

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

9440 N. Kenton
Skokie, IL 60076
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At its August 17, 2017, Regular Board of Education meeting the Skokie School District 68 Board of Education:

- Heard a Report on the Strategic Plan Process
- Heard a Report on the 2017-18 Schedule of Board Reports and Actions
- Approved the Minutes of the July 20, 2017, Regular Board of Education Meeting
- Approved the Minutes of the July 20, 2017, Board of Education Closed Session Meeting
- Approved the August 2017 Personnel Report
- Approved the Financial Reports for July 2017
- Approved Pay Orders and Expenditures for July 2017
- Approved changes to the following Board of Education Policies:
 - 2:100 Board Member Conflict of Interest
 - 5:120 Employee Ethics, Conduct, and Conflict of Interest
 - 5:230 Maintaining Student Discipline
 - 5:285 Drug and Alcohol Testing for School Bus and Commercial Vehicle Drivers
 - 5:300 Schedules and Employment Year
 - 6:70 Teaching About Religions
 - 7:150 Agency and Police Interviews
 - 7:240 Conduct Code for Participants in Extracurricular Activities
 - 7:305 Student Athlete Concussions and Head Injuries
 - 8:70 Accommodating Individuals with Disabilities
- Approved the Destruction of Closed Session Audio Recording February 18, 2016
- Heard a Report on the Niles Township District for Special Education's August Board Meeting
- Discussed First Readings for the Following Policies:
 - 4:15 Identity Protection
- Approved the Title I District Plan

Board of Education

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President

Amy Anson, Ph.D.
Vice President

Richard Berk, M.D.
Board Secretary

Frank Alkyer
Katrina Bell-Jordan, Ph.D.
Joe Ruffner
Meghan Espinoza

James Garwood, Ed.D.
Superintendent

- Approved the Purchase of a Maintenance and Storage Facility

