



Sussex Montessori School Board - Retreat Agenda/HOS Search

The mission of the Sussex Montessori School (SMS) is to nurture the development of empathetic, collaborative, persistent and innovative global and community citizens in accordance with the time-tested philosophy of Maria Montessori.

The Vision of the Sussex Montessori School (SMS) is to use the Montessori Method to educate children through authentic personalized learning experiences, respectful relationships, opportunities to innovate, and a focus on global citizenship.

Call to Order (4:00)

Board Chair

- Roll Call
- Approval of the Agenda

Agenda:

The board of Sussex Montessori School will hold three executive session retreats to focus on the following steps in the search for our next Head of School:

- Tuesday, February 25, 2025 (4:30-8:00PM) – Initial candidate review and interview prep (Camden, DE)
 - <https://udel.zoom.us/my/thermance?pwd=STcyeXJxNW1sQWpvVDImRFNMTEhOQT09>
- Saturday, March 1, 2025 (9:00AM – 4:30PM) – Screening Interviews for HOS candidates (Zoom)
 - <https://udel.zoom.us/j/93077651566?pwd=jiYWJqVJZ24KcLqIPpui3U19mo4URN.1>
- Saturday, March 22, 2025 (9:00AM – 4:30PM) – In-Person Interviews for final HOS candidates (SMS Barn)
 - <https://udel.zoom.us/j/99038831763?pwd=GJHprEZftyjdGeVJCQ3Jbz2s2SH9dw.1>

Adjournment (see approximate times above)

These meetings will be primarily executive sessions, focused solely on personnel discussions related to the Head of School search. The meetings will start and end on Zoom, but the remainder of the meeting will not be open to the public. Regular updates on the HOS search process will also be made in monthly public board meetings.