

BOARD OF EDUCATION WORK SESSION
February 8, 2017
6:30 PM
District 742 Administration Office
1000 44th Avenue North, St Cloud, Minnesota

Our Mission is to create a safe and caring climate and culture in which we prepare, engage, educate, empower, and inspire all learners in partnership with their surrounding community to be successful in today's and tomorrow's society.

AGENDA

I. NEW HIGH SCHOOL UPDATE

Key Next Steps

Key Messages

Architects, along with staff from Tech High School, will present updates and progress on program and design of the new high school.

II. MATH/SCIENCE VISION CARD

Key Next Steps

Key Messages

Staff from the Teaching and Learning Department will provide an update on math and science proficiency for the District. Information is attached.

III. EARLY CHILDHOOD AND COMMUNITY EDUCATION CENTER UPDATE

Key Next Steps

Key Messages

Gary Ganje, Executive Director of Technology and District Support Services, will provide an update on planning and progress to date of the Early Childhood and Community Education Center.

IV. SECTION 600 BOARD POLICIES (*First Reading*)

Key Next Steps

Key Messages

Joni Olson, Executive Director of Student Achievement and Strategic Alignment, along with Carol Potter, Executive Director of Student Services/Special Education, will present proposed Board Policy updates for Section 600, Education Programs. Included will be proposed updates to existing Board Policies, proposed new Board Policies and policies recommended to be repealed. These are on the agenda for a first reading. Copies are attached. Information on the policy changes and notes is also attached.

- Board Policy 601 - School District Curriculum and Instruction Goals
- Board Policy 602 - Organization of School Calendar and School Day
- Board Policy 603 - Curriculum Development
- Board Policy 604 - Instructional Curriculum
- Board Policy 604.1 - Inclusive Education - REPEAL
- Board Policy 605 - Alternative Programs
- Board Policy 606 - Textbooks and Instructional Materials
- Board Policy 607 - Organization of Grade Levels
- Board Policy 608 - Instructional Services - Special Education
- Board Policy 609 - Public Education and Organized Religion
- Board Policy 610 - Field Trips
- Board Policy 611 - Home Schooling
- Board Policy 612.1 - Development of Parental Involvement Programs for Title 1 Programs
- Board Policy 614 - School District Testing Plan and Procedure
- Board Policy 615 and Administrative Procedures 615A - Basic Standards Testing, Accommodations, Modifications, and Exemptions for IEP, Section 504 Accommodation, and LEP Students - REPEAL
- Board Policy 618 - Assessment of Student Achievement
- Board Policy 620 - Credit for Learning
- Board Policy 624 - Online Learning Options (New Policy)
- Board Policy 699 - School Cancellation (New Policy)

V. SECTION 500 BOARD POLICY (*First Reading*)

Key Next Steps

Key Messages

Carol Potter, Executive Director of Student Services/Special Education, will present proposed revised/updated Board Policy 506, Student Discipline. This policy is on the agenda for a first reading. A copy is attached.

VI. SECTION 400 BOARD POLICIES (*First Reading*)

Key Next Steps

Key Message

Tracy Flynn Bowe, Executive Director of Human Resources, will present the following proposed Board Policy update and new Board Policy for Section 400,

Employees/Personnel.

Board Policy 409 - Employee Publications, Instructional Materials, Inventions, and Creations (This is a new policy.)

Board Policy 416 - Drug and Alcohol Testing

These are on the agenda for a first reading. Copies are attached.

VII. DISCUSSION OF REPURPOSING BOARD INTEGRATION AND EQUITY COMMITTEE AND COMMUNITY LINKAGES COMMITTEE AND ADDING SPECIFIC RESPONSIBILITIES TO THE LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE

Key Next Steps

Key Messages

Information is attached.