

CUSD 201 Board Member Vacancy Notice

Community Unit School District 201 Board of Education is accepting applications to fill **two vacancies** on the Board resulting from the resignation of former Board members Jessica Radogno and Lauren Zekiri.

In accordance with School Board [Policy 2:70](#), the Board intends to fill the vacancies within 60 calendar days, following a public vote at a Board of Education Meeting. The newly appointed School Board Members will serve on the Board of Education until the next consolidated election in April 2027. At that time, the seats will be on the ballot of the 2027 Consolidated Election as Unexpired 2-year terms.

Application Timeline

To be considered, applicants must (in bold) be available the evenings of: Dec 2, Dec 16, and Dec 18.

October 29, 2025

Board Member Vacancy Notice Posted
Application Open to the Public

November 12, 2025

Deadline to Submit Application

December 2, 2025

Board of Education interviews selected applicants. Interviews will start at 5:30 p.m. (Applicants must be available to interview on this date.)

Week of December 15, 2025

Board of Education interviews selected applicants if necessary.
Appointment of Board members

Application Process

Qualified and interested residents should submit a resume and a letter explaining their interest in serving on the District 201 Board of Education no later than 4:00 p.m. on November 12, 2025. In addition, candidates must show familiarity with the Board's policies and the District 201 Mission: To educate and empower students to be academically prepared and socially responsible.

Per School Board [Policy 2:40](#), a School Board member must be, on the date of election or appointment, a United States citizen, at least 18 years of age, a resident of Illinois and CUSD 201 for at least one year immediately preceding the appointment, and must be a registered voter.

Reasons making an individual ineligible for Board membership include holding an incompatible office, being a child sex offender, as defined in State law, having a prohibited interest in any contract with the District, and certain types of prohibited State or federal employment (e.g., an employee of District 201).

Please send resume and letter of interest to the CUSD 201 Board of Education at:

Email: boardofeducation@cusd201.org

Or mail a hard copy to:

District 201 Board of Education
133 S. Grant Street
Westmont, IL 60559

All applications must be received no later than 4:00 p.m. on November 12, 2025.