

September 21, 2023

The Clark-Shawnee Local Board of Education met in a regular session on September 23, 2023, at Clark-Shawnee Local Administrative Office Building at 3680 Selma Road, Springfield, Ohio, 45502, The meeting was called to order at 6:30 p.m. by President DeHart.

Those answering the roll by Mr. Faulkner:

Mr. Galbreath
Mrs. Garrett
Mrs. Pierce
Dr. Page
Mr. DeHart

Also present: Mr. Brian Kuhn, Superintendent
Mr. Brian Masser, Asst. Superintendent

All stood and recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

ACCEPTANCE OF THE AGENDA (2023-1387)

Mr. Galbreath moved to accept the agenda and addendum and added a Mental Health of Students discussion.

Dr. Page Seconded the motion.

Ayes: Garrett, Pierce, Page, DeHart, Galbreath.
The President declared the motion carried.

REQUESTS AND CONCERNS OF THE GENERAL PUBLIC

Christopher Clark	Asked the Board to support his upcoming campaign for Sheriff
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Mr. Brian Masser presented the 2022-2023 State Report Card results, Exhibit A.

Mr. Brian Masser provided a Harassment, Intimidation, and Bullying Report from the second semester of the 2022-2023 school year, Exhibit B.

ACCEPTANCE OF CONSENT CALENDAR – FINANCIAL (2023 - 1388)

Mrs. Garrett moved to approve the following:

- A. Signing of the Minutes of the Previous Meeting**
- B. Treasurer’s Report and Condition of the Funds**
- C. Monthly Bills and Allowance of those that are in order**
- D. Adopt Permanent Appropriations at the Fund Level**
- E. Permission to raise the mileage rate from \$0.625 to \$0.655 (IRS Reimbursement Rate) effective 10/01/2023.**
- F. Acceptance of Donations**

Acceptance of a donation from Roetzel & Andress in the amount of \$1,175.00 for the purpose of staff appreciation and for the donation to be deposited into the 022-9005 fund.

Acceptance of a donation from American Fidelity in the amount of \$500.00 for the purpose of staff appreciation and for the donation to be deposited into the 022-9005 fund.

Acceptance of a donation from district employees in the amount of \$433.00 for the purpose of benevolence to the Northwestern Local School District and for the donation to be deposited into the 022-9009 fund.

To approved Mr. Tom Faulkner’s, Treasurer, request for permission to establish Fund 003-9024 for the purpose of baseball field upgrades and to accept a donation of \$22,000.00 for the same.

G. 2023-2024 School Fee Approval

Elementary (K-6)
Band Fee—\$10.00

Mr. Galbreath Seconded the motion.

Ayes: Pierce, Page, DeHart, Garrett, Galbreath.

ACCEPTANCE OF CONSENT CALENDAR – PERSONNEL (2023-1389)

Mrs. Pierce moved to approve the following:

Resignations

Support Staff

To accept Mrs. Peggy Bowers, Preschool Bus Driver, letter of resignation from Preschool Bus Driver position effective September 7, 2023.

To accept Ms. Karla Cottenmyre, aide, letter of resignation effective at the end of the end of the 2022-2023 contract year.

To accept Mrs. Terra Howard, Bus Driver, letter of resignation effective September 15, 2023.

To accept Ms. Chasey Grubbs, Bus Driver, letter of resignation effective September 22, 2023.

To accept Mrs. Jeanne Ryder, Custodian, letter of resignation effective September 11, 2023.

To accept Mrs. Deborah Wertz, Aide, letter of resignation effective September 18, 2023.

Employment

Support Staff

To employ Mrs. Karen Clinger as Custodian for the 2023-2024 school year, effective September 11, 2023. [Current Assignment: Shawnee HS/MS]

To employ Mrs. Karla Cottenmyre as Aide Specialized Assignment for the 2023-2024 school year [Current Assignment: Shawnee ES].

To employ Ms. Chasey Grubbs as Aide for the 2023-2024 school year, effective September 25, 2023 [Current Assignment: Shawnee ES].

To employ Mrs. Jeane Ryder as Cook for the 2023-2024 school year, effective September 12, 2023. [Current Assignment: Shawnee MS/HS].

To employ Ms. Jaime Jackson as Bus Driver for the 2023-2024 school year, effective September 25, 2023.

To employ Ms. Kelly Gragg as Bus Driver for the 2023-2024 school year, effective September 18, 2023.

