


Office	<div>Board of Education Election</div> <div>The one candidate receiving the largest number of votes shall be elected to a four-year term to commence on July 1, 2025, and expiring on June 30, 2029.</div> <div>(Vote for one)</div>
Board of Education	<div><div><div><div></div><div>1</div></div></div><div>Michelle Merritt</div></div> <div>Board of Education</div>
Write-In	<div>Write-in</div>

SAMPLE

Official Ballot for the
School Board Election
County of Chautauqua
May 20, 2025

Instructions 
1. Mark the oval to the left of the name of your choice.
2. To vote for a candidate whose name is not on the ballot, print the name clearly in the box labeled 'write-in', staying within the box. Any mark or writing outside the spaces provided for voting may void the entire ballot.

3. The number of choices is listed for each contest. Do not mark the ballot for more candidates than allowed. If you do, your vote in that contest will not count. If you make a mistake, or want to change your vote, ask a poll worker for a new ballot.

Instructions for Voting on Questions and Proposals
To vote on a question or proposal, mark the oval below your choice. If you make a mistake, or want to change your vote, ask a poll worker for a new ballot.

Forestville Central School
Remember to vote both sides



Proposition #1 - Proposed Budget	Proposition #2 - Bus Purchase
<p>The budget proposition would authorize the appropriation of \$14,194,347. to meet estimated school district expenditures for the 2025-2026 school year. This represents an increase of 0.50% compared to the 2024-2025 adopted budget. Adoption of this budget would result in anticipated tax levy increase of 2.3% which is within the limits of property tax cap as calculate within the accordance with Chapter 97 of the Laws of New York and qualifying homes will be eligible for the state’s Star rebate.</p>	<p>The bus purchase proposition seeks voter approval to purchase two (2) new 65-passenger Blue Bird gas buses at an estimated maximum cost of \$394,701 to be used in the transportation program of the District.</p>
<div><div>Yes</div><div>No</div></div>	<div><div>Yes</div><div>No</div></div>
Proposition #3 - Anderson Lee Library	
<p>The library proposition would authorize Forestville Central School District to levy and collect taxes annually, separate and apart from the annual District Budget, in the amount of \$42,540 which shall be paid to the Anderson Lee Library for the support and maintenance of that library; with this appropriated amount to be the annual appropriation until thereafter modified by a future vote of the electors of the District.</p>	
<div><div>Yes</div><div>No</div></div>	