

**Regular Meeting**  
**KILLINGLY BOARD OF EDUCATION**  
**Wednesday, April 10, 2024**  
**7:00 PM**  
**Killingly Town Hall, 172 Main St.**  
**Community Mtg. Room, 2nd Floor**

**AGENDA**

- 1. CALL TO ORDER & PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**
- 2. ROLL CALL**
- 3. BOARD SHOUT-OUTS**
- 4. REPORT BY STUDENT BOARD MEMBERS**
- 5. RECOGNITION OF VISITORS**
- 6. PUBLIC COMMENT-** *Members of the public are encouraged to share their thoughts with the Board of Education and are invited to do so during this segment of the meeting. 30 minutes will be allotted for public comment per meeting, limited to no more than 3 minutes , maximum per person. People wishing to speak must sign-up prior to the start of the meeting. When appropriate to do so, members of the Board and the administration may respond to comments. However, in consideration of those in attendance and in an effort to proceed in a timely manner, follow-up discussion may need to take place outside of the meeting setting.*
- 7. EXECUTIVE SESSION TO DISCUSS STRATEGY REGARDING CLAIMS AND LITIGATION: STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION HEARING CONCERNING 10-4b COMPLAINT.**
- 8. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING LETTERS IN SUPPORT OF GRANT APPLICATION OF COMMUNITY HEALTH RESOURCES (CHR) FOR EXPANDED MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES IN KILLINGLY PUBLIC SCHOOLS.**
- 9. TOWN COUNCIL LIAISON REPORT**
- 10. BOARD CHAIR AND COMMITTEE & LIAISON UPDATES**
  - A. Curriculum Committee
    - 1. Discussion and Possible Action of New K-4 Reading Curriculum**
  - B. Facilities Committee
  - C. Fiscal Committee
  - D. Personnel Committee
  - E. Policy Committee
    - 1. Discussion and Action of First Reading of New Policy #5112-Ages of Attendance/Admissions/Placement**
    - 2. Discussion and Possible Action of First Reading of Policy #5141.5- Suicide Prevention and Intervention (updated)**

Continued

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- 11. REVIEW AND POSSIBLE ACTION OF THE MARCH 2024 SYSTEM OBJECT REPORT & CHECK AUTHORIZATIONS**
- 12. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING 2025 CONGRESSIONAL DIRECTED SPENDING (CDS) SENATE APPROPRIATIONS, HIGH SCHOOL HEALTHCARE PATHWAY.**
- 13. SUPERINTENDENT'S UPDATE**
  - A. Attendance Update
  - B. Math Program Update
  - C. Town Council Budget Presentation Review
- 14. CONSENT AGENDA**
  - A. March 27, 2024 Board Meeting Minutes
  - B. April 1 2024 Student Enrollment
  - C. Employee of the Month Nominee
  - D. KHS Field Trip Request to Northeastern University, Boston for Model UN Conference
- 15. EXECUTIVE SESSION TO DISCUSS SUPERINTENDENT'S EVALUATION**
- 16. POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING SUPERINTENDENT'S EVALUATION**
- 17. ADJOURNMENT**

**Summary of CHR Application to Operate**  
**Expanded School Health Site at KHS, KIS and KMS**

**Background**

CHR is proud of its partnership with the Killingly Board of Education and Killingly Public Schools administration to help Killingly students and families in providing access to high-quality mental and behavioral health care.

Starting in September 2023, CHR began providing behavioral health services to Killingly students at KHS and KIS. CHR currently provides mental/behavioral health services to 31 students. There are 8 students and families currently being engaged to schedule and complete an intake. CHR has seen an increase in the number of students being referred for behavioral health support throughout its initial year of partnership with the Killingly school community. At this time, CHR generally provides behavioral health support to Killingly students with the most acute needs utilizing Evidence Based Therapy such as Trauma Focused Cognitive Behavioral Therapy and Modular Approach to Therapy for Children- Anxiety, Depression, Trauma and Conduct. CHR anticipates that there are additional students and families who would benefit from access to behavioral health services.

**Opportunity to Expand Services Through Grant**

CHR has the opportunity to apply for a two-year grant through the School Based Health Alliance and DPH to expand hours of operation and increase staffing. Specifically, the grant would allow CHR to provide full-time (5 days per week) clinical support for students and families at Killingly High School and Killingly Intermediate School. The grant would also provide support for behavioral health support at Killingly Memorial School through part-time support (perhaps up to 2.5 days per week). This will allow students in the elementary school to access behavioral health services, and receive evidence-based therapy which will improve student health and educational outcomes. The two-year grant would guarantee funding of \$250,000 per school for CHR to expand access to care for elementary, middle and high school students.

Currently, CHR clinicians are supporting students with the most acute behavioral health needs. As of April 8th, 2024, CHR clinicians provide on-site behavioral health support at KIS 2.5 days and on-site behavioral health support to KHS students and families 2 days. CHR currently prioritizes students who have acute care needs. The grant would preserve this level of care and provide the opportunity for Killingly students and families to access behavioral health services even without an acute (crisis) level of need. This stance is a proactive and preventative approach in supporting the student's behavioral health needs prior to it becoming a crisis. Services would include individual, family, group and parent guidance sessions. Based on client goals, the frequency and duration of the services will shift in collaboration and agreement with the student and family. For some families, where they have children at all schools, this would allow all children access to services. Upon the completion of the school year and the promotion to a new school, the student will continue to be enrolled in the service and will be transitioned to the

provider located at the school. For example, a student who is receiving at Memorial is promoted to KIS would be able to continue services in KIS until goals are met.

#### Request for Letter of Support

CHR is excited for the opportunity to continue the partnership and collaboration with the Killingly Board of Education and Killingly Public Schools. CHR respectfully requests a letter of support for the expansion of its behavioral health services through the expanded school health site grant.

#### FAQs

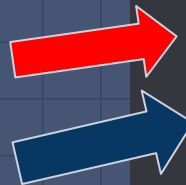
1. What is a school-based behavioral health center?
  - A health clinic located in or on the grounds of a school facility, is organized through school, community and health provider relationships, is administered through a sponsoring facility, and provides behavioral AND medical services.
2. What is an expanded school health site?
  - A health clinic located in or on the grounds of a school facility, is organized through school, community and health provider relationships, is administered through a sponsoring facility, and provides behavioral service.
3. What services would CHR offer at a school-based behavioral health center?
  - Individual therapy
  - Group therapy
  - Family therapy
  - Parent Guidance sessions
4. What supports and services would not be available with the school-based behavioral health center?
  - Any services other than behavioral health services, such as medical care and/or dental care.
5. What are the essential elements of the grant application?
  - Information regarding CHR
  - Information regarding the district and the community
  - Budget to detail requested funds - clearly describe items requested and identify specific items.
  - Example:
    - Detailed and specific - erasers, pencils, pens
    - Not enough detail - office supplies
    - Budget Narrative
    - Work Plan
    - Current Site(s) Information

- Proposed Staffing Positions
  - Family and Student Satisfaction Surveys
  - Marketing & Outreach Examples
  - Letters of Support from school and community partners
6. What, if anything, is required of Killingly Board of Education or Killingly Public Schools in connection with the grant application and/or the operation of a school-based behavioral health center?
    - Space to operate in all three schools, ongoing partnership around student care, a letter of support.
  7. Explain the advantages of the grant for Killingly students and families?
    - Increased access to affordable and high-quality services.
  8. What is the start date of the grant? June 2024
  9. What is the end date of the grant? June of 2026
  10. Does Killingly BOE have to continue CHR partnership through 2026 if CHR awarded the grant?
 

