



Board of Education Highlights

An unofficial report of Board proceeding on Monday, August 14 2023



Pledge of Allegiance

Senior Elijah Ortiz led those present in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Superintendent's Report

Mr. Worbes reported that 164 new students enrolled at One Stop Enrollment on July 28. Meet the Teacher Day was a success with most buildings reporting 90% parent/guardian attendance. As of August 14, Altus Public Schools had 3483 students enrolled. Mr. Worbes also shared with the board members the slides discussing state aide, carryover, and funding that he shared with the staff on the first day back. He also reminded the Board Members of the upcoming OSSBA Leadership Conference.

Consent Agenda

The Consent Agenda was approved with one vote. The consent agenda included treasury, budget, activity funds, cafeteria funds and activity funds reports. It also included Out-Of-State Trip request, Career Tech Programs, American Fidelity Agreement, Sanctioned Organizations, and MAPS II reports.

Executive Session

Members of the Board and Superintendent Worbes entered into executive session to discuss the on-going evaluation of the Superintendent.

Athletic Camp Insurance

The Board approved the contract with Dobbs and Braddock to provide insurance coverage for athletic camps for the 23-24 school year.

Teacher of the Year Stipends

Teachers of the Year stipends were once again approved.

Adjunct Teachers

The Board approved APS to formally notify the Oklahoma State Department of Education of the Following Adjunct Teacher Requests For the Listed Personnel for the 2023-24 School Year, Who Are Persons With Distinguished Qualifications in Their Field.

ALEXIS GARRISON
SCIENCE AJH

JOHN HENSON
INTERMEDIATE MATH AHS

KYLEE JAMES
INTERMEDIATE MATH AHS

EMILY JONES
*PHYSICS AHS

HANAH MCGURK
PHYSICAL SCIENCE AHS

JAMIE WIDGER or JAMIE BARRETT
THIRD GRADE AES

Library Media Specialist

Altus Public Schools was approved to Request a 3 Year Statutory Waiver 70 O.S. & 3-126 Library Media Specialist/Waive Certification Only - Teacher Attending College/ University to Obtain Library Media Specialist Certification for Rebecca McCasland at Altus Junior High.

Surplus

A list of items was approved as surplus and will be sold at a later date.

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Schedule A

RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE 2023 – 2024 SCHOOL YEAR

Name	Location	Position	Effective Date	Status
Renee Apollonio	Altus Primary School	Teacher	8/3/23	Certified
Jerrica Baker	Altus Junior High School	Teacher	8/3/23	Pending Certification
Anesha McKeown Davis	Rivers Elementary School	Teacher	8/3/23	Pending Certification
Sa'Vana Denton	Altus Early Childhood Center	Teacher	8/3/23	Pending Certification
Alexis Garrison	Altus Junior High School	Teacher	8/3/23	Pending Certification
Hannah McGurk	Altus High School	Teacher	8/3/23	Pending Certification
Mikayla Reuter	Altus High School	Teacher	8/3/23	Certified
Tammy Richeson	Altus Elementary School	Part-time Title 1 Teacher	8/15/23	Certified
Misty Sanders	Altus Elementary School	Teacher	8/3/23	Certified
Wren Armstrong	Altus Junior High School	7-hr Cook	8/21/23	Support
Lacey Bingham	Altus Primary School	Teacher's Aide	8/4/23	Support
Krystal Case	Altus Intermediate School	7-hr Cook	8/8/23	Support
Yolanda Dillinger	Altus Elementary School	EL Teacher Assistant	8/3/23	Support
Abby Espinosa	Altus Primary School	Special Ed. Para	8/4/23	Support
Shianne Evans	Altus Early Childhood Center	Teacher's Aide	8/15/23	Support
Adrianna Frias	Altus High School	Custodian	8/16/23	Support
Melissa Grady	Altus Elementary School	Teacher's Aide	8/3/23	Support
Tammy King	Altus High School	Special Ed. Para.	8/3/23	Support
Faith Lake	Altus Intermediate School	4-hr Part-time Cook	8/3/23	Support
Rebecca Large	Altus Intermediate School	Custodian	8/3/23	Support
Mayra Lopez Marrero	Altus Elementary School	7-hr Cook	8/7/23	Support
DeeAnn Pierce	Altus Primary School	Long-term Special Ed Sub	8/11/23	Support
Kristie Renfro	Altus Early Childhood Center	Special Ed. Para.	8/9/23	Support
Elizabeth Torres Diez	Altus Junior High School	7-hr Cook	8/11/23	Support

*Start date for Daquanasha Jasper was approved for July 24, 2023, but she started July 27, 2023.

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RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE 2023 – 2024 SCHOOL YEAR REASSIGNMENTS WITH CHANGE IN SALARY			
Name	From	To	Effective Date
Diane Chowning	3 day 504 Edplan Pre K-12 Coordinator @ District	5 day 504 Edplan Pre K-12 Coordinator @ District	8/3/23
Janet Espinoza	4-hr Cook @ Altus Intermediate School	Special Ed. Paraprofessional @ Altus Early Childhood Center	8/3/23
Jamie Johnson	Teachers Aide @Altus Primary School	Special Ed. Paraprofessional @ Altus Primary School	8/3/23
Deb Powell	3-day Teacher Aide @ Altus Intermediate School	4-day Special Ed. Paraprofessional @ Altus Intermediate School	8/3/23

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RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE 2023 - 2024 SCHOOL YEAR - RETIREMENTS

Name	Location	Position	Effective Date	Status

RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE 2023 - 2024 SCHOOL YEAR - RESIGNATIONS

Name	Location	Position	Effective Date	Status
Kelli Mahanay	Altus Elementary School	Special Ed. Teacher	7/11/23	Certified
Eric Cenicerros	Altus Junior High School	Custodian	7/27/23	Support
Tanya Croft	Altus Intermediate School	Special Ed. Para	8/8/23	Support
Miracle Dominguez	Altus Elementary School	Cook	7/31/23	Support
Shielah Dominguez	Altus Elementary School	Teacher's Aide	7/22/23	Support
Gabriella Garcia	Altus Junior High School	Cook	8/9/23	Support
Kenna Keys	Rivers Elementary School	Cook	8/10/23	Support
Matthew Meadows	Altus High School	Custodian	7/11/23	Support
Evangelina Ornelas	Altus Intermediate School	Cook	5/19/23	Support
Kaela Taylor	Rivers Elementary School	Cook	7/11/23	Support

Inadvertently typed Dennis Cardell's end date as August 1, 2023 on the June 12, 2023 board meeting, and it should have been July 31, 2023.

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