MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION COFFEYVILLE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT 445

February 12, 2024

Regular Meeting 4:00 p.m.

Board of Education Office

"Building on a culturally diverse community, USD 445 will prepare all students for life-long learning by providing resources for a comprehensive quality education in a safe environment that promotes high academic achievement and responsible citizenship in a global society." – Mission Statement

"Valuing individuals, Celebrating Learning, Improving Life! USD 445 will provide a happy, caring, hopeful environment that will empower children to achieve their greatest potential." – Vision Statement

The Board of Education of Coffeyville USD 445 met Monday, February 12, 2024 at 4:00 p.m. at the Board of Education Office, 615 Ellis, Coffeyville, KS 67337. President, Jason Barnett called the meeting to order at 4:00 p.m.

Roll Call:

Board Members Present	Others Present
Cindy Price	Dr. Craig CorrellSuperintendent
Darrel Harbaugh	Michael SpeerDep. Sup./Bus/Manager
Matt Jordan	Lora Stalford Asst. Sup/Curriculum Director
Jason Barnett	Kyle SpielbushJarred Gilmore & Phillips
Denise Gates	David RainsCRC Director
LaKisha Johnson	Andy TaylorMontgomery County Chronicle
	Hanna EmbertonCoffeyville Journal
Board Members Absent	
Robert Roesky	

Adoption of Agenda:

Motion made by LaKisha Johnson to adopt the agenda, second by Denise Gates. Motion carried 7-0.

Adoption of Consent Agenda:

A. Approval of Minutes of Regular Meeting, January 8, 2024

B. Approval of Bills and Treasurer's Report

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Payroll/Liabilit	\$	624,634.01	Vocational	\$ 1,564.91	Title I-C Mig.	\$ -
General Fund	\$	139,586.30	Indian Ed.	\$ 1,886.14	Title IV	\$ -
LOB	\$	55,481.96	JOM	\$ 375.00	Title VI-B	\$ 4,895.80
PreSchool AR	\$	108.83	KPERS	\$ -	21st CCLC-CES	\$ -
At-Risk	\$	496.96	Textbook	\$ -	21st CCLC-ELC	\$ -
Bilingual	\$	92.22	Activity	\$ 2,913.73	ECBG Grant	\$ 33,904.21
Virtual	\$	4.75	Bond & Int.	\$ -	PAT MEICHV	\$ 584.82
Capital Outlay	\$	157,638.87	Rec. Comm.	\$ -	KU Com. Health	\$ 13.27
Driver's Ed.	\$	1.90	Rec. Benefits	\$ -	Afterschool	\$ 4.51
Food Service	\$	52,786.01	Gifts/Grant	\$ 9,555.80	ESSER III	\$ 174,273.20
In-Service	\$	70.00	FKHS Pool	\$ 1,043.32		
Parent Ed.	\$	237.72	Title I	\$ 94.28		
Special Ed.	\$	116,540.45	Title II-A	\$ -		

- C. Child Nutrition Report
- D. Travel Report

Motion made by Matt Jordan to approve items A-D of the consent agenda. Seconded by Denise Gates. Motion carried 6-0.

- E. Acceptance of Resignations/Retirement
 - 1. Resignation Casey Woodward, Social Studies Teacher, FKHS (EOY)
 - 2. Resignation Ford Hall, Asst. Football Coach, RMS
 - 3. Resignation Madison Kester, Counselor, CES (effective 2/2/2024)
 - 4. Resignation Tyler Coots, Head Volleyball Coach, FKHS
 - 5. Resignation Jaclyn Smith, FACS Teacher, RMS (EOY)
 - 6. Resignation Ashley Horick, MHIT, CES (02/08/2024)

Motion made by Darrel Harbaugh to approve item E of the consent agenda. Seconded by Cindy Price. Motion carried 6-0.

Miscellaneous Reports and Discussion:

Positive Comments:

- Cindy Price and Denise Gates both commented on their attendance of the art show held recently at the Early Learning Center. Both stated how proud the students are of their artwork presentation and the efforts they have put into their projects.
- Denise Gates commented on her recent attendance of the Board training workshop that was held recently in Columbus.
- Darrel Harbaugh commented on the Tri-County/Greenbush Gifted Team that participated recently in a competition in Topeka. The team was awarded the Outstanding Presentation aware. The team consisted of one student from Independence and two students from Coffeyville.
- Matt Jordan commented on the boys basketball team that ahs won six out of the last seven games and congratulated them on their efforts.

Central Office Reports:

- 1. Business Manager/Clerk of the Board
 - A. Audit Report Kyle Spielbusch with Jarred, Gilmore & Phillips PA
 - i. Kyle Spielbusch from Jarred, Gilmore & Phillips, presented the audit report to the school district.
 - ii. The district follows KMAG, Kansas Municipal Audit Guide, and does not follow GAAP, General accepted Accounting Principals.
 - iii. The overall audit is considered a "clean" audit and has received a "clean opinion" from Jarred, Gilmore & Phillips.

