

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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Board of Education

At its December 17, 2020, Board of Education meeting the Skokie School District 68 Board of Education:

- Heard an Update on District's Return to Learn Plan
- Heard a Report about the Annual Audit
- Approved the Meeting Minutes for the Regular November 19, 2020, Board of Education Meeting
- Approved the Meeting Minutes for the Closed Session November 19, 2020, Board of Education Meeting
- Approved the Consent Agenda that included the following:
 - Personnel Report
 - Financial Reports
 - Pay Orders and Expenditures
 - Second Reading of the Following Board of Education Policies:
 - Board Policy 3:40 Superintendent
 - Board Policy 5:270 Employment At-Will, Compensation, and Assignment
 - Board Policy 6:20 School Year Calendar and Day
 - Board Policy 6:40 Curriculum Development
 - Board Policy 7:20 Harassment of Students Prohibited
 - Board Policy 7:180 Prevention of and Response to Bullying, Intimidation, and Harassment
 - Board Policy 7:185 Teen Dating Violence Prohibited
 - Board Policy 7:300 Extracurricular Athletics
 - Destruction of Board of Education Closed Session Audio Recordings: 5/16/2019 and 6/20/2019
- Discussed a Draft of the 2021-2022 School Calendar
- Heard and Discussed the 1st Reading of Board

Una McGeough
President

Joe Ruffner
Vice President

Katrina Bell-Jordan, Ph.D.
Board Secretary

Frank Alkyer
Meghan Espinoza
Jeff Sterbenc
Jinu Joseph

James Garwood, Ed.D.
Superintendent

Policies:

- Board Policy 7:100 Health, Eye, and Dental Examinations, Immunizations, and Exclusion of Students
- Approved the Certificate of the Tax Levy for 2020
- Received a Freedom of Information Act Request
- Held a Closed Session Meeting to talk about Negotiations

