

**East Newark Board of Education  
501-11 North Third Street  
East Newark, NJ 07029**

**PUBLIC NOTICE TO THE VOTERS IN THE  
BOROUGH OF EAST NEWARK**

**East Newark Board of Education  
Special Election – March 12, 2024  
Board Election Notice**

A Special School Election will be held on March 12, 2024 for the voters of the Borough of East Newark. The purpose of the election is to fill two (2) new seats to the East Newark Board of Education, by public election and voting.

The initial term of the first new seat is for an approximate one and one-half (1.5) years to run through and expire in January 2026, upon the appointment and qualification of the successor board member elected at the 2025 November school board election. The initial term of the second new seat to the East Newark Board of Education is for an initial term of approximately two and one-half (2.5) years to expire January of 2027, upon the appointment and qualification of the successor board member elected at the 2026 November annual school election.

Nominating petitions are available from the office of the Interim School Business Administrator / Board Secretary of the East Newark Board of Education between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. The Board of Education Office is located at 501-11 North Third Street, East Newark, NJ 07029. The contact number is 973-481-6800.

Petitions are also available at the East Newark Board of Education website at [www.eastnewarkschool.org](http://www.eastnewarkschool.org).

Completed nominating petitions must be submitted in person and must be received by 4:00 p.m. on Monday, January 22, 2024.

The special election for members of the East Newark Board of Education will be held on Tuesday, March 12, 2024.

Candidates are allowed to circulate a nominating petition jointly and to be bracketed together on the ballot.

Candidates filling a nominating petition for board membership must meet the following qualifications:

- He/she is a citizen of the United States of America
- He/she must be at least eighteen (18) years of age to qualify for office
- He/she must be able to read and write
- He/she has been a resident of the Borough of East Newark for at least one (1) year preceding the date of election
- He/she is not disqualified as a voter pursuant to N.J.S.A. 19:4-1
- He/she is a registered voter in the district
- Not hold office as a mayor or member of the governing body of the Borough of East Newark
- He/she is not disqualified from membership on the Board due to conviction of a crime or offense listed in N.J.S.A. 18:12-1
- He/she has no interest in any contract with, or claim against the Board

A candidate's kit is available from the New Jersey School Board Association (NJSBA) at <https://www.njsba.org/about/membership-school-board-members/school-board-candidacy/>

**(NOTE: Please disregard information related to April 16, 2024 – Annual School Board Election as this Notice of Election regards the Special Election scheduled for March 12, 2024)**