

SPECIAL EDUCATION
School Board Report
May 14, 2018

- We continue to search for educational technicians to fill our open positions. We are also actively interviewing for a special education teacher at the Middle School for the start of the 2018 school year.
- We are working on our extended school year services for eligible students. Our ESY program will run July 10-August 2nd, on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays in the morning. We run classrooms at Poland Community School and the high school. ESY involves hiring teachers and staff, organizing the students who were determined by their IEP teams to need summer service, sending and gathering information from parents, and working with the transportation department to develop the routes. It takes a village!
- Transition meetings with incoming students from Child Development Services have started and will wrap up this week.
- Educational Technicians are currently doing on-line professional development to become certified as Behavior Health Professionals (BHP). They will do 12 modules of on-line training followed by a day of training with Holly this fall. The training has some great information on working with children with trauma histories and children with autism, to name just a few.