To employ Ms. Kirsten Whitt as ILP Aide for the 2023-2024 school year, effective September 11, 2023. [Current Assignment: Shawnee HS/MS]

To employ Ms. Hayley Zawada as Aide for the 2023-2024 school year, effective September 18, 2023 [Current Assignment: Risen Christ].

Certified

To employ Miss Nyah Pierce as a Teacher for the 2023-2024 school year, effective August 27, 2023. [Current Assignment: Shawnee Middle School].

Additional Duty - Certified

To employ Mrs. Sherry Akers as Detention Monitor for the 2023-2024 school year.

To employ Mrs. Cynthia Barnes as Flag Corp Advisor for the 2023-2024 school year.

To employ Mr. William Henderson as Freshman Co-Facilitator for the 2023-2024 school year.

To employ Mr. Devin Spitzer as Department Head for the 2023-2024 school year.

To employ Mrs. Beth Szekacs as Mentor for the 2023-2024 school year.

Additional Duty - Support Staff

To employ Ms. Becky Barger as Preschool Bus Driver for the 2023-2024 school year, effective September 18, 2023.

To employ Ms. Gina Beckel as Preschool Bus Driver for the 2023-2024 school year.

To employ Ms. Peggy Bowers as Preschool Bus Driver for the 2023-2024 school year.

To employ Mrs. Lindsey Estridge as Preschool Bus Driver for the 2023-2024 school year effective September 7, 2023.

To employ Ms. Terra Howard as Preschool Bus Driver for the 2023-2024 school year.

To employ Ms. Drema Jones as Preschool Bus Aide for the 2023-2024 school year.

To employ Ms. Kara Lucas as Volleyball, High School Assistant Coach, for the 2023-2024 school year.

To employ Mrs. Jan Lyons as Preschool Bus Driver for the 2023-2024 school year.

Substitutes—Long-Term Substitute Teachers

To employ Ms. Katelynn Garber as a long-term substitute teacher for the 2023-2024 school year.

To employ Mr. Darren Kaiser as a Substitute Custodian for the 2023-2024 school year.

To employ Ms. Cassidy Lemon as a long-term substitute teacher for the 2023-2024 school year.

Support Staff Substitutes

To employ Mrs. Virginia Coffman as Support Staff Substitute for the 2023-2024 school year.

To employ Ms. Elizabeth Coffman as Support Staff Substitute for the 2023-2024 school year.

To employ Ms. Chasey Grubbs as Substitute Bus Driver for the 2023-2024 school year.

To employ Ms. Terra Howard as Substitute Bus Driver for the 2023-2024 school year.

To employ Ms. Mallory Krouse as Support Staff Substitute for the 2023-2024 school year.

To employ Ms. Emily Kuhn as Support Staff Substitute for the 2023-2024 school year.

To employ Ms. Stephanie Lykins as Support Staff Substitute for the 2023-2024 school year.

To employ Ms. Lisa Massie as Support Staff Substitute for the 2023-2024 school year.

To employ Mrs. Krista Mattern as Support Staff Substitute for the 2023-2024 school year.

To employ Ms. Nicole Newman as Support Staff Substitute for the 2023-2024 school year.

To employ Ms. Linda Wilson as Support Staff Substitute for the 2023-2024 school year.

Volunteers

To approve Ms. Haley Silvers as Building Volunteer for the 2023-2024 school year.

To approve Miss Holly Campbell as Marching Band Volunteer for the 2023-2024 school year.

To approve Mr. Alexander Wheaton as Marching Band Volunteer for the 2023-2024 school year.

To approve Miss Mia Volbert as Marching Band Volunteer for the 2023-2024 school year.

Contract Amendment

To amend the contract of Mrs. Zsuzsanna Przyzycki to 0.82 of a FTE on the teacher's salary schedule.

Non-Paid Leave Request

To approve Mrs. Liberty Choiniere, Aide, request for non-paid leave from September 11, 18, and 19, 2023.

To approve Miss Katelyn Reeder, Aide, request for non-paid leave from September 13-15, 2023.

Rescind Employment–Certified Additional Duty

To rescind the employment of Mr. Darren Kaier as Freshmen Co-Facilitator for the 2023-2024 school year as approved during the August 15, 2023 regular board meeting.

Dr. Page seconded the motion.

Ayes: Page, DeHart, Galbreath, Garrett, Pierce.

ACCEPTANCE OF CONSENT CALENDAR – MISCELLANEOUS (2023-1390)

Mr. Galbreath moved to approve the following:

Designation of Public Records Officer

To designate Mr. Tom Faulkner, Treasurer, as the Board's Designee to receive the required training related to public records.

