

Board of Education

Mesa County Valley School District 51

Board Business Meeting Minutes

January 21, 2020

Board Business Meeting Minutes

A - Doug Levinson B - Paul Pitton C - John Williams D - Tom Parrish E - Amy Davis						Board of Education Mesa County Valley School District 51 Business Meeting Minutes: January 21, 2020 Adopted: February 18, 2020	
	A	B	C	D	E		
						AGENDA ITEMS	ACTION
Present	x	x	x		x	BUSINESS MEETING	6:01 p.m.
Absent				x		A. CALL TO ORDER/PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE/ROLL CALL	
						➤ Mr. Pitton welcomed attendees to the January Business Meeting and gave instructions for meeting participants to address the Board, <i>under Item G, Audience Comments</i> .	
						➤ Mr. Parrish was excused absent.	
Motion	x					B. AGENDA APPROVAL	Adopted
Second			x				
Aye	x	x	x		x		
No							
Motion	x					C. MEETING MINUTES AND SUMMARY APPROVAL	Adopted
Second				x	x	C-1. December 2, 2019, Organizational Meeting	
Aye	x	x	x		x	C-2. December 10, 2019, Board Work Session	
No							
						D. RECOGNITIONS	
						D-1. Recognition for Second Place 5A State Spirit Championship, Fruita Monument High School Poms Team [Resolution 19/20: 46]	
						➤ Dr. Davis requested Coach Kerri Bensley and the Fruita Monument High School Poms Team come to the front of the room. The team recently competed at the State 5A Spirit Championships in Denver and won second place, earning them the right to compete nationally. The Spirit National Competition will take place in Orlando, Florida in February. Coach Bensley has been coaching the team for eight years and it has always been her goal to make it to the finals in the state competition. This year the team exceeded that goal.	
						➤ Superintendent Sirko and the Board congratulated Coach Bensley and the members of the team for their accomplishments and wished them the best of luck at the Spirit National Competition.	
						D-2. Recognition for "Willie White Ethics Award", Coach Ray McLennan, Fruita Monument High School [Resolution 19/20: 40]	
						➤ Mr. Levinson requested Mr. Ray McLennan step to the front of the room. Mr. McLennan has been a teacher with the District for thirty-one years and a coach for the past thirteen years. Mr. McLennan's impressive athletic career and commitment to his athletes was highlighted by his selection from the Colorado Dugout Club Coaches Association to receive the Willie White Ethics Award. The award represents standards exemplified by Willie White, a record-setting major league pitcher. The award recognizes individuals who demonstrate honesty, integrity, teaching life lessons on and off the field. Coach McLennan is the first coach outside of the Denver metro area to win the award. Mr. Levinson, who umpires games around the region, personally acknowledge Mr. McLennan's professionalism and the work he does assisting his other coaches.	

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						<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Superintendent Sirko and the Board congratulated Mr. McLennon and thanked him for his commitment and dedication to students and athletes. <p>D-3. Recognition for Colorado Agriculture Teacher of the Year, Ms. Cindy Pearson, Loma Elementary [Resolution 19/20: 41]</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Mr. Pitton asked Ms. Cindy Pearson to step forward. Ms. Pearson, a teacher at Loma Elementary School, was recently named Colorado Agriculture Teacher of the Year by the Colorado Foundation for Agriculture. Teachers nominated for this recognition are scored, by a committee, on creativity and utilization of agricultural information, interdisciplinary approaches, student impact and overall impact/longevity of the program. In her twelve years of teaching, Ms. Pearson has taught agriculture through reading, writing, science, social studies and art. ➤ Superintendent Sirko and the Board congratulated Ms. Pearson and thanked her for her dedication to her students. <p>E. BOARD REPORTS/COMMUNICATIONS/REQUESTS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Mr. Williams and Mr. Pitton commented on improvements to the cafeteria and common areas at Fruita Monument High School, and how students are utilizing those areas. ➤ Mr. Pitton reminded everyone of the Science, Technology, Math and Engineering (STEM) classes at Central High School and the International Baccalaureate Program at Palisade High School. He also wanted to highlight the advanced business classes offered at Grand Junction High School. He stated some of the top business students in the state are a result of the business classes at Grand Junction High School. <p>F. LEGISLATIVE REPORT</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Mr. Pitton touched on two bills currently being presented at the state capital. House Bill 1032 would spread out the time requirement for the state to review curriculum to assure the standards align with the curriculum. Another bill centers around teacher salaries but the bill does not give clarification as to where the funding would come from. <p>G. AUDIENCE COMMENTS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Mr. Bruce Lohmiller, 3032 N. 15 Street #1204, Grand Junction, CO Mr. Lohmiller expressed the need for professional journalist and the press core to be ethical and pursue the truth. He stated his minister related documentations from today with scripture written over 2000 years ago. Mr. Lohmiller noted a reporter at Fox News, Major Garrett, and a lady at his church have both completed reports on comprehensive sex education. He reminded everyone of the 241-STOP number to call and noted statistics from the 241-STOP system are private and not available to the public. ➤ Mr. Dennis Simpson, Grand Junction, CO Mr. Simpson requested to postpone commenting until after agenda items H-1. In addition, Mr. Simpson addressed the Board following the conclusion of the Superintendent's Report. Mr. Simpson requested the Board be fully 	

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Motion Second Aye No						transparent regarding the amount of funds received by the District, including anticipated funds, and how those funds will be spent. He would like all financial information reported to the public. He realizes there is a need to replace or renovate Grand Junction High School, but he would like to see all options considered and have all options presented to the public, including an option for two smaller high schools instead of one large high school. He noted there is a difference between the building and capital projects funds and general funds. He feels the public needs to be informed before the budget is adopted or readopted and the Board should listen to outside entities and not just District staff. He would like the Board to have tighter controls over spending.	
	x	x	x		x	<p>H. SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT</p> <p>H-1. Funding for Schematic Designs for Grand Junction and Central High Schools and Owner's Rep</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Mr. Eric Nilsen, Director of Maintenance, Mr. Eddie Mort, Assistant Director of Maintenance and Mr. John Potter, Blythe Group, shared information regarding the cost to obtain an owner's representative and a schematic design for a new Grand Junction High School and a schematic design for an addition and renovation at Central High School. Discussion pursued regarding bond funding yet to be allocated and anticipated savings, the time required for the schematic designs and information the designs would provide. The process to obtain the schematic designs would take approximately six months and should provide enough information for an estimator to get within five percent of the cost of the two projects. ➤ Mr. Phil Onofrio, Chief Operations Officer, explained the process of issuing a Request for Proposal to select an architect for the above projects and details of the work the architect and owner's representative will do. ➤ Motion to revise the agenda to add an item J.5.a., J.5.b. and J.5.c. (See below.) <p>H-2. Dual Immersion Application Process</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Superintendent Sirko reported on a request from parents to allow siblings of students in the Dual Immersion Academy Program (DIA) in grades kindergarten through eighth grade be allowed to attend DIA without going through the lottery process. Currently, students with siblings in grades kindergarten through fifth grade are allowed in without having to go through this process. Students in DIA benefit from having siblings in the program, regardless if they are at the same location. ➤ Mr. Jim Butterfield, Principal at Bookcliff Middle School, shared information on how a dual language program could be implemented at other schools. The programs could begin at the kindergarten level and expanded on an annual basis. 	