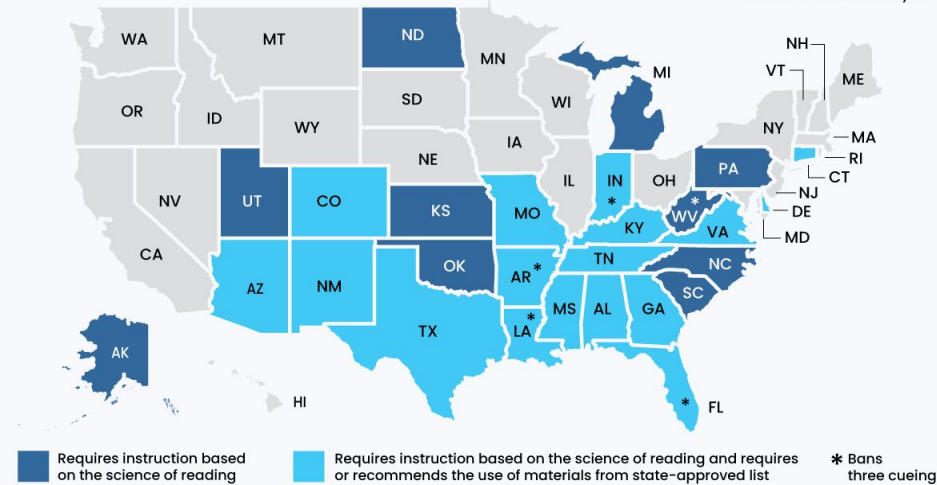
Yes. CHR will be seeking ongoing DPH funding following the grant expiration through lobbying.
  11. What is a letter of support?
 

A letter stating the district is in Support of CHR moving forward with the application for the grant to become part of the school-based health services.

## A Path to Consensus and What Lies Ahead



Source: FutureEd Analysis

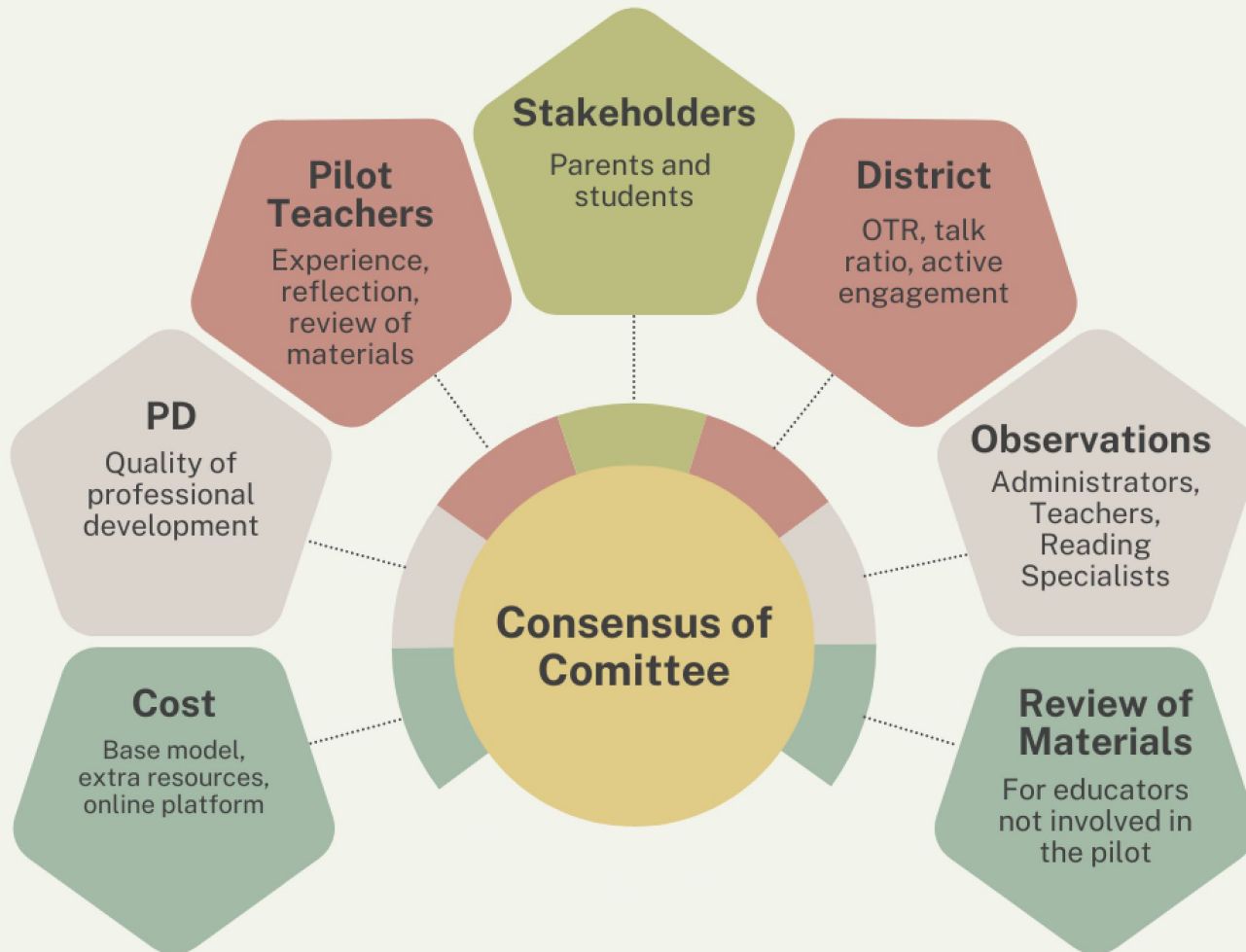


- American Reading Company – ARC Core (K-3), (2020);
- Amplify Education Inc. – Core Knowledge Language Arts (CKLA, 2022);
- Houghton Mifflin Harcourt – Into Reading;
- Imagine Learning – EL Education Grades K-3 (2017);
- McGraw Hill Education – Wonders (2020) and Wonders (2023);
- Open Up Resources – EL Education (2017); and
- Savvas Learning Company – myView Literacy (2020).

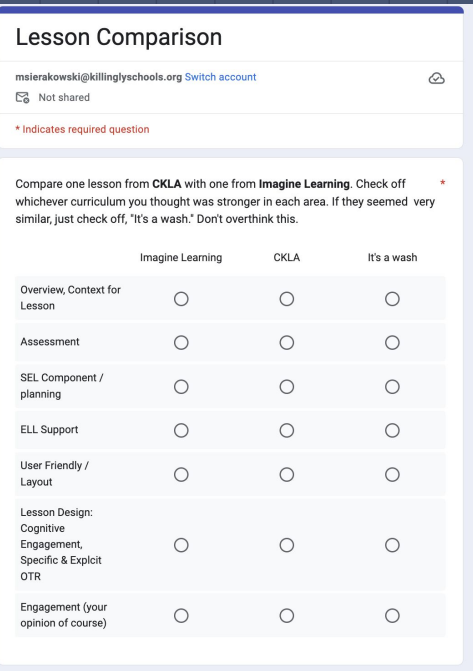
A close-up photograph of two golf drivers lying on a green lawn. On the left is a vintage wooden driver with a reddish-brown finish and black accents. On the right is a modern, sleek metal driver with a silver and blue finish. The background is a soft-focus green field.

Current  
Curriculum

2024 & Beyond







# Professional Development Evaluation

Form description

Please indicate the program you are evaluating \*

☐ EL / Imagine Learning  
☐ CKLA / Core Knowledge

Question \*

Professional Development			
	1	2	3
<b>Informative / Knowledge Building</b>	Knowledge may be imparted to the audience, but it is not sufficient to effectively begin pilot implementation	The amount of knowledge gained is satisfactory for initial pilot implementation	Highly informative. Knowledge of program exceeds the amount necessary for initial pilot implementation
<b>Structure &amp; Time Management</b>	The structure of the PD is not suited for a short time span. Instructional methods were not varied. Sequence of learning may not make sense	Structure of PD mostly suits the allotted time, though there may be some minor issues with time management and the sequencing of learning activities	The structure of PD suits the allotted time. There is a combination of instructional methods and learning activities that work together to foster learning
<b>Engagement</b>	Not engaging. Activities lacked interactive components. Speaker may exhibit low energy or enthusiasm / weak communication skills	Some opportunities to be interactive. Engagement is satisfactory. The speaker is knowledgeable and personable	Highly engaging and interactive. The speaker exhibits enthusiasm and is a strong communicator.

Questions
Responses
Settings

## Initial Reactions: Planning & Launch

B
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Form description

Which product are you plotting? \*

☐ OOLA
   
☐ Imagine Learning

Which grade level do you teach? \*


☐ K
   
☐ 1
   
☐ 2
   
☐ 3
   
☐ 4


React to actual content materials, including the online platform. Do they seem age appropriate? Strong? Interesting? Standards based? Organized? \*

Short answer text

In the planning and teaching of your first few lessons, what has surprised you in a good way? \*

# Grade 2 SKILLS Informal Lesson Comparison

msierakowski@killinglyschools.org [Switch account](#) 

 Not shared

\* Indicates required question



Compare one lesson from **CKLA** with one from **Imagine Learning**. Check off whichever curriculum you thought was stronger in each area. If they seemed very similar, just check off, "It's a wash." Don't overthink this.

