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## SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD

The School Board held this meeting before the regular meeting. In this meeting, the members were trained on a new software called Board Docs. This software's intent is to give our members an easier and more interactive and convenient way to review the board packet leading up to meetings. This will eliminate the need for paper board packets.



#### RECOGNITIONS & WELCOMES

- The Board recognized and congratulated the Summer 2018 Typing Challenge Winners. Each school had a top typer and Ivy Hill was the top school for the challenge. The Eagles keep the Golden Keyboard another year.
- Congratulations to the newly tenured teachers:

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The District tenured 37 teachers.

"Tenure in District 25 means you are having an incredible impact on our students, bringing passion and dedication to the classroom. We

want you here, teaching our students." - Superintendent Dr. Lori Bein

### REGULAR MEETING

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#### TAKING ACTION

Business Budget Adoption 2018-2019 \*APPROVED\* The public hearing for the budget was held prior to the regular meeting. Stacey Mallek, District 25's Assistant Superintendent of Business/CSBO, re-presented the budget. The budget and other financial documents can be found on our website: www.sd25.org/d25Budget.



#### Department of Student Learning

Assistant Superintendent for Student Learning, Dr. Eric Olson & Assessment Coordinator, Jen Adams gave an: Assessment Update

This presentation covered the Kindergarten Individual Development Survey (KIDS) assessment, The Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers (PARCC), the Illinois Science Assessment (ISA), and the Measures of Academic Progress (MAP) assessment.

"We have a strong curriculum that challenges all of our students. We do not believe in relying on just one data point, but looking at them as a whole to help measure growth." - Dr. Eric Olson on Assessment

KIDS - State percent of readiness: 49%, District 25 percent of readiness: 69%
PARCC Reading - State percent proficiency score: 37%, District 25 percent proficiency: 56%
PARCC Math - State percent proficiency score: 31%, District 25 percent proficiency: 53%
ISA 5th grade - State percent proficiency score: 52.6%, District 25 percent proficiency score: 74.9%
ISA 8th grade - State percent proficiency score: 57.7%, District 25 percent proficiency score: 78.4%

#### Department of Personnel and Planning

Assistant Superintendent for Personnel and Planning, Dr. Jake Chung gave an:

#### Sixth Day Enrollment Update

"Low class sizes further differentiates instruction, gives teachers more time for individual instruction and creates a great culture within the classroom." - Dr. Jake Chung on how enrollment impacts the classroom Quick Enrollment Facts:

Total Enrollment - 5607 students (E.C. - 8th) History - Haven't served over 5600 students since the 1979-80 school year. Increase of - 31 students from the 2017-18 sixth day enrollment Increase of - 375 students since 2010