2. Superintendent

- A. Lora Stalford, Assistant Superintendent/Curriculum Director presented local data from Fastbridge to the school board.
- B. Reviewing State Assessment data, in the past two years, the district has increased 37% in math and 21% in reading in the number of students moving to the top two levels on the assessment.
- Reading in K-1, 41% of the students were identified as Accelerated Growth level and 28% made "Typical Growth". In grades 2-6, essentially the same percentages were seen in student performance
- D. RMS Reading, 30% or making "Typical Growth" and 25% are making "Accelerated Growth". Similar percentages in also occurred at FKHS.
- E. Math scores for K-1 showed 26% of students in "Typical Growth" and 50% in the "Accelerated Growth". For 2-6 grade students, 30% were in "Typical Growth" and

28% were in "Accelerated Growth". The remaining 42% of students are showing some small growth, but these are the students that are being targeted correctly.

F. Multiple programs at CES, RMS and FKHS have been implemented in classrooms where we are not seeing the growth as is expected. Some programs have been

where we are not seeing the growth as is expected. Some programs have been implemented building wide as well. Programs include: 95%, Read Live Read Naturally, reading intervention classes have been implemented at both RMS and FKHS. The ELC curriculum has been implemented that aligns with the Science of Reading.

Tri-County Special Education Report

No Tri-County report was given as Robert Roesky was absent from the meeting.

All remaining reports as printed on the agenda and in the Board Booklet

Action Items:

Board action to approve the Superintendent's recommendation and accept the FY2023 audit report from Jarred, Gilmore & Phillips.

Motion made by Cindy Price to approve the Superintendent's recommendation and accept the FY2023 audit report from Jarred, Gilmore & Phillips. Seconded by Darrel Harbaugh. Motion carried 6-0.

Board action to approve the Superintendent's recommendation of a RFP for headphone purchase.

Motion made by LaKisha Johnson to approve the Superintendent's recommendation of a RFP for headphone purchase. Seconded by Darrel Harbaugh. Motion carried 6-0.

Board action to appoint an applicant to the Coffeyville Recreation Commission board.

Motion made by Darrel Harbaugh appoint an applicant to the Coffeyville Recreation Commission board. Seconded by LaKisha Johnson. Motion carried 6-0.

Board action to change the regular March board meeting date from March 4, 2024 to March 18, 2024.

Motion made by Denise Gates to change the regular March board meeting date from March 4, 2024 to March 18, 2024. Seconded by Cindy Price. Motion carried 6-0.

Executive Session:

Motion made by Darrel Harbaugh to move into executive session for 20 minutes to discuss an employee(s) performance pursuant to the nonelected personnel exception under the Kansas Open Meetings Act, and the open meeting will resume in this room at 5:14 pm. Seconded by Denise Gates. Motion carried 6-0.

Reconvened to Open Session at 5:14 p.m. with no action taken.

Action Items Personnel:

Board action to approve the Superintendent's recommendation of employment

Motion made by Denise Gates to approve superintendent's recommendation for employment of:

Lynn Cordray, Intervention Teacher, CES Tabitha Lackey, Custodian, CES Ashley Horick, School Social Worker, CES

Seconded by Matt Jordan. Motion carried 6-0.

Board action to approve the Superintendent's recommendation of administrative contracts

Motion made by Matt Jordan to approve superintendent's recommendation for administrative contracts for:

Dr. Amanda Cavaness, Principal, ELC (F25, F26 - 1-year extension)

Luke Claar, Principal RMS (F25)

Julie Dunham, Assistant Principal, RMS (F25 Asst, Principal RMS, F26 Lead Principal RMS)

Kelsa King, Assistant Principal, FKHS (F25, F26 - 2-year contract)

Angela Krause, Principal, CES (F25, F26 - 1-year extension)
David Lovelace, Assistant Principal, CES (F25) — 1-year extension

Michael Speer, Deputy Superintendent/Business Manager (F25, F26 - 1-year extension)

Lora Stalford, Assistant Superintendent/Learning Services (F25, F26 - 1-year extension)

Travis Stalford, Principal, FKHS (F25, F26 - 1-year extension)

Julie Stukesbary, Assistant Principal, CES (F25, F26 – 1-year extension)

Tara Thompson, Assistant Principal, CES (F25, F26 - 1-year extension)

Wade Welch, Assistant Principal/Activities Director (F25, F26 – 1-year extension)

Seconded by LaKisha Johnson. Motion carried 6-0.

Board action to approve the Superintendent's recommendation of director contracts

Motion made by Darrel Harbaugh to approve superintendent's recommendation for director contracts for:

Jared Chastain, Director of Maintenance Melissa Murray, Director of Student Services Jenna Nash, Director of Technology Lisa Stockton, Director of ESOL/Migrant Services Griffin Walker, Director of Afterschool Programs Cassandra Worden, Director of Food Service

Seconded by Cindy Price. Motion carried 6-0.

