

SHERMAN BOARD OF EDUCATION  
POLICY COMMITTEE  
TUESDAY - SEPTEMBER 29, 2020  
MEETING HELD VIA ZOOM

**Vision Statement**

**We enable all Sherman Students to become the best possible version of themselves.  
We provide an environment where our children develop into empathetic, self-directed,  
critical thinkers who don't give up when faced with challenges.**

A Policy Committee meeting of the Sherman Board of Education was called to order by Mrs. Seeger at 1:00 PM on September 29, 2020 via Zoom.

**1. PRESENT:**

For the Board: Mrs. Seeger, Chair and Mrs. Lenihan  
Administration: Dr. Melendez  
Staff: Lorraine Spinetti

**2. DISCUSSED:**

Covid 19-Mandatory Policy regarding face coverings in school or at school functions.

The committee reviewed two sample policies, one from CAFE and the other from the District's Legal Firm-Shipman & Goodwin. After reviewing the samples and recommendations the committee drafted a new policy #4118.237/4218.237 and will recommend this policy to the full board at its next regular monthly meeting for adoption. The policy authorizes the Superintendent to develop regulations and procedures for the appropriate implementation of this new policy. The policy will have a hyperlink to a working document from the CT office of Early Childhood to help those seeking the most updated information with regard to the requirements.

**3. ADJOURNED**

Meeting adjourned by Mrs. Seeger at 1:21 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Susan Seeger  
Chair, Policy Committee  
Sherman Board of Education