	Imagine Learning	CKLA	It's a wash
Overview, Context for Lesson	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Assessment	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
SEL Component /	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

[Questions](#) [Responses](#) [Settings](#)

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## Pilot Observation Form

B I U  

Form description

Which program did you observe? \*

☐ CKLA

☐ Imagine Learning

Which grade level did you observe? \*

☐ K

☐ 1

☐ 2

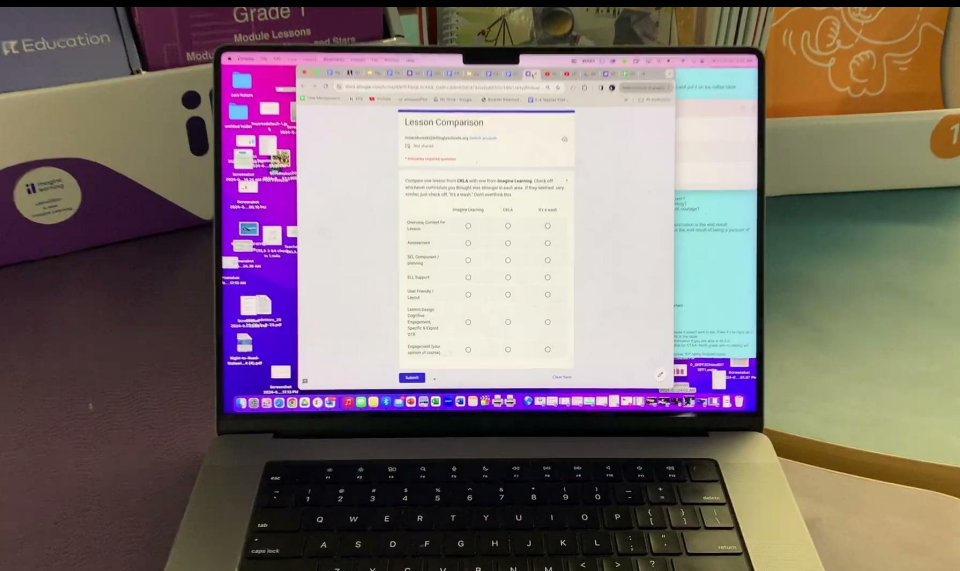
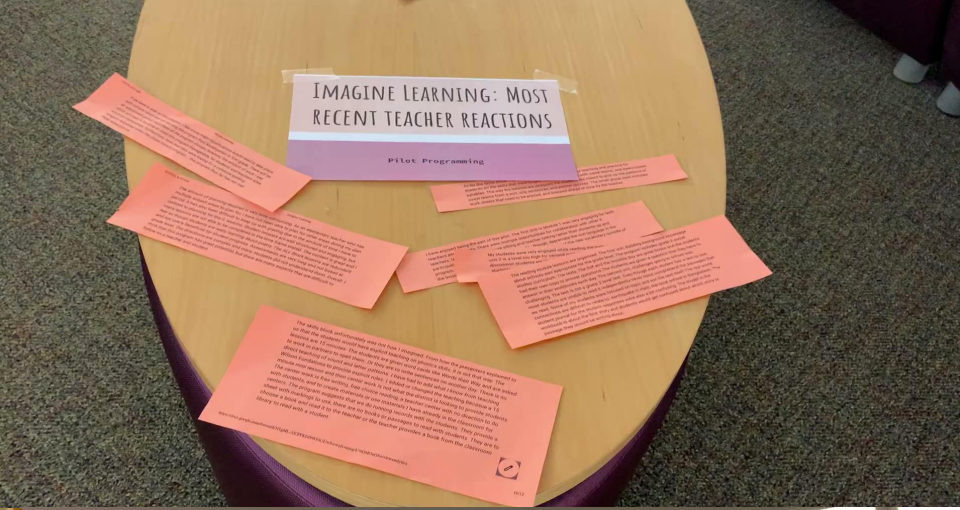
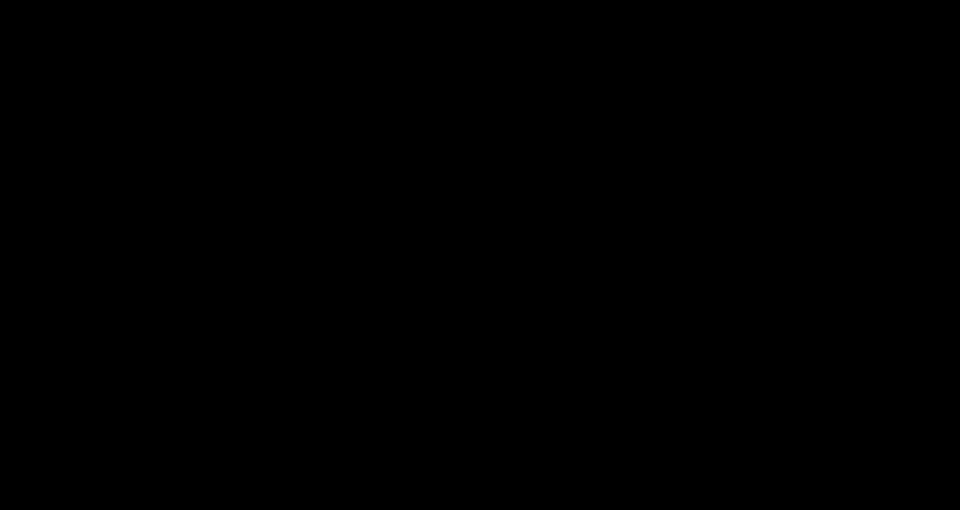
☐ 3

☐ 4

The students were actively engaged in the lesson. \*

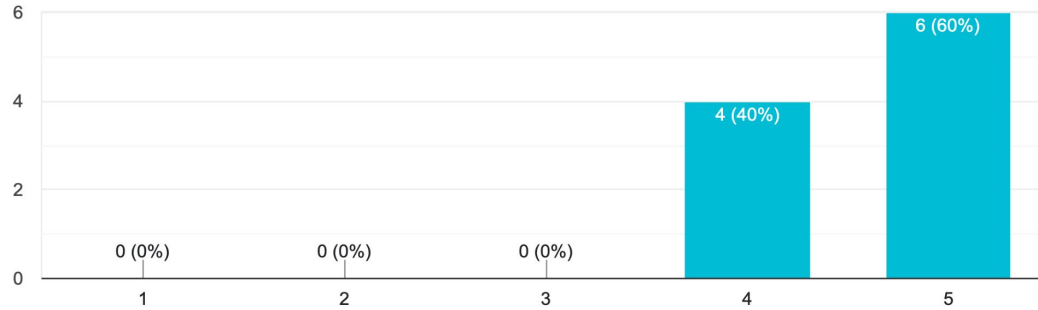
A Model of Active Learning  
D. Fink

☐ PASSIVE LEARNING ☒ ACTIVE LEARNING



React to this statement: We should implement CKLA in Killingly Public Schools.

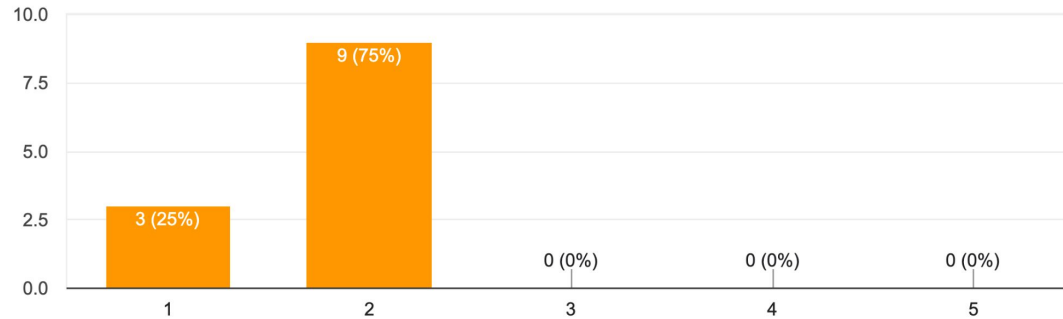
10 responses



**CKLA**

React to this statement: We should implement Imagine Learning in Killingly Public Schools.

