

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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Board of Education

At its February 20, 2020, Board of Education meeting the Skokie School District 68 Board of Education:

- Heard a Presentation about Student Activities at Highland Elementary School
- Heard a Report on the Literacy Learning Team's Recommendations
- Heard a Report on the Advance Learner Program (ALP) Learning Team's Recommendations
- Approved the Minutes of the January 23, 2020, Board of Education Meeting
- Approved the February, 2020 Personnel Report
- Approved the Financial Reports for January, 2020
- Approved Pay Orders and Expenditures for January, 2020
- Conducted a Second Reading of the Following Board Policies:
 - 5:10 Equal Employment Opportunity and Minority Recruitment
 - 5:20 Workplace Harassment Prohibited
 - 5:20 Workplace Harassment Resolution
 - 5:30 Hiring Process and Criteria
 - 5:50 Drug- and Alcohol-Free Workplace - Tobacco Prohibition
 - 5:90 Abused and Neglected Child Reporting
 - 5:120 Ethics and Conduct
 - 5:250 Leaves of Absence
 - 5:290 Employment Termination
 - 5:330 Sick Days, Bereavement, Vacation, Holidays, and Leaves
- Discussed a Memorandum of Understanding with the Niles Township District for Special Education (NTDSE) regarding fund for Construction at Molloy
- Conducted a First Reading of the Following Board Policies:
 - 6:60 Curriculum Content
 - 6:150 Home and Hospital Instruction
- Received Information About Freedom of

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Board Secretary

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Meghan Espinoza
Jeff Sterbenc
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Superintendent

Information Act Requests

- Held a Closed Session Meeting