



## MARJORIE WILLIAMS ACADEMY

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Board of Directors' Meeting  
Marjorie Williams Academy  
Conference Room  
March 17, 2026  
1:30

Link: <https://meet.google.com/pno-fcdp-cuk>

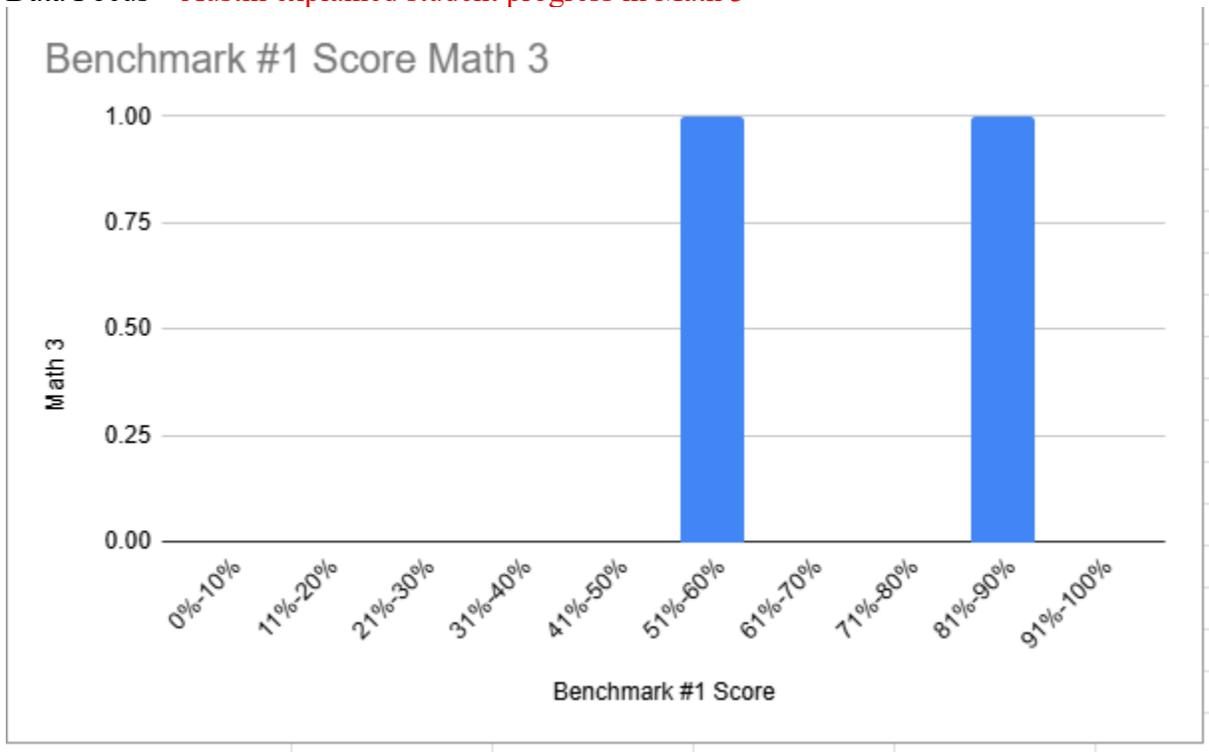
**Call to Order: Williams called the meeting to order at 1:30**

### For Action Items:

- **Approve: Beginning Teacher Support Plan (BTSP) – Austin reviewed the plan and state guidelines – Clark motioned; Phillips seconded; unanimous**
- **Approve: 2026-2027 – Calendar – Austin reviewed the calendar and state guidelines. Deadline to submit is April 1, 2026 – Dellinger motioned; Philips seconded - unanimous**

### For Information Items:

- Data Focus – Austin explained student progress in Math 3



- Updates: Austin reviewed the following updates

- Passed clean water test in all buildings
  - 2026 beautiful blue 8 passenger Yukon was purchased
  - So far 94% are returning, 3% (2 students) are not, still waiting on 3 students to submit intent
  - A note from DPI: Being a charter school board member is **no small task!** You have been asked to volunteer your time in an educational environment that becomes **more complex** by the minute. At least that's how it feels. Yet **your commitment is crucial for students**. After all, isn't that why you agreed to serve? **Board engagement** is more important now than ever. Below you will find some **resources** we thought might be helpful as you continue to pursue excellence for the students, staff, and community you serve.
  - [How to Boost Board Member Engagement](#)
  - [Charter School Board Playbook](#)
  - [Board Resources, Tools & Model Documents](#)
- Board meeting dates: Third Tuesday of the month @1:30 – Hybrid – Location Marjorie Williams Academy Conference room and link will be sent
    - **April 21, 2026**
    - **May 19, 2026 – Annual – in person – Motion to change to May 21 @ 10:00 (prize pick is at 1:00 and capping and pinning is @ 4:00. Dellinger motioned; Clark seconded; unanimous**
    - **July 1, 2026 – Close Out - e-meeting**
- Budget – **No questions or concerns were raised**
  - Enrollment – **120 students (74 community, 46 residential) served 151**
  - Closings and Delays:
    - 11-10-25 – 2 hour delay
    - 12-2-25 - 2 hour delay
    - 12-5-25 – Closed
    - 12-8-25 – Closed
    - 12-9-25 – Closed
    - 12-10-25 – 2 hour delay
    - 12-11-25 – Closed
    - 12-12-25 – 2 hour delay
    - 1-15-26 – 2 hour delay
    - 1-26-26 – 2 hour delay
    - 1-26-26 – Closed
    - 1-27-26 – Closed
    - 1-28-26 – Closed
    - 1-29-26 – 2 hour delay
    - 1-30-26 - 2 hour delay
    - 2-2-26 – Closed – Trade Day 2-9-26
    - 2-3-26 – 2 hour delay
    - 2-4-26 - 2 hour delay
    - 2-5-26 – Closed
    - 2-6-26 - 2 hour delay
    - 2-9-26 – Swap Day – Regular Schedule
    - 2-23-26 – Closed
    - 2-24-26 – 2 hour delay
    - 3-17-26 - Closed

- Public Input - **None**
- Adjourn – **Barnhardt motioned, Burnett seconded; unanimous – Williams adjourned at 2:00**

### Upcoming Events

April 2 - Early Dismissal (11:15) – Talent Show

April 3 - OWD

April 6-10 - Easter/Spring Break

April 24 - Early Dismissal (11:15)

April 25 - Prom

May 11–22 - EOG/EOC Testing

May 21 - Incentive Prize Picks (1:00)

May 21 - Capping and Pinning (4:00)

May 22 - Last Day/Awards Day (8:30)/Early Dismissal (11:15)

May 22 - Graduation (1:30)

**Mission Statement:** The mission of Marjorie Williams Academy is to offer *a stable, emotionally supportive, educational environment* for children with a goal of empowering each child *to achieve his or her real academic and social potential.*

**Vision:** The vision of Marjorie Williams Academy is to become a model school for academic achievement.

### **BELIEFS:**

- Academic growth of all students is the priority of the school
- Students learn best in an environment that promotes student active engagement using a variety of strategies that accommodate diverse learning styles and intellectual levels
- Healthy, safe, orderly and caring environments promote student learning
- Parent, community, and school collaboration are vital to the success of school's mission
- Students will develop a respect and responsibility for community through active participation in service oriented opportunities
- Opportunities and exposure to experiences beyond the school will influence students towards setting positive goals for future
- On-going and meaningful professional development is crucial to teacher growth and ability to provide quality instruction.