

Notice of Public Hearing

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the Board of Education of Adlai E. Stevenson High School District 125, in the County of Lake, State of Illinois, that a public hearing will be held. The purpose of this hearing will be to seek input from school personnel, parents, and other community members concerning a modification of 105 ILCS 5/24-2, which states that teachers shall not be required to work on legal school holidays. On the dates listed below the district will either: hold regular school with student attendance; hold a parent-teacher conference; hold a school improvement session; hold a teacher in-service; or conduct a teacher institute. Specifically, the district would like to modify the section to exclude the dates below from this provision:

- Martin Luther King, Jr.'s Birthday
- Abraham Lincoln's Birthday
- Casimir Pulaski Day
- Columbus Day
- Veterans' Day

It would be the intent of Adlai E. Stevenson High School District 125 to treat these days as commemorative holidays, during which time the faculty and administrators of the district would coordinate activities which would instruct students on the accomplishments of Dr. King, President Lincoln, General Pulaski, Christopher Columbus and all veterans of foreign wars. We feel that these types of activities would add an educational perspective to the meaning of these days for our students. If a parent-teacher conference, a teacher in-service or a teacher institute is scheduled on the actual holiday, the activities would be performed either the day before or the day after the holiday.

NOTICE IS FURTHER HEREBY GIVEN that this public hearing will be held at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, February 10, 2014, at the District Administration Building, Adlai E. Stevenson High School District 125, Two Stevenson Dr., Lincolnshire, Illinois.

(Signed) Terry Moons
Secretary
Board of Education