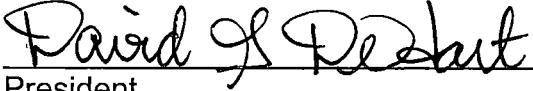
Mrs. Garrett seconded the motion.

Ayes: Galbreath, Garrett, Pierce, Page, DeHart.

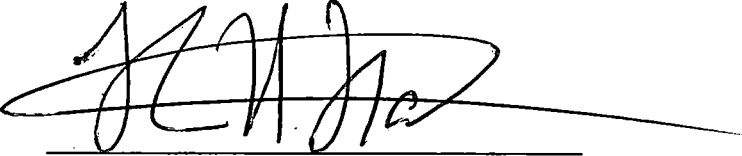
Mr. Ben Galbreath presented information regarding the Mental Health of Students.

ADJOURNMENT

Mrs. Garrett moved to adjourn the meeting at 9:04 p.m.
Mrs. Pierce Seconded the motion.
Ayes: Garrett, Pierce, Page, DeHart, Galbreath.



President



Treasurer

2022-2023 State Report Card

**Clark-Shawnee Local School District
Presentation to the Board of Education
September 21, 2023**



Exceeds state standards

Overall Rating

Districts and schools receive an overall rating of 1 to 5 stars in half-star increments. The overall rating is comprised of five rated components. The College, Career, Workforce and Military Readiness Component is report only and does not contribute to the overall rating on the 2023 Ohio School Report Cards.

Achievement

This component represents whether student performance on state tests met established thresholds and how well students performed on tests overall.

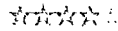


Meets state standards in academic achievement.

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Progress

This component looks closely at the growth all students are making based on their past performances.

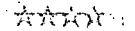


Significant evidence that the district exceeded student growth expectations.

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Gap Closing

The Gap Closing Component is a measure of the reduction in educational gaps for student subgroups.



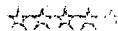
Exceeds state standards in closing educational gaps

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[Gifted Data](#)

Graduation

The Graduation Component is a measure of the four-year adjusted cohort graduation rate and the five-year adjusted cohort graduation rate.



Exceeds state standards in graduation rates

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Early Literacy

The Early Literacy Component is a measure of reading improvement and proficiency for students in kindergarten through third grade.



Meets state standards in early literacy (K-3).

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College, Career, Workforce and Military Readiness

This component looks at how well-prepared Ohio's students are for future opportunities, whether training in a technical field or preparing for work or college.

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Clark and Champaign Counties' Hometown News

How did your school do? See grades from new K-12 state report card for Clark, Champaign districts



[Caption](#)

Clark County's top ratings were 4 stars for Clark-Shawnee, Greenon and Southeastern.

NEWS

By Brooke Spurlock

Sept 15, 2023

Credit: B.J. Larkov



Clark-Shawnee earns one of highest Ohio School Report Card ratings in area



"The ratings are reflective of the work we have done as a district," said Clark-Shawnee Superintendent Brian Kuhn. "Our report card says that Clark-Shawnee exceeds state standards, and we aim to continue to increase student achievement."



Credit: Bill Lackey

NEWS

By Brooke Spurlock



Achievement - 3 Stars

Performance Index (PI)

- Measures levels of achievement, awarding larger weights for scores at higher levels

3 stars

- County Average = 3 stars
- State Average = 3.5 stars

Progress - 4 Stars

Value-Added

- Measures the degree to which students achieved expected growth

4 stars (top 17% in Ohio)

- County Average = 3 stars
- State Average = 3 stars

Gap Closing - 4 Stars

Measures how well student subgroups perform - both achievement and progress - relative to expectations established by the state

- Gifted, ELL, Hispanic, Black, White, Multiracial, Economically Disadvantaged, Students with Disabilities

4 stars

- County Average = 3.5 stars
- State Average = 4

Graduation - 4 Stars

Measures the percentage of students who graduate within four years and the percentage who graduate within five years.

4 stars

- County Average = 3.5 stars
- State Average = 4 stars

Early Literacy - 3 Stars

Measures reading improvement and proficiency in grades K - 3.

3 stars

- County Average = 3 stars
- State Average = 3 stars

College, Career, Workforce and Military Readiness - Not Rated

Will not be rated until the 2024-2025 school year (at the earliest)

Report card takeaway: Ohio still behind in math, literacy from pre-pandemic levels



LOCAL NEWS

By Eileen McClory

Improving Academic Performance Across All Student Groups

Ohio's spring 2022 assessment results indicate increased proficiency on Ohio's State Tests in English language arts and math across all student subgroups. This improvement shows how schools are providing high-quality supports and interventions to accelerate student learning.

