



**White Bear Lake Area Schools
School Board Meeting Highlights
August 28, 2023
Work Session Meeting**

At the August 28, 2023 Work Session of the School Board, the following items were presented and discussed:

1. **Free School Meals Update**. Director of Nutrition Services, Bridget Lehn, provided an overview of information about the meal program set to begin with the 2023-2024 school year, as signed into law and in effect July 1, 2023. The legislation provides the reimbursement for one free breakfast and lunch to students who receive meals through their school's participation in the National School Lunch Program (NSLP) and the School Breakfast Program (SBP).

See the presentation [here](#).

2. **Elementary English Language Arts Curriculum Review Process**. Jennifer Babiash, Director of Teaching and Learning, and Cynthia Mueller, Principal on Special Assignment and District Literacy Specialist Lead, gave an update on the Elementary Literacy and English Language Arts Curriculum Review Process that was conducted over the past two years.

See the presentation [here](#).

3. **Review of Superintendent's Evaluation ***. The School Board reviewed and discussed the evaluation of the superintendent for the 2022-23 school year. This portion of the meeting was closed as permitted by Minnesota statutes.

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