




Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

**Resolution Honoring
AARUSHI DEDHIYA
State Board of Education Student Member
2023-2025**

- Whereas,** On May 22, 2008, the Pennsylvania State Board of Education amended its bylaws to provide for student membership and greater student voice in education policymaking; and
- Whereas,** This policy ensures dedicated representation for the nearly 1.7 million students enrolled in public schools across the Commonwealth; and
- Whereas,** Ms. Aarushi Dedhiya, a senior at Cumberland Valley High School, has effectively represented the interests of Pennsylvania's students since July 2023; and
- Whereas,** Ms. Dedhiya coordinated and collaborated with a statewide network of student voices through Students for Education in Pennsylvania and, as a democratic representative of her peers, articulately represented their perspectives on varied policy issues; and
- Whereas,** Ms. Dedhiya's public service on the State Board offers unique preparation for her future studies and collegiate experiences; now therefore be it
- Resolved:** That the members of the Council of Basic Education and the entire State Board of Education extend their best wishes for Ms. Dedhiya's continued success in her collegiate endeavors.



Given under my hand and our seal
this 8th day of May 2025


Karen Farmer White
Chair