Demographic Group	English Language Arts			Mathematics				
	2018-19	2020-21	2021-22	2018-19	2020-21	2021-22		
All Students	64.6%	57.0%	59.5%	△	61.0%	48.2%	50.5%	△
Economically Disadvantaged	49.5%	39.5%	43.0%	△	45.5%	30.0%	32.6%	△
Students with Disabilities	28.9%	20.3%	20.9%	△	28.2%	17.0%	17.4%	△
English Learners	43.7%	35.3%	35.9%	△	45.7%	31.1%	31.4%	△
White, Non-Hispanic	71.7%	64.9%	67.6%	△	68.9%	56.9%	59.8%	△
Black, Non-Hispanic	39.3%	28.9%	33.2%	△	32.5%	17.1%	20.4%	△
Hispanic	51.2%	42.0%	45.1%	△	47.9%	32.6%	35.4%	△
Multiracial	59.6%	50.4%	54.6%	△	54.6%	38.9%	42.8%	△
Asian or Pacific Islander	76.8%	71.9%	73.7%	△	78.7%	68.7%	71.4%	△
Alaskan Native or American Indian	60.0%	50.2%	51.8%	△	54.0%	39.4%	40.8%	△



English test scores in Ohio back to pre-pandemic levels; but math isn't yet, report says

Ohio State report found more achievement among white, Asian suburban students.

Report card takeaway: Ohio still behind in math, literacy from pre-pandemic levels



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By Eileen McClory



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▶▶ All Student Groups Improved in Math and English Language Arts

Ohio's spring 2023 assessment results build on last year's improvement with increased proficiency in English language arts and math across all groups of students.

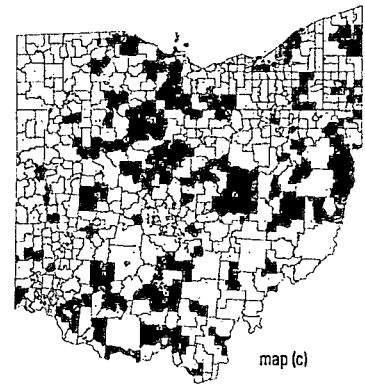
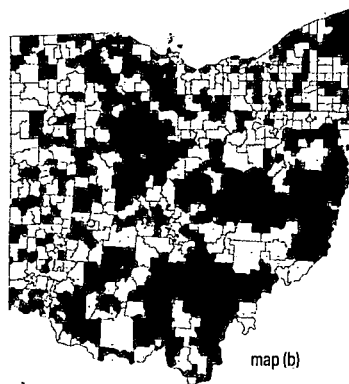
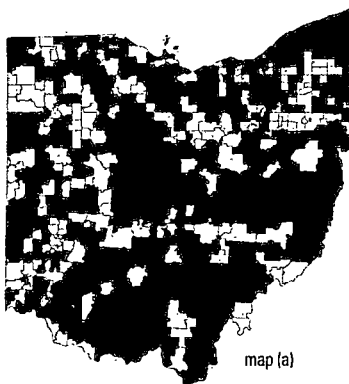
Economically Disadvantaged students and English Learners showed the greatest increase in performance. However, it is important to note these subgroups, as well as Black students, Hispanic students, and Students with Disabilities, continue to have the lowest achievement levels. Although performance is increasing, achievement disparities among subgroups remain similar to or slightly wider than pre-pandemic gaps.

Statewide Proficiency by Demographic Group and Year					
Demographic Group	Subject	2018-2019	2021-2022	2022-2023	
All Students	English Language Arts	64.6%	59.5%	60.9%	△ +1.4
	Mathematics	61.0%	50.5%	53.0%	△ +2.5
Economically Disadvantaged	English Language Arts	49.5%	43.0%	44.8%	△ +1.8
	Mathematics	45.5%	32.6%	35.7%	△ +3.1
Students with Disabilities	English Language Arts	28.9%	20.9%	21.9%	△ +1.0
	Mathematics	28.2%	17.4%	19.2%	△ +1.8
English Learners	English Language Arts	43.7%	35.9%	38.4%	△ +2.5
	Mathematics	45.7%	31.4%	35.9%	△ +4.5
White, Non-Hispanic	English Language Arts	71.7%	67.6%	69.2%	△ +1.6
	Mathematics	68.9%	59.8%	62.6%	△ +2.8
Black, Non-Hispanic	English Language Arts	39.3%	33.2%	35.2%	△ +2.0
	Mathematics	32.5%	20.4%	23.0%	△ +2.6
Hispanic	English Language Arts	51.2%	45.1%	45.8%	△ +0.7
	Mathematics	47.9%	35.4%	37.9%	△ +2.5
Multiracial	English Language Arts	59.6%	54.6%	55.8%	△ +1.2
	Mathematics	54.6%	42.8%	45.4%	△ +2.6
Asian or Pacific Islander	English Language Arts	76.8%	73.7%	73.8%	△ +0.1
	Mathematics	78.7%	71.4%	72.2%	△ +0.8
Alaskan Native or American Indian	English Language Arts	60.0%	51.8%	52.9%	△ +1.1
	Mathematics	54.0%	40.8%	42.7%	△ +1.9

