



NEW MEXICO CHARTER SCHOOL NEWS



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Join the Bi-weekly Call with Charter Leaders and Secretary-Designate Ryan Stewart. Next call scheduled for Thursday, February 13, 2020 at 8:00 am Call 1-800-474-5150 to join, enter code: 2007361

Please send any discussion items or questions to [Alan Brauer](#) by Wednesday the day prior by noon.

Charter School Division would also like to welcome our newest team member Anthony "Tony" Bezich. Tony is our Charter School Grant Technical Assistance Administrator.

[GEARNING UP FOR THE PSAT AND THE SAT](#)

Spring is almost upon us and along, hopefully, with warmer weather, comes testing time! Be prepared! The PED Assessment Division page is filled with valuable information regarding the upcoming testing. There are many useful trainings and tools available at your fingertips! Visit Assessment PSAT and SAT page [here](#). At the Assessment Bureau SAT page, you will find the following, plus much, much more!

[SAT School Day FACT Sheet](#)

[SAT Test Specifications 2019-20](#)

[PSAT 10 Overview 2019-20](#)

[SAT Teacher Implementation Guide 2019-20](#)

[Guidance for English Learners: SAT/PSAT Participation](#)

[SAT Student Guide 2019-20](#)

[PSAT 10 Student Guide 2019-20](#)

For other questions about the SAT and the PSAT please reach out directly to [Assessment's Staff](#).

UPCOMING GOVERNING BOARD TRAININGS:

Gallup:

Saturday, March 7th
8:30-4:30 @ Six
Direcions
Indigenous School,
2055 NM-602,
Gallup, NM.

Lunch & Learn
Governing Board
Trainings Schedule.
Learn from the
comfort of your
home or office and
earn your
governing board
credits!

February 19th and
20th

March 4th, 5th 18th
and 19th

April 1st, 2nd, 15th,
and 16th

See our [trainings page](#) for upcoming
Renewal Training
dates.

To register,
please email:
charter.schools@state.nm.us

Include name, email,
and school, as well
as session you would
like to attend.

NMPED: Identity, Equity, & Transformation Forum

Welcome to our team! Thank you to those of you that continue to communicate with us on your progress. We recognize your commitment to moving forward thoughtfully and according to the needs of your local community. Please find below additional information to support you in next steps.

Timeline

The timeline and due dates provided in previous communications may be discussed on a case-by-case basis. We want to ensure we are responsive to your needs. Please note that the Martinez and Yazzie Readiness Assessment deadline of February 3, 2020 has been revisited based on your feedback.

Save the date

We will have a two-day meeting for equity council leads on **March 5-6, 2020** in the Albuquerque area. Please save the date.

We look forward to working with you in the journey to transform education for our all of our students.

Identity, Equity, and Transformation Team
New Mexico Public Education Department

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<https://webnew.ped.state.nm.us/Yazzie-Martinez-updates/>

Kudos to the following State and District Charter School Governing Boards for completing their training early for this school year:

AIMS; Estancia Valley Classical Academy; La Tierra Montessori; Public Academy for Performing Arts; Southwest Secondary Learning Center; Taos International School of the Arts; and Tierra Encantada.

There is still time to complete the required 8 hours of governing board training that is now available online via our Lunch & Learn Sessions. Click [here](#) to find out more!

NICE JOB and CONGRATS!