

**AGENDA
SPECIAL MEETING
BOARD OF DIRECTORS
iQ Academy California-Los Angeles
January 20, 2026
4:00 P.M.**

Primary Location:

Zoom Meeting: <https://zoom.us/j/6666524076>

Conference call: (669) 900-9128

Meeting ID: 666 652 4076

Alternate Locations:

**Rowland Unified School District, 1830 South Nogales Street, Rowland Heights, CA 91748
23308 Elm Avenue, Torrance, CA 90505
871 Hartglen Ave., Westlake Village, CA 91361**

**INSTRUCTIONS FOR PRESENTATIONS TO
THE BOARD BY PARENTS AND CITIZENS**

The iQ Academy California-Los Angeles Charter School ("School") welcomes your participation at the School's Board meetings. The purpose of a public meeting of the Board of Directors ("Board") is to conduct the affairs of the School in public. We are pleased that you are in attendance and hope that you will visit these meetings often. Your participation assures us of continuing community interest in our School. To assist you in the ease of speaking/participating in our meetings, the following guidelines are provided.

1. Agendas are available to all audience members at the door to the meeting or by requesting the agenda from the School Office (805-581-0202). You may also email carobinson@caliva.org.
2. "Requests to Speak" forms are available to all audience members who wish to speak on any agenda items or under the general category of "Oral Communications." Speakers may also request to be placed on "Speakers List" by calling the School Office (805-581-0202) or emailing carobinson@caliva.org seventy-two hours in advance of the meeting.
3. The "Oral Communications" portion is set-aside for members of the audience to raise issues that are not specifically on the agenda. However, due to public meeting laws, the Board can only listen to your issue, not respond or take action. These presentations are limited to three (3) minutes and total time allotted to non-agenda items will not exceed fifteen (15) minutes. The Board may give direction to staff to respond to your concern or you may be offered the option of returning with a citizen-requested item. In the event a member of the public speaks to the Board in a language other than English, their allowed public comment time will be doubled to allow time for translation of their comments.
4. With regard to items that are on the agenda, you may specify that agenda item on your blue request form and you will be given an opportunity to speak for up to five (5) minutes when the Board discusses that item.
5. Citizens may request that a topic related to school business be placed on a future agenda by submitting a written request at least seventy-two (72) hours in advance of any regular meeting. Once such an item is properly agendized and publicly noticed, the Board can respond, interact, and act upon the item.

iQ Academy California- Los Angeles does not discriminate on the basis of age, race, creed, color, sex, national origin, religion, gender, physical or mental disability, ancestry or marital status, in any of its policies, procedures of practices.

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) and upon request, Charter School may furnish reasonable auxiliary aids and services to qualified individuals with disabilities. Individuals who require

I. PRELIMINARY

A. CALL TO ORDER

Meeting was called to order by the Board Chair at ____ P.M.

B. ROLL CALL

Present

Absent

Ms. Esther Garcia

Dr. Julie Mendoza (President)

Mr. Ben Pace (Treasurer)

C. FLAG SALUTE

II. CLOSED SESSION

CONFERENCE WITH LABOR NEGOTIATOR

Agency designated representatives:

Nick Stecken, Head of School

Employee Organization: California Virtual Educators United (CVEU)

III. OPEN SESSION

Open Session Action Item:

Board Approval/Ratification of Tentative Agreement Between iQLA and iQTA to Establish a Successor Collective Bargaining Agreement for July 1, 2025 through June 30, 2028.

Ayes:

No:

Abstain:

Approved: _____ Witnessed: _____ Date: _____

Name	Aye	No	Abstain	Absent	Moved	Second
Dr. Julie Mendoza						
Ben Pace						
Esther Garcia						

IV. COMMUNICATIONS

- A. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS: Non-agenda items: no individual presentation shall be for more than three (3) minutes and the total time for this purpose shall not exceed fifteen (15) minutes. Ordinarily, Board members will not respond to presentations and no action can be taken. However, the Board may give direction to staff following a presentation.
- B. For Information: Director's Report
This is a presentation of information which has occurred since the previous Board meeting.
- C. For Information: Board/Staff Discussions
Board and staff discuss items of mutual interest.
 - Google Workspace for Education
- D. Approval of Previous Board Meeting Minutes
N/A

V. CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS

All matters listed under the consent agenda are considered by the Board to be routine and will be approved/enacted by the Board in one motion in the form listed below. Unless specifically requested by a Board member for further discussion or removed from the agenda, there will be no discussion of these items prior to the Board votes on them. The director recommends approval of all consent agenda items.

VI. SCHEDULED FOR ACTION

A. BUSINESS

None

B. PERSONNEL

None

C. INSTRUCTION AND CURRICULUM

Referral Process for Behavioral Health Support

BDRPT 01

SY26-27 Proposed School Calendar

BDRPT 02

D. PUPIL SERVICES

None

VII. ITEMS SCHEDULED FOR INFORMATION

None

VIII. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at ____ P.M.