12 responses



**Imagine  
Learning**

# Pricing Journey

	Original Estimate	Professional Development	Latest
CKLA	\$145,944.72	\$6,050	\$151,994.27
Imagine Learning	\$123,052.30	\$16,500	\$139,552.30

CKLA

Imagine  
Learning

Grand Total

\$137, 170.00

\$139,552.30

HOW ARE WE GOING  
TO PAY FOR THIS?

\$137,170

# BREAKDOWN OF COST

- Total Cost Year = **\$137,170**
- Available Right to Read Grant Funding = **\$90,718.15**
- $\$137,170 - 90,718.15 = \textbf{\$46,451.85}$
- Available ARP ESSER Funding/Title 1 = **\$46,451.85**

▫ To local budget = **\$0**

# Consumables Direct Comparison

## CKLA

### Cost

K	\$3,800
1st Grade	\$6,042
2nd Grade	\$7,106
3rd Grade	\$7,258
4th Grade	\$7,258
	\$24,206

## Imagine Learning

### Cost

K	\$3,000
1st Grade	\$4,420
2nd Grade	\$5,160
3rd Grade	\$5,460
4th Grade	\$5,730
	\$23,770



***"We** are recommending that KPS adopts the K-4 Amplify CKLA curriculum for full implementation in 2024-25."*

The logo for CKLA (California Knowledge Library for All) is displayed. It consists of the letters "CKLA" in a bold, blue, sans-serif font, set against a white rectangular background.

*CABE's NEW Policy, Mandated***Students****Ages of Attendance/Admissions/Placement**

In accordance with Connecticut General Statute 10-186, the Board of Education shall provide education for all persons, residing in the District, five years of age and over, who reach age five on or before the first day of **(September, effective July 1, 2024)** of any school year, and under twenty-one (age twenty-two for special education students) who is not a graduate of a high school or vocational school, except as provided in Connecticut General Statutes 10-233c and 10-233d.

Additionally, according to Connecticut General Statute 10-76d (b2), special education will be provided for children who have attained the age of three and who have been identified as being in need of special education, and whose educational potential will be irreparably diminished without special education. If a special education student is being considered for an exception, the Planning and Placement Team (PPT) will make a recommendation to the administrator in charge of special education.

In order to determine a child's eligibility for ELL programs, parents/guardians of all new students enrolling for the first time and all re-enrolling students who have not previously attended a Connecticut public school must complete a Home Language Survey (HLS) at the time of enrollment. A student may also take a screening exam. The student must be enrolled first before the administration of the assessment. Neither the survey nor the exam are conditions of enrollment.

**Note:** *When a student is enrolling in a new school district or new state charter school, written notification of such enrollment shall be provided to the previous school district or charter school not later than two business days after the student enrolls.*

Children who apply for initial admission to the District's schools by transfer from nonpublic schools or from schools outside the District will be placed at the grade they would have reached elsewhere pending observation and evaluation by classroom teachers, guidance personnel, and the school Principal. After such observations and evaluations have been completed, the Principal will determine the final grade placement of the children.

Parents and those who have the control of children five years of age and over and under eighteen years of age, are obligated by Connecticut law to require their children to attend public day school or its equivalent in the District in which such child resides, unless such child is a high school graduate or the parent or person having control of such child is able to show that the child is elsewhere receiving equivalent instruction in the studies taught in the public schools. Students under age eighteen are subject to mandatory attendance laws unless they are at least seventeen and their parent/guardian, or other person having control of the child, consents to such child's removal from school. The parent or person shall exercise this option by personally appearing at the school district office to sign a withdrawal form.

## **Students**

### **Ages of Attendance/Admissions/Placement (continued)**

Such a withdrawal form shall include an attestation from a guidance counselor, school counselor or school administrator of the student's school. The form must note the District has provided the parent or person with information on the educational opportunities/options available in the school system and in the community. The withdrawal form must also attest that the child will be enrolled in an adult education program upon the child's withdrawal from school.

### **Enrollment**

The enrollment process shall be focused on obtaining only the information deemed necessary to establish residency and age. The District shall not request other information as a condition of enrollment or state in its policies or on its websites or otherwise, that other information is required to enroll children. The District shall immediately enroll a homeless child and allow such student to attend school even if the student is unable to produce records normally required for enrollment. Additional data collection may occur, but it must be completed in such a manner that does not interfere with the enrollment of a child in school.

Each child entering the District schools for the first time must present a birth certificate or offer legal evidence of birth data, as well as proof of a recent physical examination and required immunizations. Other documents that may be accepted as proof of a child's age include, but are not limited to, a photocopy of a birth certificate, earlier school records, state-issued identification document, driver's license or passport, parent's affidavit or unsworn statement as to a child's age, physician's certificate verifying a child's age, or immunization records.

If the parents or guardians of any children are unable to pay for such immunizations and/or physicals, the expense of such immunizations and/or physicals shall on the recommendation of the Board, be paid by the Town. Proof of domicile may also be requested by the Building Principal.

The parent or person having control of a child five years of age shall have the option of not sending the child to school until the child is six years of age by December 31<sup>st</sup> of any school year. The parent or person having control of a child six years of age shall have the option of not sending the child to school until the child is seven years of age by December 31<sup>st</sup> of any school year.

Any child entering or returning to the District from placement in a juvenile detention school, the Connecticut Juvenile Training School, or any other residential placement, shall have the educational records of such child provided to the Superintendent of Schools by the Department of Children and Families (DCF) and the Judicial Department. Such information will be shared with the Principal of the school to which the student is assigned. The Principal can disclose them to the staff who teach or care for the child.

The District will immediately enroll any student who transfers from Unified District No. 1 or Unified District No. 2. A student transferring from the Unified School Districts who had previously attended school in the local District shall be enrolled in the school such student previously attended, provided such school has the appropriate grade level for the student.

## **Students**

### **Ages of Attendance/Admissions/Placement (continued)**

#### **Residency**

The District, when determining residency, shall not request documentation of citizenship or immigration status of a child or the child's parents/guardians. The Board believes such documentation is not relevant to establishing residency.

In the establishment of residency, the Board will accept such documentation as, but not limited to, a lease agreement, mortgage document, property tax record, rent receipt, home owners insurance, current utility bill, current proof of government benefits, CT driver's license, automobile registration or insurance. An Affidavit of Residence, properly executed, shall also be acceptable.

For purposes of establishing the residency of a child of a member of the armed forces, as defined in C.G.S. 27-103, and who is seeking enrollment in a district school, in which such child is not yet a resident, the Board shall accept the military orders directing such member to Connecticut or any other documents from the armed forces indicating the transfer of such member to Connecticut as proof of residency in the District.

The above requirements are not to serve as barriers to immediate enrollment of students, designated as homeless or foster children as required by the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) and the McKinney-Vento Act as amended by the ESSA. The District shall work with the local child welfare agency, the school last attended, or other relevant agencies to obtain necessary enrollment documentation. The District shall immediately enroll a homeless student and allow such student to attend school even if the student is unable to produce records normally required for enrollment.

The parent/guardian of any child who is denied admission to the District's schools, or an unaccompanied minor, a student eighteen years of age or older, a homeless child or youth or an unaccompanied youth who is denied schooling on the basis of residency, or an agent or officer charged with the enforcement of the laws concerning attendance at school may request, in writing, a hearing by the Board of Education.

The parent or person shall exercise such option by personally appearing at the school district office and signing an option form. The District shall provide the parent or person with information on the educational opportunities available in the school system.

A child who has attained the age of seventeen and who has voluntarily terminated enrollment with parental consent in the District's schools and subsequently seeks readmission may be denied readmission for up to ninety school days from the date of such termination unless such child seeks readmission to the District not later than ten (10) school days after such termination in which case the Board shall provide school accommodations to such child not later than three school days after such child seeks readmission.

## Students

### Ages of Attendance/Admissions/Placement

#### Residency (continued)

A child who has attained the age of nineteen or older may be placed in an alternative school program or other suitable educational program if he/she cannot acquire a sufficient number of credits for graduation by age twenty-one.

