

## **Special Board of Education Meeting**

Tuesday, February 24, 2026 12:00 PM

Gering Public Schools - Central Office, 1519 10th St, Gering,  
NE 69341



# **Agenda**

{{Name: Agenda Item Name}}

## **1. GPS Board of Education Information**

*The meeting agenda will be kept current and available for public inspection in the office of the Secretary of the Board of Education at the Central Office during regular working hours.*

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**District Vision:** *Gering Public Schools provides a collaborative community, inspiring excellence and innovation in teaching and learning to empower student growth and leadership in school and life.*

**District Mission:** *Gering Public Schools exists to equip today's learners with the skills necessary to be tomorrow's leaders.*

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*The Open Meetings Act requires and the intention of the Board is that agenda items be sufficiently descriptive to give the public reasonable notice of matters to be considered at the meeting. The Board of Education releases its agenda well in advance of most meetings and desires that all interested persons are fully informed. Any interested person who has a question or needs clarification about the sufficiency of a descriptive item should contact the office of the Superintendent of Schools.*

*Agenda items are subject to reordering at the discretion of the board president. Board members may request specific agenda item(s) be moved to a different place on the agenda. Please attend the entire meeting to ensure you hear discussion on a particular agenda item.*

## **2. Opening Procedures**

### **2.1. Call to Order**

The Board of Education reserves the right to enter into Executive Session for the protection of the public interest; or the prevention of needless injury to the reputation of an individual, and if the individual has not requested a public meeting.

### **2.2. Roll Call**

2.3. Open Meetings Act

Pursuant to Section 84-1412 of the Nebraska Statutes, the public is hereby informed that a current copy of the Nebraska Open Meetings Act is posted in the Board meeting room on the north wall.

Notice of this meeting was published in the Star Herald on February 19th, 2026.

3. **Reports and Discussions**

3.1. Two-Year Strategic Plan Update - Dr. Nicole Regan, Jennifer Sibal, Julie Siebke, Kory Knight, & Stacy Rodriguez

3.2. Strategic Priority #3: Modernizing Infrastructure, Measure of Success - Rich Evans

3.3. Track Bid Update - Stacy Rodriguez

4. **Action Items**

4.1. Discuss, consider, and take action regarding the approval of the 2026-27 and 2027-28 school calendars.

5. **Public Comment: Policy 204.12**

6. **Adjourn**

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### AUGUST 2027

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Aug 2-4 New Teacher Orientation  
Aug 6-11 Staff Development  
Aug 11 6th Grade Orientation 10am to Noon  
Freshman Orientation 3 PM  
Aug 12 K-12 First Day of School 1st Qtr Begins  
Aug 16 PreK First Day of School

Students: 14 Staff: 18

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### JANUARY 2028

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Jan 3 No School: Holiday Students & Staff  
Jan 4 No School Students Workday  
Jan 5 Students Return -3rd qtr begins  
Jan 21 No School Students Staff Development

Students: 18 Staff: 20

### SEPTEMBER 2027

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Sept 6 No School: Holiday Students & Staff  
Sept 7 No School Students Staff Development

Students: 20 Staff: 21

### FEBRUARY 2028

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Feb 11 No School Students & Staff  
Feb 14 No School Students (ESU Mid-Winter Conf.)

Students: 19 Staff: 20

### OCTOBER 2027

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Oct 15 No School Students Workday  
Oct 18 2nd qtr begins  
Oct 18-19 PreK-5 P/T Conferences 3:45-7:30pm  
Oct 20-21 6-12 P/T Conferences 3:45-7:30pm  
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Mar 10 No School Students Workday  
Mar 13 4th qtr begins  
Mar 13-14 K-5 P/T Conferences 3:45-7:30pm  
Mar 15-16 No School PreK ONLY Home Visits  
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Mar 17 No School Students & Staff

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Nov 24-26 No School: Holiday Students & Staff

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1st Sem: 84 Days  
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### MAY 2028

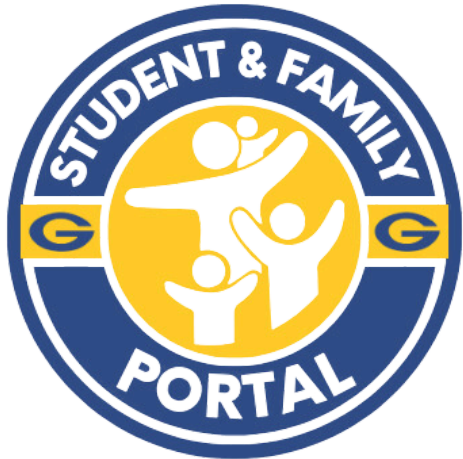
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