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						H-3. Quarterly Business/Investment Financials Report, Mrs. Vi Crawford and Mrs. Melanie Trujillo ➤ Mrs. Melanie Trujillo, Assistant Financial Director, introduced Mr. Clarence Hamilton, a student intern. Mr. Hamilton highlighted several items on the second quarter financials, and noted expenditures currently outpace revenues due to the timing of property tax payments, which are paid in the spring. H-4. Readopted Budget Presentation, Mrs. Vi Crawford and Mrs. Melanie Trujillo ➤ Mrs. Trujillo reported on the readopted budget. Budget re-adoption is necessary to adjust the budgeted beginning fund balance, to update revenues based on the actual October student count and to update expenditures to account for changes since the initial adoption. She reviewed revenue and expenditure adjustments. H-5. Expulsion Report ➤ Reviewed H-6. Communication/District Initiatives ➤ Reviewed	
Motion Second Aye No	x x	x	x x		x	I. CONSENT AGENDA I-1. Personnel Actions [Resolution: 19/20: 45] I-2. Gifts [Resolution: 19/20: 44] I-3. Curriculum Adoption for Elementary Math [Resolution: 19/20: 54] [Recess 7:50 p.m. Resume Meeting 8:07 p.m.]	Adopted
Motion Second Aye No	x	x	x		x x	J. BUSINESS ITEMS J-1. Resolution for 2019-2020 Readopt Budget J-1.a. 2019-2020 Budget Re-Adoption [Resolution 19/20: 50] J-1.b. Use of Beginning Fund Balance [Resolution 19/20: 51] J-1.c. Borrow Unencumbered Money from Other District Funds [Resolution 19/20: 52] J-2. Calendar Adoption J-2.a. 2020-2021 Draft Calendar F J-2.b. 2020-2021 Draft Calendar G ➤ Mrs. Jennifer Marsh, Executive Director of Curriculum and Learning, and Mr. Jim Butterfield, Bookcliff Middle School Principal, were present to explain the differences in the calendar drafts. Mrs. Marsh noted the committee worked to honor the Boards request to avoid adding any additional broken weeks and to balance the quarters. Draft calendar F matched the number of broken weeks in this year's calendar and draft calendar G, added one more broken week. For teachers, it is important to have data review cycles every six to nine weeks and to have in-service days following the workdays.	Adopted

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Motion Second Aye No	x x x	x	x		x	J-3. Resolution to Purchase Warehouse [Resolution 19/20: 53] ➤ Mr. Eddie Mort, Assistant Maintenance Director, shared information on a 6,000 square foot warehouse, which is for sale, adjoining the Administration Service Center compound. The District is currently renting warehouse space for the curriculum department to store textbooks and supplemental materials. If purchased this warehouse could serve the needs of the curriculum department and possibly be used to store items now being stored in a Quonset hut, which is needing to be replaced. ➤ Mrs. Melissa Turner, Director of Curriculum, spoke on the need for the curriculum department to maintain the same amount of space, 6,000 square feet, as currently being provided in the rental warehouse.	Adopted
						J-4. Policy Revision First Reading J-4.a. BEDA, Notification of School Board Meetings J-4.b. BEC, Executive Session/Open Meetings J-4.c. KDB, Public's Right to Know / Freedom of Information	No Action
Motion Second Aye No	x x x	x	x	x x		J-5. Verbal Resolution To: J-5.a. Hire an Owner's Representative J-5.b. Issue a Request for Proposals for an Architect to Develop a Schematic Design for a New Grand Junction High School J-5.c. Issue a Request for Proposal for an Architect to Develop a Schematic Design for an Addition and Renovation of Central High School	Adopted
						K. BOARD OPEN DISCUSSION ➤ Mr. Levinson requested a presentation to update the Board on spending of mill levy funds. ➤ Mr. Pitton would like to hold some Board coffees to give the public and staff members an opportunity to discuss issues.	
						L. FUTURE MEETINGS ➤ Mr. Pitton reviewed the events listed on the agenda and stated there would be a Special Work Session held at 6:00 p.m. on Monday, January 27, 2020.	
						M. EXECUTIVE SESSION ➤ None at this time	
Motion Second Aye No	x x x	x	x x		x	N. ADJOURNMENT <div style="text-align: right;"> _____ Bridget Story, Secretary Board of Education </div>	9:12 p.m.

The Board would like to invite Kerri Bensley and the Fruita Monument Poms Team to the front.

Coach Kerri Bensley has been with the Poms Team at Fruita Monument for eight years, starting when her daughters were on the team. Her goal since day one has been to make it to finals at the state level.

This year, the FMHS Poms Team practiced four days a week from June through February, along with weekly acro-technique classes, and performed their routines at basketball and football games throughout the fall. Their hard work culminated in December when the team traveled to the Spirit Championships in Denver.

The team's goal was to make the top six in the finals and, after competing against 25 other teams in the hip-hop category, found out that they were in second place after the preliminary performances. The team stayed focused and confident, and kept their second place finish after the finals round.

Their performance also qualified them for Nationals, which will take place in Orlando in February, where they will compete in both hip-hop and poms.

The Board of Education and Superintendent Sirko are proud to recognize Ms. Bensley and the FMHS Poms Team for all their hard work that earned them their second place finish, and are excited to see the team represent District 51 and the Grand Valley at Nationals next month. Congratulations!

Coach: Kerri Bensley

Brooklyn Belnap

Kiara Bonilla

Kindal Ferrans

Justine Gonzales

Evin Hall

Allix Harris

Brooklyn Hollingshead

Jenna Kastrup

Mya Kelley

Alise Knight

Hadley Knight

Abby Ligon

Hayden Murray

Chloe Noga

Paige Simonson

Chloe Williams

The Board would like to invite Mr. Ray McLennan to the front.

The Board of Education and Superintendent Sirko are proud to recognize Mr. Ray McLennan this evening. Mr. McLennan has been a teacher and coach in District 51 for 31 years. He has been the head baseball coach at Fruita Monument High School for 13 years with a win-loss record of 146-89, and has won the Southwestern League title for the last five years.

Along with his time as baseball coach, he has also been an assistant coach for football and officiated basketball for several years.

His impressive athletic career and commitment to students is highlighted by his selection by the Colorado Dugout Club Coaches Association to receive the Willie White Ethics Award. The award is presented to a coach that represents the standards exemplified by Willie White, a record-setting major league pitcher. The award recognizes individuals who demonstrate honesty, integrity, teaching life lessons on and off the field, and leading youth athletes to develop strong character. Coach McLennan is the first coach outside the Denver metro area to win the award.

The Board of Education and Superintendent Sirko are proud to recognize Coach McLennan, and are thrilled that he is being recognized at the state level for his commitment to students and athletics. Congratulations.

The Board would like to invite Ms. Cindy Pearson to the front of the room.

