

Open Session Board Meetings

Students, employees and the public are welcome to attend Open Session meetings as observers. Guests are asked to register on a sign-in sheet provided in the boardroom, so that their attendance can be recorded in the minutes. The Board meets on Thursday evenings. Open Session meetings are held in the New Westminster Campus (NWC) boardroom, room S4920.

NOTE: During the time when meetings are not able to take place in person, community members may contact the College Secretary for a link to attend the virtual meeting.

Any updates will be noted on a revised meeting schedule and published to the Board [meeting schedule page](#).

MEETING DATES	OPEN SESSION	AGENDA REQUEST DEADLINES
May 21, 2020	5:00 pm	Thursday, April 30, 2020
June 25, 2020	5:00 pm	Thursday, June 4, 2020
July, August 2020	n/a	no scheduled meetings
September 24, 2020	5:00 pm	Thursday, September 3, 2020
October 24, 2020	Saturday strategy retreat	n/a; strategy retreat
November 26, 2020	5:00 pm	Thursday, November 5, 2020
December 2020	n/a	no scheduled meeting
January 28, 2021	5:00 pm	Thursday, January 7, 2021
February 2021	n/a	no scheduled meeting
March 18, 2021	5:00 pm	Thursday, March 4, 2021
April 2021	n/a	no scheduled meeting
May 27, 2021	5:00 pm	Thursday, May 6, 2021
June 24, 2021	5:00 pm	Thursday, June 3, 2021
July, August 2021	n/a	no scheduled meetings
September 23, 2021	5:00 pm	Thursday, September 2, 2021
October 23, 2021	n/a; Saturday strategy retreat	n/a; strategy retreat

Closed and In Camera Session Meetings

Following each Open Session meeting, observers and guests depart and Board members commence a Closed Session meeting attended by invited members of College management. At the conclusion of each Closed Session meeting, Board members meet In Camera without management.

Board Meeting Agendas, Minutes

Open Session meeting [agendas](#) and Open Session [approved minutes](#) are published on the Board [webpage](#).

The Board maintains an annual work plan and calendar on which agendas are based, and the Board Executive and Governance Committee (BEGC) finalizes all agendas. If you want to request that the Board consider a specific governance-related item for inclusion on an upcoming meeting agenda, please note the submission dates above and contact College Secretary Jo-Anne Bilquist at 604-527-5520, or by email at bilquistj@douglascollege.ca.