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**VIRGIN ISLANDS BOARD OF EDUCATION
ANNOUNCES BOARD MEETING**

The 21st elected Virgin Islands Board of Education (VIBE) will conduct its regularly scheduled board meeting to discuss board committees' and operations matters on Friday, March 24, 2023, at 5:00 p.m. The VIBE may go into executive session during the meeting to discuss certain matters as permitted or required by Virgin Islands law.

Due to limited capacity, advance registration (no later than three days prior to the meeting) and completion of a self-assessment health checklist are required to attend board meetings in-person. Meeting registrants are reminded that all persons are required to register on their own behalf. After registering, individuals will receive a confirmation email containing information about attending the meeting. Attendance will be immediately denied for refusal to complete the self-assessment or if an answer to any question is YES, regardless of vaccination status. Visitors are required to wear a mask entirely over the nose and mouth during in-person board meetings and in public accessible areas within the VIBE's facilities.

For more information, including how to participate in the meeting, please contact the St. Thomas/St. John district office at 340-774-4546 or the St. Croix district office at 340-772-4144.

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MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Virgin Islands Board of Education is to provide leadership and oversight, set policy and advocate for continuous improvement of the Public Education System of the Virgin Islands of the United States.

VISION STATEMENT

Each child is provided with the best quality education which guarantees academic excellence, promotes our history and culture, and builds strong local and global communities.