The Board of Education and Superintendent Sirko are proud to recognize Ms. Pearson for recently being named the Colorado Agriculture Teacher of the Year by the Colorado Foundation for Agriculture. The award recognizes teachers who demonstrate outstanding agriculture in the classroom by incorporating agriculture into several aspects of classroom learning.

To qualify for this award, nominees are scored by a committee on creativity and utilization of agricultural information, interdisciplinary approaches, student impact, and overall impact/longevity of the program.

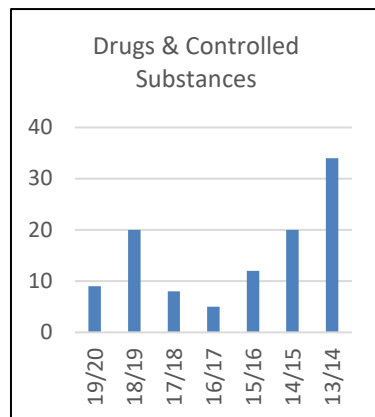
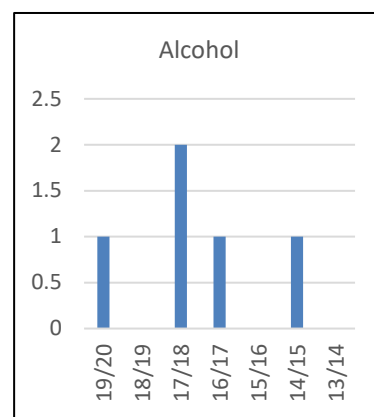
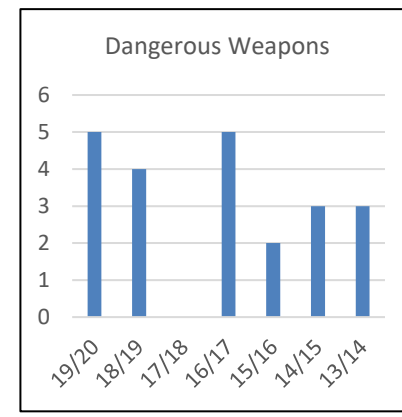
As a fifth-generation farm girl from Southern Utah, Ms. Pearson is uniquely qualified to teach all aspects of agriculture to her students. In her twelve years at Loma Elementary School, she has taught agriculture through reading, writing, science, social studies, and even art. One example is when students created a farm mural with watercolors. Each student was given a part of the mural to draw and paint, which were then combined to create a large mural for the school art show.

Ms. Pearson recognizes the importance of understanding agriculture and where our food comes from, which undoubtedly set her apart to earn this award. The Board of Education and Superintendent Sirko are proud of everything you do for students, and honored to recognize you for earning this award. Congratulations.

Category	High School				Middle School				Elementary School				Total		Total for previous years as of December 31 of:				
	19/20		18/19		19/20		18/19		19/20		18/19		19/20	18/19	17/18	16/17	15/16	14/15	13/14
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F							
100	6	3	14	3			2	1					9	20	8	5	12	20	34
200	1												1		2	1		1	
300																			
400	2	3	4										5	4	1		1	1	
500	3	1	3		1		1						5	4		5	2	3	3
600																			
700																			
DSP																			
VOO	2		3	2	5	1	3	1					8	9	4	5		5	9
Total	14	7	24	5	6	1	6	2					28	37	15	16	15	30	46

Category Description

100 - drug or controlled substance
 200 - alcohol
 300 - tobacco
 400 - felony assault
 500 - dangerous weapons
 600 - robbery
 700 - other felonies
 DSP - destruction / defacement of school property
 VOO - other violations



Communications Update

December 4, 2019 - January 15, 2020

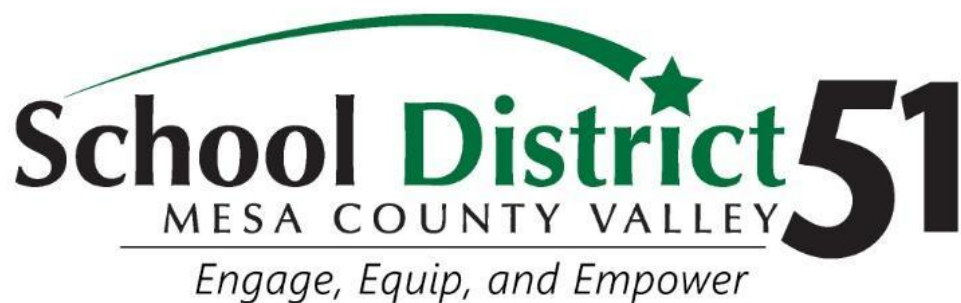
Includes

Earned Media Coverage

Paid Media Coverage

Electronic Direct Communication

Social Media Reports



Media Coverage

The Daily Sentinel

Dec 6, [Illness returns to normal levels in District 51 schools](#)

Dec 12, [Nonprofits bring in \\$39.6 million for Colorado Gives Day](#)

Dec 16, [Robot Expo introduces community to youth robotics](#)

Dec 17, [High school aquaponics club hopes to expand](#)

Dec 29, [Top Ten 2019 Stories, No. 2: Illness closed all District 51 schools](#)

Dec 29, [Top Ten 2019 Stories, No. 3: School bond measure fails](#)

Dec 31, [New schools, comprehensive plan for District 51 in 2020](#)

Jan 7, [This local organization awarded \\$118,000 in grant money](#)

Jan 8, [What's next for Grand Junction High School?](#)

Jan 10, [District 51 unveiled Orchard Mesa Middle School and students, officials had a lot to say](#)

Jan 10, [District 51 working with advocacy groups to protect LGBTQ student rights](#)

Jan 10, [State Safe2Tell numbers show more participation, likewise for Mesa County](#)

Jan 11, [Take a peek at the future of our schools](#)

Jan 12, [Local couple face unexpected heart transplant, receive support through loss in 2019](#)

KREX

Dec 7, [New clinic addresses serious student health issues](#)

Dec 7, [Suspicious incident near Nisley Elementary School, MCSO searching for information](#)

Dec 11, [How school based health centers make a difference](#)

Dec 14, [Palisade HS 'Live Above' club to host ice skating food drive](#)

Dec 15, [D51 Career Center Holiday Bazaar](#)

Dec 18, [Central's Kole Taylor signs with LSU](#)

Dec 19, [Golden Apple Award: Julie Blevens](#)

Dec 20, [D51 construction students help build "Outdoor Wilderness Lab"](#)

Jan 8, [High School Needs](#)

Jan 9, [New Orchard Mesa Middle School building, safer, greener than before](#)

KKCO/KJCT

Dec 5, [Toys collected at Rim Rock Elementary for Harley Toy Run](#)

Dec 5, [Local students have Curling Tournament](#)

Dec 6, [Palisade High School "Winter Concert"](#)

Dec 6, [Active warrant arrest causes brief shelter in place for Bookcliff Middle School](#)

Dec 6, [Mesa County Sheriff's Office investigating suspicious incident](#)

Dec 8, [Reported gas leak at GJHS](#)

Dec 10, [D51 school improvement plans](#)

Dec 10, [D51 recognizes custodial crews](#)

Dec 10, [Hour of Code across District 51](#)