Board action to approve the Superintendent's recommendation of supplemental contracts

Motion made by Denise Gates to approve superintendent's recommendation for employment of:

Melissa Barnett, 2nd Sem. Educational Leadership C-English 1, FKHS Melissa Barnett, 2nd Sem. Educational Leadership C-English 2, FKHS Melissa Barnett, 2nd Sem. Educational Leadership C-English 3, FKHS Melissa Barnett, 2nd Sem. Educational Leadership C-English 4, FKHS Melissa Barnett, 2nd Sem. Educational Leadership C-English 5, FKHS Melissa Barnett, 2nd Sem. Educational Leadership C-English 6, FKHS Gwendyln Sally, Educational Leadership A-Mentor Teacher Training, CES Susan Lunt, Educational leadership A-Mentor Teacher Training, CES

Seconded by Darrel Harbaugh. Jason Barnett abstained from voting due to a conflict of interest. Motion carried 5-1.

Adjournment:

At 5:17 p.m., President, Jason	Barnett adjourned	this January 12, 20	24 regular session of the
governing Board of Education fo	or Coffeyville Unified	Schools District 44!	5.

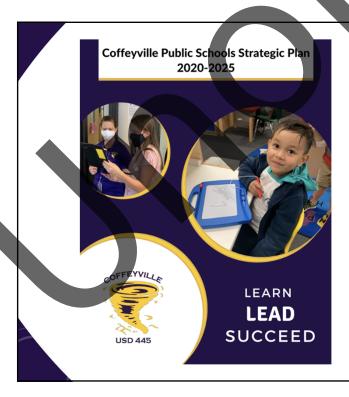
Clerk of the Board



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EVERY FAMILY
EVERY CHILD
EVERY DAY

State Assessments

Great News to Celebrate



Percentage of students performing in the top two levels in the last two years:

- Increased by 37% in math
- Increased 21% in reading

GREAT NEWS TO CELEBRATE!

CES Reading Fastbridge Growth

Early JEADING K-1

- 28% of Students at CES are making Typical Growth
- 41% of Students at CES are making Accelerated Growth

areading 2-6

- 28% of Students at CES are making Typical Growth
- 40% of Students at CES are making Accelerated Growth





GREAT NEWS TO CELEBRATE!

CES Math Fastbridge Growth

Early Math K-1

- 26% of Students at CES are making Typical Growth
- 50% of Students at CES are making Accelerated Growth

MATH 2-6

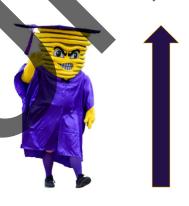
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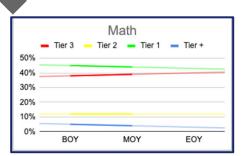


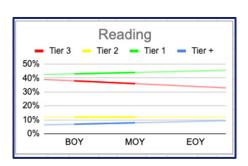


GREAT NEWS TO CELEBRATE!

6 Grade Levels saw Growth at CES







GREAT NEWS TO CELEBRATE!

RMS Reading & Math Fastbridge Growth

READING

- 30% of Students at RMS are making Typical Growth
- 25% of Students at RMS are making Accelerated Growth

MATH

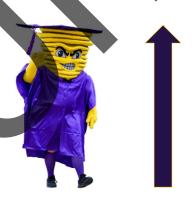
- 29% of Students at RMS are making Typical Growth
- 20% of Students at RMS are making Accelerated Growth

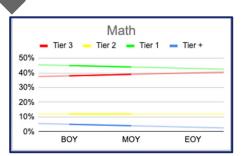


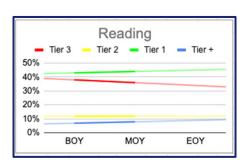


GREAT NEWS TO CELEBRATE!

Both Grade Levels saw Growth at RMS







GREAT NEWS TO CELEBRATE!

FKHS Reading & Math Fastbridge Growth

READING

- 28% of Students at FKHS are making Typical Growth
- 34% of Students at FKHS are making Accelerated Growth

MATH

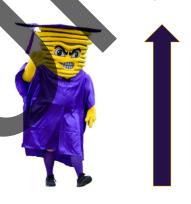
- 32% of Students at FKHS are making Typical Growth
- 24% of Students at FKHS are making Accelerated Growth

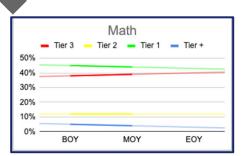


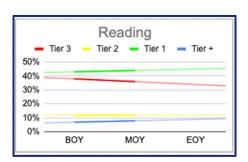


GREAT NEWS TO CELEBRATE!

All Grade Levels saw Growth at FKHS



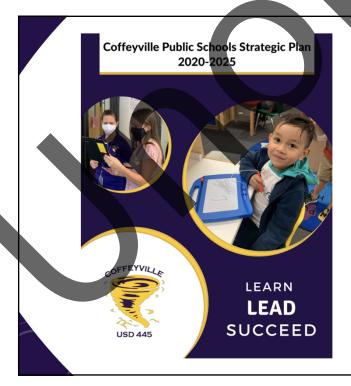




HOW ARE WE ADDRESSING THE GAPS?



- Intervention Groups utilizing 95% and Read Live Read Naturally
- Classrooms with no growth have set goals centered around Data & Instruction
- RMS Essential Reading Class for Reading Intervention
- FKHS Essential Reading Class for Reading Intervention implemented
- ELC Curriculum Aligned with Science of Reading



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