

**State Board of Education  
Education Quality Standards (EQS)  
Rule Update Committee**

*Please note that the times and order provided are estimates and are subject to change.*

<b>AGENDA</b>	
<b>5:00 p.m.</b>	Call to Order, Roll Call, and Amendments to the Agenda
<b>5:05 p.m.</b>	Approval of <a href="#">November 20, 2023 Meeting Minutes</a> Approval of <a href="#">November 27, 2023 Meeting Minutes</a>
<b>5:10 p.m.</b>	Public to be Heard - 2-minute limit per person. (This may be adjusted/shortened depending on the number of attendees wishing to speak.) <i>Written comments can be submitted at <a href="mailto:SBE.PublicComment@vermont.gov">SBE.PublicComment@vermont.gov</a>.</i>
<b>5:15 p.m.</b>	Working Session <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Consideration of public comments related to definition of Ethnic Group, Ethnic Studies, and Social Group, in light of technical revisions to align with statutory definitions.</li> <li>• Discussion of alignment of definition of Discrimination for consistency across Education Quality Standards and 2200 Independent School rules to consider related public comments.</li> </ul>
<b>6:20 p.m.</b>	Future Agenda Items
<b>6:25 p.m.</b>	Public to be Heard - 2-minute limit per person.
<b>6:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Adjourn</b>

*All meeting materials, when available,  
can be found on the [State Board of Education webpage](#).*