



# Professional Standards and Practices Board for Teaching

*MISSION: To advance and support quality teaching and student learning in New York State through initiating, influencing, and evaluating policy and best practice in the teaching profession*

## **Thursday, February 5, 2026** **Virtual MEETING AGENDA**

**FULL BOARD MEETING 12:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.**

**SUBCOMMITTEE MEETINGS 1:45 p.m. –3:30 p.m.**

**Call to Order/ Welcome / Information**  
Items  
12:00 p.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Presenter: Co-chairs Jule Gorlewski and Derek Pope

1. Welcome
2. Review of Agenda
3. Approval of Minutes: December 2025

**Full Board**  
12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Result: Discussion:

- Principal evaluation
- Induction

Presenters: Julie Gorlewski and Derek Pope  
Priority: P

**Break**  
**1:30 p.m. -1:45 p.m.**

**Subcommittee Meetings**  
1:45 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Result: Subcommittee Work  
Process: Small Groups  
Priority: P

Higher Education

- Principal evaluation
- Induction

Professional Practices

- Principal evaluation
- Induction

**Subcommittee Reports**  
3:30 p.m. – 3:50 p.m.

Result: Report on Subcommittee Sessions,  
Presenters: Co-chairs Professional Practices Subcommittee and  
Co-chairs Higher Education Subcommittee  
Process: Report, Summarize, and share Recommendations

**Conclusion**  
3:50 p.m.-4:00 p.m.

Result: Concluding remarks and Upcoming Agenda items  
Process: Discussion  
Presenters: Co-chairs Julie Gorlewski and Derek Pope  
Priority: O

Adjournment 5:00 p.m.

**NEXT Meeting:**  
**March 12, 2026 Virtual**

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