



Stevenson High School Board Bulletin

A monthly message from the Board of Education

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Welcome to our Stevenson High School Board Bulletin, a monthly message from our Board of Education that will include key updates that impact student life at Stevenson. We are very pleased to share several key takeaways from our most recent board meeting below. Thank you for your engagement on these very important issues! We look forward to staying in touch.

Sincerely,
Stevenson High School Board of Education

KEY TAKEAWAYS

Our board meeting agendas often include many items for discussion. While you will always be able to review the agenda, meeting minutes and video recordings of these meetings on [our Board webpage](#), this Board Bulletin provides key takeaways for our Stevenson community.

- 1** Music faculty members from our Fine Arts Division shared their recent successes with using the SEL action framework to build students' sense of belonging, specifically in their music production courses. In these courses, students create original music using professional-grade instruments, recording equipment and music production software. In these classrooms, students also share a collective commitment to celebrate each other's artistic and cultural identities. As a result, students' sense of belonging is consistently measured near 100% year after year.
- 2** The Board also approved a renewal of the Lake County Tech Campus Joint Agreement. The Tech Campus, housed at the College of Lake County, offers students access to additional classes that are difficult to sustain on individual high school campuses due to low enrollment. The joint agreement allows the District to continue to provide instruction for in-demand technical training for postsecondary education or employment in various professions.
- 3** The board voted to award a contract for a new point-of-sale (POS) system to replace our current system that is used in the cafeterias, school store, vending machines and co-curricular events. The system is a turn-key solution that will allow quicker transactions, especially during check-out in our cafeterias and co-curricular events, as well as other convenience factors seen at most retail locations. The system also provides better accounting and reporting functions.