

# GOVERNMENT OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS VIRGIN ISLANDS BOARD OF EDUCATION



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## VIRGIN ISLANDS BOARD OF EDUCATION ANNOUNCES REGULAR BOARD MEETING

The Virgin Islands Board of Education (VIBE) Governing Board will convene its regular board meeting on Friday May 19, 2017 from 3:00 p.m. and Continuing Saturday May 20, 2017 from 9:00 a.m., in the VIBE offices located at Dronningens Gade, Nos. 60B, 61 & 62 on St. Thomas to allow for discussion on VIBE operations.

The VIBE may go into executive session at any time during the meeting to discuss certain matters as permitted or required by Virgin Islands Law.

Any Individuals or representatives of an entity may appear and be heard provided that a written statement is submitted at least two (2) days prior to the board meeting to Winona A. Hendricks, Chairman of the V.I. Board of Education at Sunny Isles Professional Building Suites #5 & #6 Christiansted, St. Croix USVI 00820.

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### MISSION STATEMENT

The Virgin Islands Board of Education is committed to its vision and will promote the transformation of the structure of existing public education through:  
1. governance over the public education system; 2. improved student, parent, teacher relationship; 3. comprehensive community engagement; 4. standards that promote high academic achievement; 5. creation of an environment that is conducive to effective communication; 6. enhanced quality of professional development for all; 7. provision of adequate resources to achieve our vision, goals and objectives.

### VISION STATEMENT

To ensure that each child is provided with the best quality education which promotes our history and culture, guarantees academic achievement and builds strong communities.