

## NEW BOARD MEMBER ORIENTATION

A new member is to be afforded the board's and the staff's fullest measure of courtesy and cooperation. Board and staff shall make every effort to assist the new member to become fully informed about the board's functions, policies, and procedures.

A special workshop will be convened for the primary purpose of orienting the new member to his or her responsibilities, to the board's method of operating, and to districts policies and procedures.

Each new member will be provided with those materials:

1. The previous year's complete record of minutes.
2. A copy of Revised Statutes Annotated Relating to Public Schools, (RSA) or an electronic alternate.
3. A copy of Becoming A Better Board Member.
4. The School Board Policy Manual.
5. The NH School Boards Association Orientation Packet.
6. The current school budget.
7. Negotiated Labor Agreements.

**Mrs. Priscilla Colbath, Chairperson**  
**Mrs. Judith Nason**  
**Mrs. J. Lisbeth Olimpio**  
**Mrs. Vivian Macedo**  
**Mr. Stephen Brown**

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