Dec 11, [New OMMS ready for students in January](#)

Dec 11, [CHS students prepare for "Holiday Heroes"](#)

Dec 13, [Orchard Ave gingerbread man hunt](#)

Dec 16, [FMS students video call Broncos player](#)

Dec 16, [Fruita Monument High School's Special Education program receives donation](#)

Dec 17, [Students make POW camp exhibit for Museum of the West](#)

Dec 18, [Dog grooming fundraiser for Graceland animal rescue](#)

Dec 18, [Central's Kole Taylor signs with LSU](#)

Dec 20, [Students help build tents for OWL program](#)

Dec 20, [Local soldier surprises son](#)

Dec 20, [Fruita Monument students put on toy drive for Clifton Elementary](#)

Jan 7, [Board members discuss possible next steps for GJHS](#)

Jan 13, [Improvements made to FMHS](#)

Paid Media

Indoor Billboards

The following ads appeared on indoor billboards owned by Local Focus at various places in the community, including Mesa Mall, Kidsplex, Glacier Ice Arena, Graff Dairy, Bananas Fun Park, etc.



School District 51
MESA COUNTY VALLEY
Engage, Equip, and Empower

**COMMUNITY OPEN HOUSE
AT FRUITA MONUMENT
HIGH SCHOOL**

JAN 22 5:00 - 6:00 P.M.

HIGHLIGHTING THE SCHOOL'S NEW
RENOVATIONS, PAID FOR BY THE 2017
BOND MEASURE, WHICH INCLUDE:
AN EXPANDED CAFETERIA & SEATING

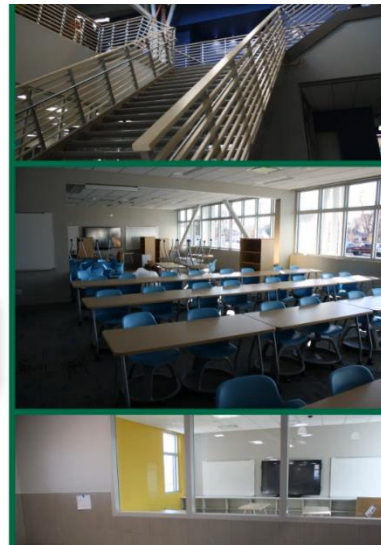


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**ORCHARD MESA MIDDLE
SCHOOL COMMUNITY
OPEN HOUSE**

JAN 15 5:30 - 7:00 P.M.
2736 C ROAD

**SEE THE NEW OMMS
FOR YOURSELF!**



Welcome Home Packages

Each month, 100 Homeowners who move into a new home in the Grand Valley receive a package that includes two branded stickers and pens, a printed infographic with more information about District 51.

TV Ads

KREX does a monthly segment highlighting a teacher who receives the KREX "Golden Apple Award." The channel advertises the award to bring awareness to D51, and to garner nominations. KJCT provides audience targeting to supply relevant information to demographics who may benefit from our information as they browse the web.

Ads with pertinent information will run in the Sunday edition of the Grand Junction Daily Sentinel.

December 8, 2019

December 15, 2019


The 12 Stats of District 51

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Communities served (Clifton, Fruita, Fruitvale, Gateway, Glade Park, Grand Junction, Loma, Mack, Orchard Mesa, Pear Park, Palisade, Redlands).
- 11

Classes graduated so far from the Palisade High International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme.
- 10

D51 schools that have earned the Governor's Distinguished Improvement Award for CMAS growth.
- 09

National AP Scholars at Fruita Monument (must earn a 4 or higher out of 5 on at least 8 Advanced Placement exams).
- 08

Times New Emerson has won the John Irwin Award for CMAS test performance.
- 07

Vocational departments at the D51 Career Center.
- 06

Times Grand Junction High has won the Governor's Cup this decade at the State Knowledge Bowl Championships.
- 05

School Board members who serve on a volunteer basis.
- 04

Consecutive years with a four-year graduation rate above the state average.
- 03

Ways to earn college credit through concurrent enrollment (at CMU, WCCC, and on high school campuses).
- 02

National certifications at Central High, a Nationally Certified STEM Campus and a U.S. Green Ribbon School.
- 01

D51 Learning Model dedicated to helping students take charge of their learning and customize their K-12 experience. Learn more at d51schools.org!




It's what's on the inside that counts




Come see the new Orchard Mesa Middle School at a

Community Open House

Wednesday, Jan. 15, 2020

5:30-7:00 p.m.

2736 C Road, Grand Junction



This on-time, under-budget project is possible because of you!

See where all 2017 Bond Measure dollars are being spent at bit.ly/d51bond.

Electronic Communications

Family Newsletter - [Click here to view](#)

- Sent to 18,316 active contacts including parents, media, elected officials, and community members who have signed up at www.d51schools.org.
- Includes updates about Orchard Mesa Middle School, the East Middle School Challenge program, a video of the old OMMS, snow day information, school activities including a FMS students chatting with Justin Simmons, Hour of Code information, an update from the D51 Foundation, sports honors, a check presentation from Grand Valley Power, board member updates, and the December Student of the Quarter names.

Staff Newsletter - [Click here to view](#)

- Sent to all District 51 staff
- Includes the month's Board Briefs, a video update from Superintendent Sirko, information from Human Resources, an introduction to the Support Staff Council, an update from the D51 Foundation, a staff spotlight for Scenic and New Emerson Elementary, a save the date for Summer Extended Learning, winter weather information, TRIAD information, recognitions for Kim Flynn and Paul Cain, an update on Orchard Mesa Middle School, the Community Health Partnership newsletter, and the December Student of the Quarter names.

December 10 Board Briefs - [Click here to view](#)

- Sent to all District 51 staff, media, and community members who have signed up at www.d51schools.org
- Includes a summary of what was presented/discussed/adopted at the Board of Education meeting
 - Recognitions
 - Perception data comparisons
 - Weighted grade discussions
 - School improvement plan presentations

January 7 Board Briefs - [Click here to view](#)

- Sent to all District 51 staff, media, and community members who have signed up at www.d51schools.org
- Includes a summary of what was presented/discussed/adopted at the Board of Education meeting
 - GJHS next steps
 - United Way drawing
 - School attendance boundaries
 - District 51 Vision 2020 strategic planning

Social Media

A full social media report is available upon request.

