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## BUDGET DEADLINES AND SCHEDULES

Preparation of the annual budget will be scheduled in stages throughout the school year with attention to certain deadlines established by law. The final date for the submission of the budget to the Select Board will be arranged cooperatively with the School Committee and Finance Committee.

In reaching its decision on the budget amount that it will submit to the Select Board, the School Committee will also observe the statutory requirement of holding a public hearing on the proposed budget not less that seven days after publication of a notice thereof in a newspaper having general circulation in the Town of Hadley.

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