



SPECIAL EDUCATION PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL (SEPAC)

SEEN

SEPAC's Education Empowerment Newsletter



June 2026: Congratulations Are In Order

First, congratulations parents of the Class of 2026 -- thank you for all of your support, wisdom and warmth this year. We wish you and your families the best of luck on your next adventure. Please stay in touch with us!

Second, I'm happy to announce the 2026-2027 MMSEPAC Officers: Co-Chairs Adelaide Reilly and Dana Green, Secretary Lauren Flynn, Acton-Boxborough Town Rep Judy Bourdon and Needham Town Rep Susan Sloobe.

Finally, congratulations to all of you for making it through the school year. We hope you and your student enjoy a restful summer break. Speaking of a break, the SEEN Newsletter staff will also be on break this summer and will return on Saturday September 5. Have a happy and safe summer!



Upcoming Events

Grades

-Jun 10, Q4 Ends

School Year End and Beginning

- Last day of school: Tues Jun 16, 11:21am, Early Release

-Tues Sept 1, 7:40am, First Day of School

- 2026-2027 Calendar is [posted here](#)

Next MMSEPAC Monthly Meeting

-Thur Sep 10, 7:00pm --Special Guest Speaker: Principal Paul D'Alleva



Job Postings

Director of Student Services

Our Assistant Superintendent and Director of Special Education at Minuteman is moving on this summer! We wish Dr. Amy Perreault much success in her new role. As such, the school is looking for a new Director of Student Services ASAP! Please pass along [the description](#) and help us find the new head of the SPED Department, the guidance department, and the school health office.

You can also check out the latest job openings available at Minuteman by visiting [Simply Hired](#).



FCSN Network Webinar:

End of Year Essentials — Finishing Strong and Staying Organized

When: Wed, July 9 @ 12:00 - 1:00pm

Join the Federation for Children with Special Needs (FCSN) for a practical networking session focused on wrapping up the school year with confidence. Get strategies for closing out the year smoothly, identifying what to save and what to let go, and organizing paperwork so important records are easy to find when you need them. Connect, exchange tips, and leave with simple systems to help you start the next school year organized and prepared.

[Register here.](#)



Summer Reading:

Minuteman Reads Program

Summer reading assessments count as 15% of each student's Term 1 English grade.

Students need to achieve a 70% or better on the computer-based tests to get a 100%

score on the test. Students scoring below 70% will earn the actual test grade for their summer reading grade. Don't know where to begin finding a book? There are 50+ pages of approved books to choose from. [Check out the list and requirements for your student's grade here.](#)

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