*Instagram information unavailable at this time



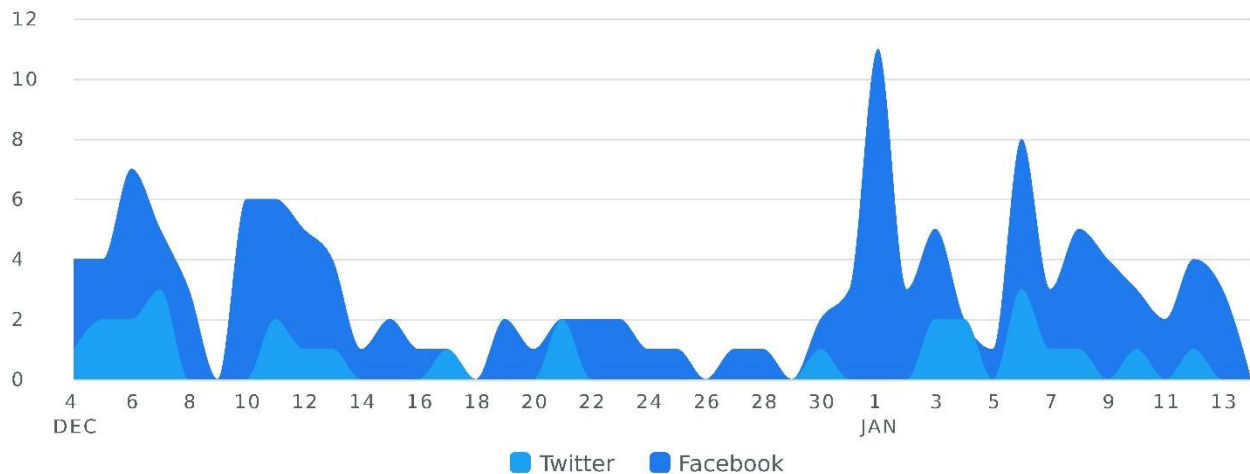
Group Report | 6 of 6

Group Stats by Profile/Page

Profile/Page	Total Fans / Followers	Fan / Follower Increase	Messages Sent	Impressions	Impressions per Message Sent	Engagements	Engagements per Message Sent	Link Clicks
School Di... @district51	3,190	0.4%	89	58k	652.2	1,227	13.8	147
Mes...ict 51 Business Page	12.5k	0.4%	143	485.4k	3,394.3	50.3k	352.1	3,009

Group Audience Growth

Followers Gained, By Day



Audience Growth Metrics

Totals Total Followers % Change

Total Followers	15.6k	↗ 0%
Total Net Follower Growth	60	-
Twitter Net Follower Growth	12	↘ 66%
Facebook Net Fan Growth	48	↗ 0.4%

H-6.7



Mesa County Valley School District 51
Licensed and Administrative Personnel Action

Board of Education Resolution: 19/20: 45

Adopted: January 21, 2020

Name	Location	Assignment	Effective Date
Retirements			
NONE AT THIS TIME.			
Resignations/Termination			
GRECO, CONNIE LEA	LINCOLN OM	GT	12/20/2019
HOLMAN, LESLIE A	FRUITA MS	6TH GR SOCIAL STUDIES	12/20/2019
LANGLEY, SHELIA DC	FRUITVALE	GRADE 5	12/20/2019
LASTOVA, ASHLEY S	MESA VIEW	GRADE 4	12/20/2019
STEELE, CHANTAL M	GRAND MESA	SPED-SNB	1/24/2020
Leave of Absence			
NONE AT THIS TIME.			
New Assignments (Transfer/New Hires)			
CHARTS, BETSY L	BOOKCLIFF	SPED - MODERATE NEEDS	1/6/2020
COSTA, ERYN M	CLIFTON	FLOATING SUB	1/6/2020
CRONKHITE, FELICIA N	SHELLEDY	GRADES 1-2	1/6/2020
FOX, KAYLA	PALISADE	COUNSELOR	1/6/2020
FUNK, MARGARET E	ORCHARD MESA	7TH GR SOCIAL STUDIES	1/6/2020
GORSUCH, GREGORY N	MT GARFIELD	8TH GR MATH	1/6/2020
GOSHIA, BRITTANY N	GJHS	MATHEMATICS	1/6/2020
LAICHE, MADELINE D	FMHS	SPED - MODERATE NEEDS	1/6/2020
MORAN, ADAM K	WEST	COMPUTER TECH	1/6/2020
RAY, LUCAS	ORCHARD AVE	GRADE 4	12/16/2019
SCHMALZ, ABBEY	TOPE	SPED - MODERATE NEEDS	12/9/2019
WENTZ, CHRISTINA M	MESA VIEW	GRADE 4	2/3/2020
WHITE, MEGAN D	GRAND MESA	ART	1/6/2020
Return from Leave			
ARMENDARIZ, JENNIFER R	BOOKCLIFF	7TH GR LANGUAGE ARTS	1/6/2020
DWORKIN, KARI L	BROADWAY	GRADE 1	1/6/2020
PITTON, SHANNON MARY	NEW EMERSON	SPED - MODERATE NEEDS	12/2/2019
SMUSHKOV, KATHARINE	DUAL IMMERS ACD	GRADE 1	1/6/2020
WOOD, AMY C	FRUITA MS	6TH GR SOCIAL STUDIES	1/6/2020



Mesa County Valley School District 51
Licensed and Administrative Personnel Action

Board of Education Resolution: 19/20: 45

Adopted: January 21, 2020

I hereby certify that the information contained in the above resolution is accurate and was adopted by the Mesa County Valley School District No. 51 Board of Education on January 21, 2020

Bridget Story
Secretary, Board of Education

**Mesa County Valley School District 51
GIFTS**

Board of Education Resolution: 19/20: 44

Adopted: January 21, 2020

Donor	Kenny and Chris Sowell
Gift	Band supplies
Value	\$643.09
School/Department	Palisade High School / Band

Donor	Nancy Miller
Gift	Two \$50 Walmart gift cards and \$30.00 cash
Value	\$130.00
School/Department	Pomona Elementary School / Pay outstanding lunch balances and families in need

Donor	Shane Curtis
Gift	Two bungee chairs
Value	\$100.00
School/Department	Pomona Elementary School / Classroom use

Donor	Rocky Mountain Forensic Services
Gift	Cash
Value	\$300.00
School/Department	Palisade High School / Choir

Donor	Patricia Virden
Gift	Cash
Value	\$100.00
School/Department	Palisade High School / Choir

Donor	Pearl Vision Center
Gift	Cash
Value	\$1,000.00
School/Department	Palisade High School / Given to a student in need

Donor	Various donors through "Donors Choose"
Gift	Reading nooks, desks and storage
Value	\$801.85
School/Department	Chatfield Elementary School / Robyn Carmine's classroom

Donor	Estate of Mary Lou Trump
Gift	Cash
Value	\$50.00
School/Department	District 51 / General fund

Mesa County Valley School District 51
GIFTS

Board of Education Resolution: 19/20: 44

Adopted: January 21, 2020

Donor	Petrol Logic, LLC
Gift	Cash
Value	\$2,000.00
School/Department	Palisade High School / Wrestling

Donor	John Flanagan and Jennifer Roller
Gift	Cash
Value	\$100.00
School/Department	Palisade High School / Family Consumer Science Class

Donor	William and Kaye Buxman
Gift	Cash
Value	\$25.00
School/Department	Palisade High School / Sounds of the Season Choirs

Donor	Johnson Living Trust
Gift	Cash
Value	\$100.00
School/Department	Palisade High School / Culinary Art Program

Donor	Bonsai Design
Gift	Cash
Value	\$100.00
School/Department	East Middle School / Student of the Month Program

Donor	Marshall Langland
Gift	Gaga Ball Pit
Value	\$2,200.00
School/Department	Pomona Elementary School / Students at recess

Donor	Various Donors through "Donors Choice"
Gift	Lab equipment
Value	\$752.26
School/Department	Grand Junction High School / Significant Support Needs Food Science Class

