



HPA Board of Directors Spring 2024 Election Timeline

February 9, 2024: Election Timeline published to HPA parents and guardians.

February 16, 2024: Board Applications will be made available online and distributed via email. Each prospective Board member must complete an online application. If a Board applicant is not able to complete the online application, he or she may do so onsite at HPA.

March 1, 2024: Board candidate filing closes at 5:00 PM EST.

March 5, 2024: Board candidate information and application answers will be posted on HPA's website.

March 12-March 19, 2024: Election. Voting opens with e-ballot links that will be emailed to each HPA parent and HPA legal guardian. Each HPA employee will receive his or her e-ballot via their HPA email address. Please refer to the High Point Academy Board Election Procedures if you have any questions regarding who is eligible to vote in the election.

Voting will open on Tuesday, March 12, 2024 at 8:00 AM and close on Tuesday, March 19, 2024 at 5:00 PM. Voting will be available via e-ballot. Each ballot will have a unique pin number to ensure confidentiality and integrity of the process.

March 20, 2024: Election results will be certified and election results will be announced on HPA's website.

New Board members will be sworn-in during the regular scheduled March 25, 2024 Board meeting. Terms of the top three vote-getters will begin July 1, 2024 and end June 30, 2026. The term of the fourth-place vote-getter will begin upon swearing in and end June 30, 2025.

Meeting and Training Requirements:

Board members are expected to attend all Board meetings, which are usually monthly. Additionally, Board members participate in HPA events, serve on select committees, and generally promote HPA to the community.

Mandated Board Training - All Board members are required to attend Board training as soon as possible, but no later than one (1) year after being sworn in. Free trainings are offered by the South Carolina Department of Education.