2025-26 school year Out-of-Field teachers of Osceola Science Charter School (49-0181).
Acharya, Pooja (ESOL) – Baritogo, Maria Vanessa (ESOL) – Bryant, Madison (Middle Grades General Science 5-9) – Cenita, Maria (ESOL) – Cherelus, Daphney (ESOL) – Chervenak, Deana (ESOL) – Durham, Veery (ESOL) – Eltanal, Jenilee (ESOL) – Fletcher, Tamara (ESOL) – Forrester, Tasha (ESOL) – Fandy, Jacob (PLTW) - Gonzalez, Jennifer (ESOL) – Harrison, Cierra (ESOL) – Hopkins, Kari (ESOL) – Jude Johnson, Anna (Health K-12) – Kafati, Carolina (ESOL) – Lopez, Juan (ESOL) – Machado, Miriam (ESOL) – Mañon, Jazmin (ESOL) – Oquendo, George (ESOL) – Parker, Deborah (ESOL) – Poniroos, Mark (ESOL) - Quiñones, Jasmine (ESOL) – Rosado, Maria (ESOL) - Ruddock, Nefretitti (ESOL) – Saint-Pierre, Samantha (ESOL) – Sommer, Caleb (ESOL) – Sousa, Patricia (ESOL) – Taylor, Sandra (ESOL) – Velez-Perez, Paulette (ESOL)

Non-Consent Agenda Items

- A02. Approval of Board Member Change
- A03. Approval of January 30, 2025, Nomination for Board Director
- A04. Approval of DSS/CEO Contract/Amendment/Resolution Changes
- A05. Election of officers other than President per DES Bylaws

Discussion Items

- D01. Discussion/Review of CEO Hiring Employees Other than Principals
- D02. Discussion/Review of Enrollment Application Exemptions Granted
- D03. Discussion/Review of Public Record Requests

Closure of Meeting