**Mesa County Valley School District 51
GIFTS**

Board of Education Resolution: 19/20: 44

Adopted: January 21, 2020

Donor	Joel Martin Robinson
Gift	Cash
Value	\$100.00
School/Department	Art Heritage / Elementary art classes

Donor	Mary Shanahan Larson
Gift	Cash
Value	\$100.00
School/Department	Art Heritage / Elementary art classes

Donor	Robert and Marcia Kenney
Gift	Cash
Value	\$20.00
School/Department	Palisade High School / Special education student's field trip

Donor	Janet Pomrenke
Gift	Cash
Value	\$500.00
School/Department	Palisade High School / Sounds of the Season Choir

Donor	Charles and Patricia Macarthur
Gift	Cash
Value	\$1,575.00
School/Department	Rocky Mt. Elementary / School radios for staff

Donor	St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Church
Gift	Forty-two \$50 Target gift cards
Value	\$2,100.00
School/Department	Dos Rios Elementary School / Families in need

Donor	Pfizer Foundation Matching Gifts Program
Gift	Cash
Value	\$26,000.00
School/Department	Palisade High School / Yoga Fest and Suicide Awareness

Donor	Alexander Blackford
Gift	Cash
Value	\$230.00
School/Department	Palisade High School / Band

**Mesa County Valley School District 51
GIFTS**

Board of Education Resolution: 19/20: 44

Adopted: January 21, 2020

Donor	Various donors through Donors Choose
Gift	Classroom rugs
Value	\$375.00
School/Department	Taylor Elementary School / Third grade classroom

Donor	Various donors through Donors Choose
Gift	STEM classroom toys
Value	\$511.52
School/Department	Orchard Avenue Elementary / Kindergarten classroom

Donor	Atlasta Solor
Gift	Cash
Value	\$5,000.00
School/Department	East Middle School / Student Senate Legacy Project

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED the Mesa County Valley School District 51 Board of Education, in accepting the donations listed above, extends their appreciation and acknowledges these important partnerships within the community which support learning for all students.

I hereby certify that the information contained in the above resolution is accurate and was adopted by the Mesa County Valley School District 51 Board of Education on January 21, 2020.

Bridget Story
Secretary, Board of Education

D51 Instructional Resource Recommendation

Content:	Elementary Mathematics (K-5)
Term & Year for Adoption Cycle:	Fall 2020
Term & Year for Implementation:	Fall 2020
Last Primary Adoption:	2009
Resource Needed: (Primary, Supplementary, OR Both)	Primary - Bridges (The Math Learning Center)
Rationale for Selection: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Balanced math instruction (concept building, procedural fluency, application, mathematical practice standards) Aligns with the D51 Teaching and Learning Framework, meets the rigor of the D51 Standards (Common Core State Standards-Mathematics) Meets the needs for all teachers and learners with supports/ access for differentiation/intervention included (for example: strong alignment to AVMR - Add+Vantage Math Recovery and ELL supports) Meets all required and competitive criteria per the request for proposal Work places (instructional math games) are similar to what has already been established by a previous resource Assessment opportunities support MTSS (Multi-Tiered Systems of Support) Reporting pieces for families, online access to Home Connections Units are transparently interconnected and effective instructional practices are made explicit Vertical alignment and scaffolding strategies embedded in all lessons Integration opportunities for literacy and science (includes STEM Units at 1st-5th grade) Student-centered focus with embedded social and emotional learning (engagement, productive struggle/growth mindset, student agency) 	
Approximate Cost of Resources: approximately \$871,000.00 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Teacher Resource Materials (print, 6-year digital, 440 teachers) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bridges and Number Corner K-5 Teacher Guides K-5 manipulatives package Required not included items Bridges educator site account Student Resource Materials (first year) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1-5 Bridges and Number Corner student books 	
Would there be an annual, recurring cost for this resource? Yes <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Annual student workbooks for Number Corner and Bridges: (if purchased) \$90,000 	

Recommendation for Professional Learning Support:

- Level 3 (planning in progress)
- Provided by the vendor at no additional cost:
 - 18 “Getting Started” workshops K-5
 - 1 day instructional coach workshop
 - Two ½ day administrator session

Cost for Professional Learning Support: (approximately) \$200,000**Approximate cost: \$1,071,000****Level
3****System-wide, Multi-year Professional Learning Program**

Professional learning planned over several years. This level may include event professional learning at the point of resource implementation, but also includes an ongoing focus at building PLCs and multiple staff development days. Support of this learning is a targeted focus for D51 Instructional Coaches.

Design of Professional Learning Program:

Designed collaboratively with Directors (Professional Learning, Curriculum, and Site) with approval from ILT due to scale of implementation & scope of impact. Specialists in collaboration with teacher content teams, coach coordinators, and directors deliver the professional learning

Budget:

Requires combined budget supports (eg, Fund 10, Title II, Mill) and multi-year budget commitments.

Evaluation:

Designed collaboratively with the program evaluation oversight student outcomes must be included in the ongoing evaluation (Director of Assessment)

I hereby certify that the information contained in the above resolution is accurate and was adopted by the Mesa County Valley School District No. 51 Board of Education on January 21, 2020.

Bridget Story
Secretary, Board of Education

Mesa County Valley School District 51
2019-2020 Budget Re-Adoption

Board of Education Resolution 19/20: 50

Adopted: January 21, 2020

WHEREAS, the Board of Education has published January 21, 2020, as the date of re-adoption for the 2019-2020 budgets for Mesa County Valley School District 51; and

WHEREAS, the Board may re-adopt the budgets at any regular or special meeting on or before January 31, 2020;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of Mesa County Valley School District 51 does hereby adopt the budgets and reserve all ending balances, as presented, and authorize the following fund amounts to be appropriated as specified in the adopted budgets for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2019, and ending June 30, 2020.

FUND	ORIGINAL	RE-ADOPTED	EXPLANATION
Governmental Funds			
General Fund (10)	\$205,639,540	\$206,622,087	Fund Balance Adjustment Pupil Count Adjustment
2017 Mill Levy Override (17)	\$12,230,079	\$11,278,417	Fund Balance Adjustment
Colorado Preschool Program (19)	\$3,404,558	\$3,547,591	Fund Balance Adjustment Pupil Count Adjustment
Independence Academy Charter School (11)	\$8,110,820	\$8,721,091	Fund Balance Adjustment
Juniper Ridge Charter School (11)	\$4,245,437	\$4,442,241	Fund Balance Adjustment Pupil Count Adjustment
Mesa Valley Community School (11)	\$4,833,627	\$4,178,879	Fund Balance Adjustment Pupil Count Adjustment
Special Revenue Funds			
Nutrition Services (21)	\$7,607,546	\$7,737,156	Fund Balance Adjustment
Physical Activities (23)	\$858,202	\$811,252	Fund Balance Adjustment
Beverage (27)	\$321,521	\$321,026	Fund Balance Adjustment
Governmental Designated Purpose Grants (22 & Sub-funds 70-99)	\$34,567,962	\$36,952,229	Increase of Expected Grants
Career Center Grant (26)	\$374,043	\$373,060	Fund Balance Adjustment
Other Local Projects/Grants (28)	\$26,989	\$33,081	Fund Balance Adjustment
Debt Service Fund			
Bond Redemption (31)	\$32,247,948	\$32,952,743	Fund Balance Adjustment Assessed Value Adjustment
Capital Project Fund			
Building Fund (41)	\$77,774,342	\$90,691,407	Fund Balance Adjustment Revenue Adjustment
Capital Projects Fund (43)	\$16,016,765	\$17,514,079	Fund Balance Adjustment
Capital Projects-Juniper Ridge (44)	\$2,965,017	\$3,651,813	Fund Balance Adjustment Revenue Adjustment
Internal Service Fund			
Medical Insurance (62)	\$20,959,648	\$19,382,031	Fund Balance Adjustment
Dental Insurance (63)	\$2,621,444	\$2,548,506	Fund Balance Adjustment
Insurance (64)	\$7,972,474	\$7,413,428	Fund Balance Adjustment
Trust and Agency Fund			
Student Body Activity Funds	\$15,000,000	\$16,000,000	Available Funds