#### *In summary:*

- ❖ A parent with a child 5 and **under 18** is obligated to have that child attend school.
  - Unless the child graduated High School
  - Unless the parent demonstrates the child is receiving equivalent instruction elsewhere.
- ❖ Students **under 18** are subject to mandatory attendance laws
  - Unless they are at least 17 and the parent consents to the child's removal from school having demonstrated the child is receiving equivalent instruction elsewhere.
- ❖ The parent must personally appear at the school district office, and sign a withdrawal form. **(18 year old)**
  - The form must include an attestation from a guidance counselor, school counselor, or school administrator
  - The attestation must indicate that the parent or student received information regarding educational programs or options available in the school or community.
- ❖ The parent must personally appear at the school district office, and sign a withdrawal form. **(17 year old)**
  - The form must include an attestation from a guidance counselor, school counselor, or school administrator
  - The attestation must indicate that the parent or student received information regarding educational programs or options available in the school or community.
  - The parent or guardian must attest that the 17 year old withdrawing student has enrolled in an adult education program
- ❖ The parent with a five year old has the option of not sending a child until 6.
- ❖ The parent with a six year old has the option of not sending a child until 7.

(cf. 5118.1 - Homeless Students)

(cf. 5118.3 - Children in Foster Care)

(cf. 6146 - Graduation Requirements)

## **Students**

### **Ages of Attendance**

Legal Reference: Connecticut General Statutes  
4-176e to 4-180a Agency hearings  
4-181a Contested cases. Reconsideration. Modifications.  
10-15 Towns to maintain schools  
10-15c Discrimination in public schools prohibited. School attendance by five-year-olds  
10-76a - 10-76g re special education  
10-184 Duties of parents (re mandatory schooling for children ages five to sixteen, inclusive) as amended by PA-98-243, PA 00-157, PA 09-6 (September Special Session) and PA 18-15  
10-186 Duties of local and regional boards of education re school attendance. Hearings. (as amended by P.A. 19-179)  
P.A. 19-179 An Act concerning Homeless Students; Access to education Appeals to State Board. Establishment of hearing board  
10-233a - 10-233f Inclusive; re: suspend, expel, removal of pupils  
10-233c Suspension of pupils  
10-233d Expulsion of pupils  
State Board of Education Regulations  
10-76a-1 General definitions (c) (d) (q) (t)  
P.A. 19-179 An Act Concerning Homeless Students' Access to Education "Guidance for Connecticut School Districts: Enrollment Process and Practice," State Department of Education, December 2019.  
P.A. 21-86 An Act Concerning the Enrollment of Children of Members of the Armed Forces in Public Schools and the Establishment of a Purple Star School Program  
McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act (PL 107-110 Sec. 1032) 42 U.S.C. §11431-11435, as amended by the ESSA, P.L. 114-95  
Federal Register: McKinney-Vento Education for Homeless Children & Youths Program, Vol. 81 No. 52, 3/17/2016

Policy adopted:

rev 7/23

rev 2/24

## **Narrative to Support Policy #5141.5 Suicide Prevention and Intervention**

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Recently updated February 2023 to provide language to make the 988 crisis line widely available in schools, this update includes specific risk factors related to youth suicide developed by the Connecticut Suicide Advisory Board.

It's also important to note that while CAGE has listed policy 5141.5 as a "mandated" policy, it wasn't required by the general assembly for boards of education to include such policy in their policy manuals. However, Sections 79-80 of Public Act No. 23-167 states, "Each local and regional board of education shall adopt a written policy and procedures for dealing with youth suicide prevention and youth suicide attempts."

CAGE will continue listing policy 5145.5 and the associated regulations under its "Mandated Policies." The updated policy specifically reflects the language in the Public Act.

While policy 5141.5 language has been updated to comply with Public Act No. 23-167, Sections 79-80, CAGE's model regulations remain relevant and support the policy changes.

## **Students**

### **Suicide Prevention and Intervention**

The Killingly Board of Education recognizes that suicide is ~~among the three leading causes of death among young people and, consequently, is a concern to this school system and the community it serves. It is the policy of the Board of Education to actively respond in any situation where a student verbally or behaviorally indicates an intent to attempt suicide or to do physical harm to himself/herself.~~ a complex issue and that, while the school may recognize a potentially suicidal youth, it cannot make a clinical assessment of risk and provide in-depth counseling. Instead, the Board directs school staff to refer students who may be at risk of attempting suicide to an appropriate service for professional assessment, counseling and treatment services outside of the school.

The Board of Education recognizes the need for youth suicide prevention procedures and will establish **student assessment** program(s) to identify risk factors for youth suicide, procedures to intervene with such youth, referral services and training for teachers, other school professionals and students to provide assistance in these programs.

~~It is also recognized by the Board that suicide is a complex issue, and that, while school staff members may recognize potentially suicidal youth, they cannot make clinical assessment of risk and provide in-depth counseling, but must refer the youth to an appropriate agency for such assessment and counseling.~~

Risk factors for youth suicide will be based on the statewide strategic suicide prevention plan developed by the Connecticut Suicide Advisory Board, which includes, but is not limited to youth who are:

1. bereaved by suicide,
2. disabled or have chronic health conditions, such as mental health or substance use disorders,
3. involved in the juvenile justice system,
4. experiencing homelessness or placed in an out-of-home setting, such as foster care, or
5. lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender or questioning.

To that end, the Board directs the Superintendent to implement an assessment recommended by the Connecticut State Department of Education for determining suicide risk. The assessment shall be used to determine the suicide risk of students who:

- a. exhibit mental health distress,
- b. have been identified as at risk of suicide, or
- c. are considered to be at an increased risk of suicide based on particular risk factors.

Any school employee who may have knowledge of a suicide threat, ~~attempt or ideation~~ must take the proper steps to immediately report this information to the building Principal or his/her designee who will, in turn, notify the appropriate school officials, the Crisis Intervention Team, the student's family and appropriate resource services outside and within the school system.

~~Therefore, any school employee who may have knowledge of a suicide threat or intent will report this information to the school principal or his/her designee, who will, in turn, mobilize the crisis intervention team as described in the district's Guide to Crisis Intervention Procedures. The student's family will be notified, and an appropriate referral will be made. At no time during this process is the student to be left alone.~~



In addition, information regarding the 988 crisis line should be made widely available in schools and district offices. Text should note to call 988 if you are in emotional distress and/or you are having suicidal ideations. It should also include that by calling 988, you will be provided with support and connected to resources if needed.

Information concerning a student's suicide attempt, threat, or risk will be shared with others to the degree necessary to protect that student and others.

Legal Reference:       Connecticut General Statutes  
                              10-221(e) Boards of education to prescribe rules.

**Policy adopted: August 11, 2004**  
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**KILLINGLY PUBLIC SCHOOLS**  
**Killingly, CT 06239**

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## System Object

Report # 128068

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5111 Central Administration	\$362,541.63	\$0.00	\$362,541.63	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$244,831.64	\$117,709.99	67.53%
5112 School Administration	\$2,009,525.73	\$0.00	\$2,009,525.73	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,534,425.29	\$475,100.44	76.36%
5113 Teachers' Salaries	\$16,332,423.66	\$(275,273.94)	\$16,057,149.72	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$9,294,092.70	\$6,763,057.02	57.88%
5114 Finance/HR/Computer	\$499,075.65	\$0.00	\$499,075.65	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$327,079.98	\$171,995.67	65.54%
5115 Tutoring	\$50,000.00	\$(6,000.00)	\$44,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$21,818.00	\$22,182.00	49.59%
5119 Co-Curricular Stipends	\$391,260.97	\$0.00	\$391,260.97	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$229,153.28	\$162,107.69	58.57%
5120 Non-Certified Salaries	\$335,000.69	\$0.00	\$335,000.69	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$236,391.13	\$98,609.56	70.56%
5121 Secretarial/Clerical	\$1,350,479.38	\$0.00	\$1,350,479.38	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$970,631.55	\$379,847.83	71.87%
5122 Para-Professionals	\$2,191,343.22	\$0.00	\$2,191,343.22	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,364,976.80	\$826,366.42	62.29%
5123 Medical/Health	\$520,797.06	\$0.00	\$520,797.06	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$292,866.08	\$227,930.98	56.23%
5124 Operations & Maintenance	\$1,865,012.61	\$0.00	\$1,865,012.61	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,325,708.78	\$539,303.83	71.08%
5125 Transportation	\$1,497,137.00	\$0.00	\$1,497,137.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$942,546.45	\$554,590.55	62.96%
5126 Substitutes	\$500,842.00	\$0.00	\$500,842.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$453,334.43	\$47,507.57	90.51%
5127 Student Services	\$37,000.00	\$(1,313.00)	\$35,687.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$22,095.29	\$13,591.71	61.91%
5128 Temporary	\$89,300.00	\$0.00	\$89,300.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$34,787.22	\$54,512.78	38.96%
5130 Overtime	\$205,500.00	\$(6,000.00)	\$199,500.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$157,085.43	\$42,414.57	78.74%
5131 Computer Maintenance	\$223,394.50	\$0.00	\$223,394.50	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$137,167.36	\$86,227.14	61.40%