▶▶ Statewide Performance Index Climbing

The Performance Index captures all levels of student performance on state assessments. More than 85% of districts improved their Performance Index scores, with nearly 25% of districts making substantial Performance Index improvements of more than three points.

Performance Index			
2018-2019	2020-2021	2021-2022	2022-2023
84.7	72.5	79.3	80.9



Performance Index: These maps show the districts with a Performance Index increase of at least (a) one, (b) two and (c) three or more points from 2021-2022 to 2022-2023.

Overall - County Comparisons



Clark-Shawnee	1st
Greenon	2 nd
Northwestern	3 rd
Southeastern	4 th
Tecumseh	5 th
Northeastern	6 th
GISA	7 th
Springfield	8 th

Your District's Teachers

Attendance Rate

94.5%

Average Salary

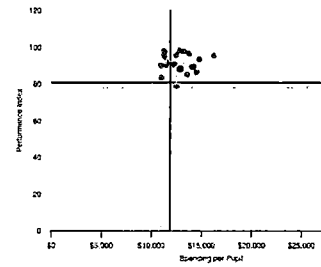
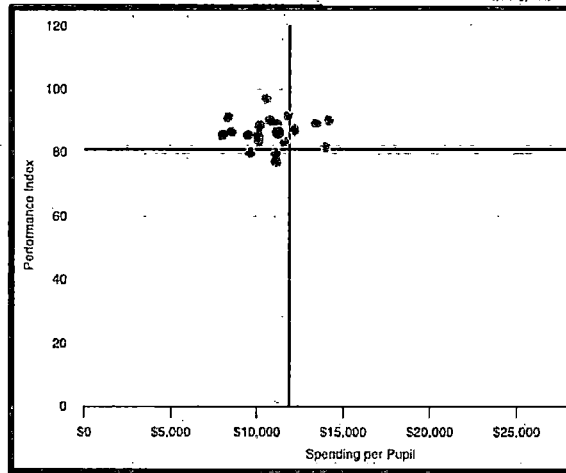
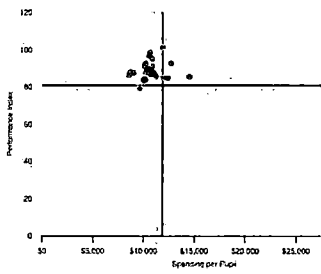
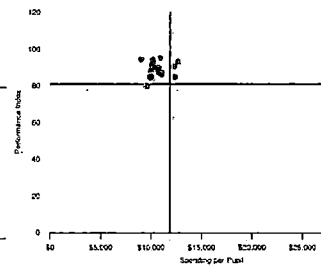
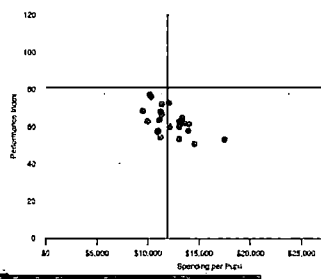
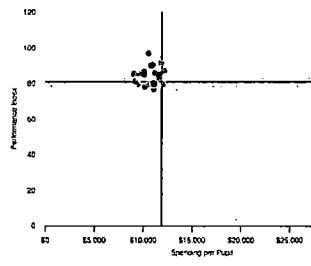
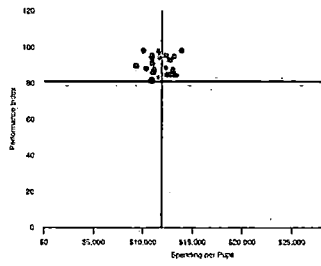
\$69,112

Avg. Years of Experience

17

Lead or Senior Teachers

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**Harassment, Intimidation, and Bullying Report
Second Semester / 2022-2023**

Shawnee Elementary School

- 8 reports
- 5 reports substantiated

Shawnee Middle / High School

- 9 reports
- 3 reports substantiated