APPROPRIATION CALCULATION BY FUND

Re-Adopted: January 21, 2020

<i>FUND</i>	<i>REVENUE</i>	<i>BEGINNING BUDGETARY BALANCE</i>	<i>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</i>
Governmental Funds			
General Fund (10)	\$196,673,580	\$9,948,507	\$206,622,087
2017 Mill Levy Override (17)	\$7,420,000	\$3,858,417	\$11,278,417
Colorado Preschool Program (19)	\$2,326,314	\$1,221,277	\$3,547,591
Independence Academy Charter School (11)	\$4,245,007	\$4,476,084	\$8,721,091
Juniper Ridge Charter School (11)	\$3,420,108	\$1,022,133	\$4,442,241
Mesa Valley Community School (11)	\$3,560,089	\$618,790	\$4,178,879
Special Revenue Funds			
Nutrition Services (21)	\$6,932,850	\$804,306	\$7,737,156
Physical Activities (23)	\$786,000	\$25,252	\$811,252
Beverage (27)	\$59,508	\$261,518	\$321,026
Governmental Designated Purpose Grants (22 & Sub-funds 70-99)	\$36,952,229	\$0	\$36,952,229
Career Center Grant (26)	\$230,000	\$143,060	\$373,060
Other Local Projects/Grants (28)	\$17,742	\$15,339	\$33,081
Debt Service Fund			
Bond Redemption (31)	\$17,966,463	\$14,986,280	\$32,952,743
Capital Project Fund			
Building Fund (41)	\$3,100,000	\$87,591,407	\$90,691,407
Capital Projects Fund (43)	\$4,644,045	\$12,870,034	\$17,514,079
Capital Projects-Juniper Ridge (44)	\$300,000	\$3,351,813	\$3,651,813
Internal Service Fund			
Medical Insurance (62)	\$16,444,913	\$2,937,118	\$19,382,031
Dental Insurance (63)	\$1,387,281	\$1,161,225	\$2,548,506
Insurance (64)	\$2,471,500	\$4,941,928	\$7,413,428
Trust and Agency Fund			
Student Body Activity Funds	\$16,000,000	\$0	\$16,000,000

APPROPRIATION CALCULATION BY FUND

Adopted: June 25, 2019

<i>FUND</i>	<i>REVENUE</i>	<i>BEGINNING BUDGETARY BALANCE</i>	<i>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</i>
Governmental Funds			
General Fund (10)	\$196,156,808	\$9,482,732	\$205,639,540
2017 Mill Levy Override (17)	\$7,420,000	\$4,810,079	\$12,230,079
Colorado Preschool Program (19)	\$2,374,613	\$1,029,945	\$3,404,558
Independence Academy Charter School (11)	\$4,123,100	\$3,987,720	\$8,110,820
Juniper Ridge Charter School (11)	\$3,327,748	\$917,689	\$4,245,437
Mesa Valley Community School (11)	\$3,536,217	\$1,297,410	\$4,833,627
Special Revenue Funds			
Nutrition Service (21)	\$6,867,744	\$739,802	\$7,607,546
Physical Activities (23)	\$786,000	\$72,202	\$858,202
Beverage (27)	\$59,508	\$262,013	\$321,521
Governmental Designated Purpose Grants (22 & Sub-funds 70-99)	\$34,567,962	\$0	\$34,567,962
Career Center Grant (26)	\$230,000	\$144,043	\$374,043
Other Local Projects/Grants (28)	\$13,942	\$13,047	\$26,989
Debt Service Fund			
Bond Redemption (31)	\$17,433,118	\$14,814,830	\$32,247,948
Capital Project Fund			
Building Fund (41)	\$2,400,000	\$75,374,342	\$77,774,342
Capital Projects Fund (43)	\$4,644,045	\$11,372,720	\$16,016,765
Capital Projects-Juniper Ridge (44)	\$200,000	\$2,765,017	\$2,965,017
Internal Service Fund			
Medical Insurance (62)	\$16,444,913	\$4,514,735	\$20,959,648
Dental Insurance (63)	\$1,387,281	\$1,234,163	\$2,621,444
Insurance (64)	\$2,471,500	\$5,500,974	\$7,972,474
Trust and Agency Fund			
Student Body Activity Funds	\$15,000,000	\$0	\$15,000,000

Mesa County Valley School District 51
Use of Beginning Fund Balance

Board of Education Resolution 19/20: 51

Adopted: January 21, 2020

WHEREAS, Senate Bill 03-149 created a new subsection in C.R.S. 22-44-105 1B (1.5) (a) that states:

"A budget adopted pursuant to this article shall not provide for expenditures, interfund transfers, or reserves, in excess of available revenues and beginning fund balances. If the budget includes the use of a beginning fund balance, the school district board of education shall adopt a resolution specifically authorizing the use of a portion of the beginning fund balance in the school district's budget. The resolution, at a minimum shall specify the amount of the beginning fund balance to be spent under the school district budget, state the purpose for which the expenditure is needed, and state the school district's plan to ensure that the use of the beginning fund balance will not lead to an ongoing deficit."
and

WHEREAS, the Board of Education has set January 21 ,2020, as the date of re-adoption for the 2019-2020 budgets for Mesa County Valley School District 51; and

WHEREAS, the Board may re-adopt the budgets at any regular or special meeting on or before, January 31, 2020;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of Mesa County Valley School District 51 does hereby approve the usage of the beginning fund balances as specified in the plan below for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2019, and ending on June 30, 2020.