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5200 Benefits	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	---
5210 Health/Dental Insurance	\$4,916,303.36	\$(19,243.87)	\$4,897,059.49	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$3,365,033.94	\$1,532,025.55	68.72%
5212 HSA Contributions	\$485,218.75	\$(1,125.00)	\$484,093.75	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$421,970.85	\$62,122.90	87.17%
5213 Life Insurance	\$30,710.28	\$(85.20)	\$30,625.08	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$21,629.26	\$8,995.82	70.63%
5214 Benefits- Early Retirees	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	---
5215 Post-Employment Benefits	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	---
5217 Disability Insurance	\$5,163.96	\$0.00	\$5,163.96	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$3,605.12	\$1,558.84	69.81%
5218 HRA Funding	\$9,000.00	\$0.00	\$9,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$132.46	\$8,867.54	1.47%
5220 FICA	\$492,902.72	\$0.00	\$492,902.72	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$309,231.74	\$183,670.98	62.74%
5225 Medicare	\$412,574.52	\$(460.20)	\$412,114.32	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$239,701.10	\$172,413.22	58.16%
5230 ERIP Contributions	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	---
5231 Pension	\$203,410.00	\$0.00	\$203,410.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$203,410.00	0.00%
5232 Annuity Contributions	\$7,000.00	\$0.00	\$7,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$4,127.06	\$2,872.94	58.96%
5250 Unemployment Compensation	\$50,000.00	\$0.00	\$50,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$9,334.00	\$40,666.00	18.67%
5260 Workers' Compensation	\$375,000.00	\$0.00	\$375,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$358,149.35	\$16,850.65	95.51%
5322 Instructional Improvement	\$30,500.00	\$(7,081.67)	\$23,418.33	\$1,336.00	\$0.00	\$14,781.88	\$7,300.45	68.83%
5323 Pupil Services	\$127,840.00	\$0.00	\$127,840.00	\$35,450.00	\$0.00	\$81,351.93	\$11,038.07	91.37%

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5324 Field Trips	\$130,175.00	\$0.00	\$130,175.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$109,464.33	\$20,710.67	84.09%
5326 Testing	\$26,850.00	\$2,850.00	\$29,700.00	\$10,394.94	\$0.00	\$15,298.51	\$4,006.55	86.51%
5330 Professional/Technical Services	\$660,955.00	\$227,100.06	\$888,055.06	\$260,553.69	\$0.00	\$547,760.36	\$79,741.01	91.02%
5410 Utilities	\$1,560,549.04	\$0.00	\$1,560,549.04	\$2,020.00	\$0.00	\$857,234.47	\$701,294.57	55.06%
5420 Contracted Maintenance Services	\$995,277.93	\$6,782.52	\$1,002,060.45	\$121,658.64	\$0.00	\$723,849.27	\$156,552.54	84.38%
5430 Repairs & Maintenance Services	\$490,482.00	\$(8,121.12)	\$482,360.88	\$49,753.60	\$0.00	\$200,736.26	\$231,871.02	51.93%
5432 Technology-Related Repairs/Maintenance	\$10,000.00	\$0.00	\$10,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$10,000.00	0.00%
5440 Rentals	\$29,110.00	\$(6,500.00)	\$22,610.00	\$1,019.19	\$0.00	\$3,774.79	\$17,816.02	21.20%
5510 Pupil Transportation	\$35,000.00	\$0.00	\$35,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$41,405.00	\$(6,405.00)	118.30%
5520 Insurance	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	---
5529 Other Insurance & Judgments	\$18,000.00	\$0.00	\$18,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$16,375.00	\$1,625.00	90.97%
5530 Communications	\$392,928.62	\$25,699.93	\$418,628.55	\$21,883.35	\$0.00	\$354,038.90	\$42,706.30	89.80%
5531 Postage	\$26,000.00	\$0.00	\$26,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$20,511.79	\$5,488.21	78.89%
5532 Telephone	\$78,000.00	\$0.00	\$78,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$53,682.46	\$24,317.54	68.82%
5540 Advertising	\$12,574.00	\$0.00	\$12,574.00	\$1,169.60	\$0.00	\$5,687.05	\$5,717.35	54.53%
5550 Printing & Binding	\$27,840.00	\$(14.00)	\$27,826.00	\$4,575.73	\$0.00	\$8,913.76	\$14,336.51	48.48%
5560 Tuition	\$272,348.00	\$0.00	\$272,348.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$246,598.38	\$25,749.62	90.55%

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5561 Local Placement Tuition	\$4,248,000.00	\$0.00	\$4,248,000.00	\$2,018,978.58	\$92,502.09	\$3,411,938.52	\$ (1,182,917.10)	127.85%
5562 Agency Placement Tuition	\$190,000.00	\$0.00	\$190,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$190,000.00	0.00%
5580 Travel	\$69,506.00	\$5,704.08	\$75,210.08	\$1,000.00	\$0.00	\$24,221.72	\$49,988.36	33.54%
5590 Other Purchased Services	\$615,788.00	\$0.00	\$615,788.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$94,636.00	\$521,152.00	15.37%
5611 Instructional Supplies- Warehouse	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$25,424.00	\$ (25,424.00)	---
5612 Instructional Supplies	\$169,602.82	\$23,617.56	\$193,220.38	\$22,858.15	\$1,085.75	\$132,231.34	\$38,130.89	80.27%
5613 Custodial & Maintenance Supplies	\$205,320.00	\$ (1,199.00)	\$204,121.00	\$17,348.05	\$450.00	\$117,112.18	\$69,660.77	65.87%
5620 Heat Energy	\$3,500.00	\$0.00	\$3,500.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$25,323.96	\$ (21,823.96)	723.54%
5626 Motor Fuels & Oils	\$303,456.00	\$0.00	\$303,456.00	\$107.88	\$0.00	\$158,456.70	\$144,891.42	52.25%
5627 Transportation Supplies	\$137,300.00	\$0.00	\$137,300.00	\$8,090.50	\$0.00	\$92,525.58	\$36,683.92	73.28%
5641 Textbooks	\$3,256.00	\$0.00	\$3,256.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$3,188.77	\$67.23	97.94%
5642 Library Books/Periodicals	\$49,289.10	\$ (4,896.69)	\$44,392.41	\$11,241.92	\$0.00	\$21,572.65	\$11,577.84	73.92%
5691 Office Supplies	\$27,170.98	\$340.00	\$27,510.98	\$4,334.89	\$0.00	\$13,191.51	\$9,984.58	63.71%
5692 Health Supplies	\$18,000.00	\$0.00	\$18,000.00	\$9,988.29	\$0.00	\$4,277.53	\$3,734.18	79.25%
5695 Computer Software & Supplies	\$20,000.00	\$9,776.66	\$29,776.66	\$11,557.92	\$0.00	\$18,165.20	\$53.54	99.82%
5730 Non-Instructional Equipment	\$18,997.00	\$5,092.34	\$24,089.34	\$3,886.07	\$299.98	\$15,086.05	\$5,117.22	78.76%
5731 Instructional Equipment	\$68,175.55	\$12,199.61	\$80,375.16	\$4,821.27	\$0.00	\$65,808.42	\$9,745.47	87.88%

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5732 Vehicles	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	---
5734 Computer Hardware	\$43,500.00	\$24,461.49	\$67,961.49	\$31,761.85	\$0.00	\$36,199.60	\$0.04	100.00%
5810 Dues & Fees	\$120,381.27	\$(4,279.32)	\$116,101.95	\$4,332.97	\$80.00	\$83,186.39	\$28,582.59	75.38%
5890 Other Objects	\$121,528.00	\$(2,031.24)	\$119,496.76	\$9,064.96	\$0.00	\$36,567.35	\$73,864.45	38.19%
5900 Contingency	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	---
100 General Fund	\$46,805,118.00	\$0.00	\$46,805,118.00	\$2,669,188.04	\$94,417.82	\$30,002,483.90	\$14,133,446.06	69.80%
GRAND TOTAL	\$46,805,118.00	\$0.00	\$46,805,118.00	\$2,669,188.04	\$94,417.82	\$30,002,483.90	\$14,133,446.06	69.80%

