

Skokie School District 68 Board Briefs



District 68 strives to be a learning community that inspires our students to reach their fullest academic and human potential, encourages continuous improvement, and contributes positively to our diverse, multicultural society.

Our mission is to develop children who are confident and creative learners. We provide a rigorous curriculum and a supportive school environment that promotes high achievement, encourages personal growth, and meets the unique needs of each child.

Board Briefs

A summary of action and discussion at the School Board meeting

School Board Meetings

The public is welcome and encouraged to attend Board meetings which are usually held at 7:00 p.m. on the third Thursday of each month at the Educational Service Center.

Educational Service Center

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At its August 18, 2016, meeting the Skokie School District 68 Board of Education:

- Heard a report from Lisa Schwartz, assistant superintendent for instruction, on the 2015-16 MAP Assessment Results
- Heard a report from Hal Schmeisser, principal at Devonshire School, on the Devonshire Makerspace
- Heard a report on school water quality testing results
- Approved the Minutes of the July 21, 2016, Regular Board of Education Meeting
- Approved the Minutes of the July 21, 2016, Closed Session Board of Education Meeting
- Approved the August 2016 Personnel Report
- Approved the Financial Reports for July 2016
- Approved Pay Orders and Expenditures for July 2016
- Heard a report on the Nilus Township District for Special Education #807 August Board Meeting from Dr. Richard Berk, District 68 liaison
- Discussed the request for early termination of the lease agreement with the MCC
- Conducted a first reading of policies:
 - 7:190 Student Behavior
 - 7:200 Suspension Procedures
 - 7:210 Expulsion Procedures
 - 7:220 Bus Conduct
- Approved the 2016-2017 Annual Goals
- Approved the Destruction of Closed Session Audio Recording from February 19, 2015

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