FUND	AMOUNT OF BEGINNING FUND BALANCE TO BE SPENT	PURPOSE FOR EXPENDITURE	PLAN
Preschool Fund	\$473,880	Additional Instructional Programs/Costs, Loss of Ecare Funding	Monitor and make adjustments
Beverage	\$23,000	Additional Programs	Monitor and make adjustments
Other Local Projects/Grants	\$7,000	Use of tuition/grants	Monitor and make adjustments
Building Fund	\$87,591,407	Completion of Projects	
Capital Projects	\$1,045,035	Completion of Projects	Monitor and make adjustments
Juniper Ridge Building Fund	\$3,351,813	Completion of Projects	
Insurance Reserve	\$638,273	Security and Claim Costs	Monitor and make adjustments

Mesa County Valley School District 51
Borrow Unencumbered Money from Other District Funds

Board of Education Resolution 19/20: 52

Adopted: January 21, 2020

WHEREAS, C.R.S.22-44-113 authorizes the borrowing of unencumbered monies from any one fund, except the Bond Redemption Fund; and

WHEREAS, in order to meet ongoing obligations of a current fund it may be necessary to borrow up to \$10,000,000, and

WHEREAS, estimated unencumbered monies not to exceed \$10,000,000 may exist in any of the district funds, except the Bond Redemption Fund, during FY 2019-20

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board authorizes the borrowing of up to \$10,000,000 from unencumbered monies from any district fund except Bond Redemption Fund, for the benefit of any other fund effective July 1, 2019, such monies to be repaid to said funds not later than June 30, 2020.

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2020-21 School Year Adopted January 21, 2020

SCHOOLS NOT IN SESSION

***First Day of School**
August 10 - Grades 1-12
August 12 - Kindergarten

All Schools Teacher Workdays

August 4,7
October 12
January 5
March 11
May 24

Teacher In-Service

August 5,6
October 13

Teacher Ed Effectiveness Day

September 21

Elem Planning & MS In-Service

September 8
November 30

Elem Planning MS/HS In-Service

January 19
March 12

Parent Teacher Conference Windows

Check with your school for the actual conference dates

September 22 – October 23
January 20 – March 19

Elem / Middle School Conference Day (HS in session)

September 22

Elem Conferences Only (MS, HS in session)

May 14

Holiday Breaks

September 7Labor Day
November 23 - 27Thanksgiving Break
December 21-January 4.....Winter Break
January 18Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
February 15 Presidents' Day
March 22-26.....Spring Break

W	No Schools In Session – Teacher Work Day
T	No Schools in Session – Teacher In-Service
EE	No Schools in Session – Ed Effectiveness (K-12)
EM	HS in Session – Elementary Planning & Middle School In-Service (K8)
IE	No Schools in Session – MS/HS In-Service & Elementary Planning Day
EMC	HS In-Session – Elementary & MS Conferences
EC	MS/HS in Session – Elementary Conferences
#	School in Session – Conference Window
#	Last Day of Quarter (underlined)
CD	No School - Conference Exchange Day
	No School – No Contract /Contact Day

Statistical Record Data

Total number of contact days elementary – 170
Total number of contact days middle - 171
Total number of contact days high - 174

Classes Begin...Aug. 10 (Grade 1-12)/Aug. 12 Kindergarten
1st Quarter Ends.....October 9 (41 ES/MS - 43/HS)
2nd Quarter Ends.....December 18 (42 ES/MS – 43 HS)
3rd Quarter Ends.....March 10 (43 ES/MS/HS)
4th Quarter Ends.....May 21 (44 ES – 45 MS/HS)

2020-21 School Year DRAFT CALENDAR G

SCHOOLS NOT IN SESSION

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MS/HS-In-Service**
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Mesa County Valley School District No. 51

Approval To Purchase/Sell Real Estate

Board of Education Resolution: 19/20: 53

Adopted: January 21, 2020

WHEREAS, the District's needs for warehouse space has increased; and

WHEREAS, a privately-owned warehouse adjoining current District 51 property has become available to purchase; and

WHEREAS, the administration has commissioned an independent appraisal on the property whose physical address is 121 N. 22nd Court, Grand Junction, CO and legal description as follows; and

LOTS 9-10-11 PINYON PARK 2 SUB SEC 13 1S 1W + LOT 12 PINYON PARK 2 SUB EXC THAT PT DESC BEG NW COR SD PINYON PARK 2 SUB N 89DEG48' E 111.88FT S 12DEG25'42 SEC E 98.48FT ALG ARC OF CVE TO L RAD IS 55FT CH BEARS S 57DEG26'21SEC W 37FT N 48DEG06'13SEC W 56.81FT S 89 DEG46'30SEC W 59FT N 0DEG19' W 77.71FT TO BEG

WHEREAS, the administration recommends that the Board of Education negotiate to acquire the above property; and

WHEREAS, funds for such purchase will be available from the Capital Fund.

NOW, THEREFORE, RESOLVED, that the Board of Education approves the Superintendent or her designee to negotiate and acquire the property subject to the following conditions:

Purchase Price not to exceed appraised value.

I certify that the information contained herein is accurate and was adopted by the Mesa County Valley School District No. 51 Board of Education on January 21, 2020.

Bridget Story
Assistant Secretary, Board of Education

Mesa County Valley School District 51

BEDA

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KDB

PUBLIC'S RIGHT TO KNOW / FREEDOM OF INFORMATION

Related: KDB-R

Adoption: April 19, 2016

Revision First Reading: January 21, 2020

The Board is a public entity, and its meetings and records shall be matters of public information, subject to such restrictions as are set by federal law or regulation, by state statute or by pertinent court rulings. ~~The district's financial information shall be posted online in accordance with the Public School Financial Transparency Act.~~

The official minutes of the Board, its written policies and its financial records shall be open for inspection at the office of the superintendent by any citizen desiring to examine them during hours when the office of the superintendent is open. However, no records shall be released for inspection by the public or any unauthorized persons – either by the superintendent or any other person designated as custodian for school district records – if such disclosure would be contrary to the public interest as described in state law or otherwise prohibited by law. The District's financial information shall be posted online in accordance with the Public School Financial Transparency Act.

In responding to a request for the ~~d~~District's public records, the ~~d~~District may charge a fee for staff time spent in excess of one hour for the following: researching and retrieving the requested records; conducting searches for requested records; reviewing records to determine whether they are responsive to the request; and identifying and separating those records that are not public and/or are privileged or confidential. Such fee shall be \$33.58 per hour, which may be increased from time to time as permitted by applicable law. The ~~d~~District may also charge other reasonable fees in responding to a request for the ~~d~~District's public records, in accordance with the accompanying regulation.

The Board wishes to support the right of the people to know about the programs and services of their schools and shall make reasonable efforts to disseminate information. Each principal is authorized to use all means available to keep parents/guardians and others of that particular school's community informed about the school's program and activities.

Legal References: C.R.S. 22-9-109 (exemption from public inspection)
C.R.S. 22-32-109(1) (c) (documents available for public inspection)
C.R.S. 22-44-301 et seq. (Public School Financial Transparency Act)
C.R.S. 24-72-201 et seq. (access to public records)
C.R.S. 24-72-205 (6)-(a) (must adopt policy regarding the fee for research and retrieval of public records, if the district imposes such a fee; policy must be posted on website or otherwise published)
C.R.S. 24-72-205 (6)(b) (maximum hourly fee for research and retrieval of public documents adjusted on July 1, 2019, and every five-year period thereafter)

Cross Reference: BEDA, Notification of School Board Meetings
BEDG, Minutes
DAB, Financial Administration
GBJ, Personnel Records
JRA/JRC, Student Records