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## Check Authorization

2023-2024

29693	19557	03/11/2024	100372	ADVANCE AUTO PARTS	133.94	Maintenance Supplies
	19558	03/11/2024	120038	ADVANTAGE EMERGENCY DEVICES INC	2,370.91	Non-Instructional Equipment
	19559	03/11/2024			14,846.87	Instructional Supplies, Maintenance Supplies, Library Books & Periodicals, Office Supplies, Computer Software & Supplies, Non-Instructional Equipment, Instructional Equipment & Computer Hardware
			78808	AMAZON CAPITAL SERVICES		
	19562	03/11/2024	120162	AMERICAN RIDES LIVERY SERVICE LLC	13,970.00	Special Ed Tuition
	19563	03/11/2024	73229	AMERICAN SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF	13,679.65	Special Ed Tuition
	19564	03/11/2024	119439	AMERICAN UNITED LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY	2,694.68	Life Insurance
	19565	03/11/2024	119367	ANDERSON MOTORS INC	369.11	Transportation Supplies
	19566	03/11/2024	24253	ANTHEM BC/BS OF CONNECTICUT	1,624.53	Insurance
	19567	03/11/2024	15780	ASCD	239.00	Dues & Fees
	19568	03/11/2024	105732	B & H PHOTO/VIDEO/PRO AUDIO	10,388.18	Office Supplies & Computer Hardware
	19569	03/11/2024	118545	BAKER, EILEEN	72.36	Travel
	19570	03/11/2024	120141	BERNHARDT, MERRILEE	2,640.00	Professional Technical Services
	19571	03/11/2024	23855	BIG Y FOOD INC	16.99	Other Objects
	19572	03/11/2024	90512	BLEVONS, SCOTT L	73.75	Athletic Official
	19573	03/11/2024	119591	BULMER, CHRISTINA	135.00	Dues & Fees
	19574	03/11/2024	27258	CAPITOL REGIONAL EDUCATION COUNCIL	64,118.34	Special Ed Tuition
	19575	03/11/2024	27600	CARGILL CHEVROLET CO. INC	54.30	Repairs & Maintenance
	19576	03/11/2024	120466	CARLSON, ROBERT RYAN	64.32	Travel
	19577	03/11/2024	120645	CARMODY, TORRANCE, SANDAK & HENNESSEY LL	26,875.36	Professional Technical Services
	19578	03/11/2024	111334	CASELLA WASTE	9,376.61	Contracted Maintenance
	19579	03/11/2024	118886	CAVIGGIA, EMILY A	113.60	Other Objects
	19580	03/11/2024	116647	CBS	937.50	Contracted Maintenance
	19581	03/11/2024	95217	CENTRAL COFFEE COMPANY	29.98	Other Objects
	19582	03/11/2024	120044	CF LESSEE FT LLC	3,550.81	Utilities
	19583	03/11/2024	120445	CF MASTER LESSEE SF LLC	9,325.06	Utilities
	19584	03/11/2024	105879	CHAMPAGNE, JACK	105.35	Athletic Official
	19585	03/11/2024	28500	CHASE GRAPHICS	250.00	Printing & Binding
	19586	03/11/2024	116414	CINTAS CORPORATION #756	43.78	Rental
	19587	03/11/2024	120026	CLEAN FOCUS DEVELOPMENT LLC	3,758.02	Utilities
	19588	03/11/2024	120406	CONNECTICUT HUMANE SOCIETY	50.00	Dues & Fees
	19589	03/11/2024	29861	CONNECTICUT JUNIOR REPUBLIC	6,426.75	Special Ed Tuition
	19590	03/11/2024	120641	CONSERVATION DEMONSTRATIONS	1,027.80	Instructional Equipment
	19591	03/11/2024	79065	CORPORATE BILLING LLC	3,759.42	Transportation Supplies
	19592	03/11/2024	73378	D & R COMMUNICATIONS	210.00	Office Supplies
	19593	03/11/2024	32750	DANIELSON SURPLUS	192.94	Other Objects
	19594	03/11/2024	33700	DUBAY'S TRACTOR CENTER	24.00	Maintenance Supplies
	19595	03/11/2024	117150	DVFLORA DELAWARE VALLEY WHOLESALE FLORIS	351.61	Instructional Supplies
	19596	03/11/2024	33900	EAST CONN	81,277.75	Special Ed Tuition
	19597	03/11/2024	34199	EASTERN CONNECTICUT REHABILITATION CENTE	2,325.00	Athletic Official
	19598	03/11/2024	50850	EVERSOURCE	59,415.24	Utilities
	19600	03/11/2024	64940	EVERSOURCE	19,418.67	Utilities
	19601	03/11/2024	95108	FILTER SALES & SERVICE	2,374.32	Maintenance Supplies

19602	03/11/2024	36936	FOLEY CARRIER SERVICES LLC	546.00	Professional Technical Services
19603	03/11/2024	116375	FOLLETT CONTENT SOLUTIONS	6,799.19	Library Books & Periodicals
19604	03/11/2024	117402	FRAN-DAN BOLT & SCREW CORP	433.34	Transportation Supplies
19605	03/11/2024	118701	FRENCH RIVER EDUCATION CENTER	3,773.00	Professional Technical Services
19606	03/11/2024	118420	FRONTIER COMMUNICATIONS	4,343.47	Telephone
19607	03/11/2024	89609	FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICAN CONNECTICUT A	275.00	Dues & Fees
19608	03/11/2024	120279	G-TECH BUS PARTS	1,299.99	Transportation Supplies
19609	03/11/2024	38185	GERRY'S MUSIC	350.00	Repairs & Maintenance
19610	03/11/2024	38755	GOPHER SPORT	756.67	Instructional Supplies
19611	03/11/2024	39051	GRAINGER INC, WW	287.04	Maintenance Supplies
19612	03/11/2024	79035	GRANITE GROUP WHOLESALERS	156.66	Maintenance Supplies
19613	03/11/2024	89854	GRANT, KELLY A	1,100.00	Professional Technical Services
19614	03/11/2024	116766	GRIFFIN GREENHOUSE SUPPLIES	2,648.30	Instructional Supplies
19615	03/11/2024	39929	HARMONY HILLS SCHOOL INC	11,814.10	Special Ed Tuition
19616	03/11/2024	84341	HORIZONS INC	12,713.74	Special Ed Tuition
19617	03/11/2024	120102	INSTITUTE FOR MULTI-SENSORY EDUCATION	64.85	Instructional Supplies
19618	03/11/2024	117534	INTERPRETERS AND TRANSLATORS INC	170.00	Professional Technical Services
19619	03/11/2024	117799	KENT, MARGARET	33.50	Travel
19620	03/11/2024	43850	KILLINGLY GLASS & ALUMINUM CO	1,115.00	Repairs & Maintenance
19621	03/11/2024	44050	KILLINGLY PUBLIC SCHOOLS LUNCH PROGRAM	275.00	Other Objects
19622	03/11/2024	44112	KILLINGLY, TOWN OF	417,951.80	Insurance
19623	03/11/2024	44060	KILLINGLY, TOWN OF	21,642.28	Utilities
19624	03/11/2024	100481	LACKNER JR, JAMES M	392.62	Travel
19625	03/11/2024	120477	LAFRAMBOISE WATER SERVICE	820.00	Contracted Maintenance & Repairs & Maintenance
19626	03/11/2024	120022	LANGUAGE LINE SERVICES INC	146.16	Professional Technical Services
19627	03/11/2024	120590	LASSO SOFTWARE INC	2,234.50	Professional Technical Services
19628	03/11/2024	53900	LEARN	10,392.50	Special Ed Tuition
19629	03/11/2024	45215	LEARNING CLINIC	41,210.40	Special Ed Tuition
19630	03/11/2024	117265	LEIGH, DARIN	105.35	Athletic Official
19631	03/11/2024	118435	LIFESPAN SCHOOL SOLUTIONS	40,344.00	Special Ed Tuition
19632	03/11/2024	116713	LOWE'S	2,202.23	Instructional Supplies & Maintenance Supplies
19633	03/11/2024	120241	MACKEY'S INC	925.76	Instructional Supplies
19634	03/11/2024	117136	MADISON NATIONAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY	409.90	Insurance
19635	03/11/2024	105877	MARSHALL MEMO	220.00	Library Books & Periodicals
19636	03/11/2024	116380	MASON, W B	247.78	Maintenance Supplies & Office Supplies
19637	03/11/2024	95205	NEAL, JON C	76.38	Travel
19638	03/11/2024	120158	NEW ENGLAND CENTER FOR CHILDREN INC	399.50	Communications
19639	03/11/2024	120444	NORMANDIE, DANA LEE	321.47	Travel
19640	03/11/2024	117415	NORTHEAST OIL & PROPANE INC	191.00	Propane
19641	03/11/2024	117010	NOVUS INSIGHT INC	7,557.00	Professional Technical Services
19642	03/11/2024	117010	NOVUS INSIGHT INC	947.00	Professional Technical Services
19643	03/11/2024	84486	O'LEARY, TIFFANY A	42.88	Travel
19644	03/11/2024	119258	O'REILLY	13.78	Maintenance Supplies
19645	03/11/2024	120124	OCEAN STATE ACADEMY LEARNING CENTER	6,344.25	Special Ed Tuition
19646	03/11/2024	118711	PANTELEAKOS, MICHAEL	147.50	Athletic Official
19647	03/11/2024	116416	PARTNERS FOR EDUCATION LEADERSHIP	100.00	Instructional Improvement
19648	03/11/2024	118029	PHILLIPS, MATTHEW R	73.75	Athletic Official



19649	03/11/2024	118691	PITTS, QUENTIN L	105.35	Athletic Official
19650	03/11/2024	73508	POSITIVE PROMOTIONS	1,346.92	Instructional Supplies
19651	03/11/2024	89635	PROJECT GENESIS	62,524.00	Special Ed Tuition
19652	03/11/2024	119433	PUTNAM PUBLIC SCHOOLS	1,040.00	Pupil Transportation
19653	03/11/2024	11220	RICOH USA INC	386.77	Contracted Maintenance
19654	03/11/2024	118264	ROBOTICS EDUCATION & COMPETITION FOUNDAT	900.00	Dues & Fees
19655	03/11/2024	119971	ROOTER-MAN OF EASTERN CT	395.00	Repairs & Maintenance
19656	03/11/2024	96250	ROUILLARD, JEFFREY S	105.35	Athletic Official
19657	03/11/2024	119327	RUNNINGS SUPPLY INC	94.97	Maintenance Supplies
19658	03/11/2024	117995	SAUNDERS, SHANNON	73.75	Athletic Official
19659	03/11/2024	120023	SECURLY INC	4,702.50	Communications
19660	03/11/2024	57500	SHOPPER-TURNPIKE CORPORATION	584.80	Advertising
19661	03/11/2024	117730	SHRED-IT USA	553.37	Professional Technical Services & Contracted Maintenance
19662	03/11/2024	120646	SIMSBURY HIGH SCHOOL	240.00	Dues & Fees
19663	03/11/2024	120212	SOLIAANT HEALTH	34,083.13	Professional Technical Services
19665	03/11/2024			2,982.28	Instructional Supplies, Office Supplies, Non-Instructional Equipment & Instructional Equipment
		59161	STAPLES BUSINESS ADVANTAGE		
19667	03/11/2024	59350	STERICYCLE INC	166.92	Contracted Maintenance
19668	03/11/2024	25002	STEVE BOUSQUET APPLIANCE & TV	599.00	Non-Instructional Equipment
19669	03/11/2024	95207	AHOLD FINANCIAL SERVICES	150.83	Instructional Supplies & Other Objects
19670	03/11/2024	105851	STUDENT TELEVISION NETWORK	3,200.00	Dues & Fees
19671	03/11/2024	59620	SUNSHINE SHOP	260.00	Other Objects
19672	03/11/2024	59676	SUPERIOR POWERTRAIN INC	425.00	Repairs & Maintenance
19673	03/11/2024	89841	SUPREME INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTS INC	37,095.50	Repairs & Maintenance & Maintenance Supplies
19674	03/11/2024	116697	TRACTOR SUPPLY COMPANY	51.96	Maintenance Supplies
19675	03/11/2024	118851	TRANE US INC	4,762.13	Repairs & Maintenance
19676	03/11/2024	100416	VENTURE COMMUNICATIONS & SECURITY LLC	1,312.50	Repairs & Maintenance
19677	03/11/2024	120116	VERIZON COMMUNICATIONS INC	788.25	Communications
19678	03/11/2024	84165	VERIZON WIRELESS	2,525.57	Telephone
19679	03/11/2024	118058	VEX ROBOTICS INC	1,285.80	Instructional Supplies
19680	03/11/2024	118281	WAKELY, BENJAMIN JAY	105.35	Athletic Official
19681	03/11/2024	119810	WALKER, JAMES R	73.75	Athletic Official
19682	03/11/2024	120499	WASCO INDUSTRIAL LLC	29.90	Maintenance Supplies
19683	03/11/2024	63060	WATERFORD COUNTRY SCHOOLS	7,275.00	Special Ed Tuition
19684	03/11/2024	64831	WESTERN PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES - WPS	300.30	Instructional Supplies
19685	03/11/2024	119274	WILDER, KEVIN	105.35	Athletic Official
19686	03/11/2024	116473	XEROX CORPORATION	11,828.43	Contracted Maintenance
19688	03/11/2024	119032	ZADORA, WALTER J	147.50	Athletic Official
				1,145,733.37	

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29791	19689	03/21/2024	100372	ADVANCE AUTO PARTS	180.86	Maintenance Supplies
	19690	03/21/2024			4,056.90	Instructional Supplies, Library Books & Periodicals, Printing & Binding, Office Supplies, Instructional Equipment, & Other Objects
			78808	AMAZON CAPITAL SERVICES		
	19692	03/21/2024	120162	AMERICAN RIDES LIVERY SERVICE LLC	5,095.00	Pupil Transportation
	19693	03/21/2024	119367	ANDERSON MOTORS INC	3,696.09	Transportation Supplies
	19694	03/21/2024	119729	ARC EASTERN CONNECTICUT	3,877.50	Special Ed Tuition
	19695	03/21/2024	119882	AGPARTS WORLDWIDE INC	2,634.00	Computer Software & Supplies
	19696	03/21/2024	11400	AWARDS PRINTING	250.00	Printing & Binding
	19697	03/21/2024	119993	BENOIT, KYLE R	146.26	Travel
	19698	03/21/2024	89800	BIG BOY'S TOYS LLC	37.91	Maintenance Supplies
	19699	03/21/2024	23855	BIG Y FOOD INC	125.00	Other Objects
	19700	03/21/2024	119737	BRAMAN CHEMICAL ENTERPRISES INC	264.60	Contracted Maintenance
	19701	03/21/2024	120645	CARMODY, TORRANCE, SANDAK & HENNESSEY LL	20,295.00	Professional Technical Services
	19702	03/21/2024	111334	CASELLA WASTE	1,605.84	Contracted Maintenance
	19703	03/21/2024	120610	CBS THERAPY	4,743.75	Professional Technical Services
	19704	03/21/2024	120654	CDLS MOBILE REPAIR LLC	300.00	Repairs & Maintenance
	19705	03/21/2024	95217	CENTRAL COFFEE COMPANY	50.95	Other Objects
	19706	03/21/2024	116414	CINTAS CORPORATION #756	43.78	Rentals
	19707	03/21/2024	38253	CONTRACT PAPER GROUP INC	25,424.00	Warehouse Supplies
	19708	03/21/2024	79065	CORPORATE BILLING LLC	4,979.87	Repairs & Maintenance & Transportation Supplies
	19709	03/21/2024	118055	CORRIVEAU, ARTHUR W	42.88	Travel
	19710	03/21/2024	28800	CT INTERLOCAL RISK MANAGEMENT ASSOC	89,536.85	Workers' Compensation
	19711	03/21/2024	32750	DANIELSON SURPLUS	221.99	Other Objects
	19712	03/21/2024	33214	DEMCO	1,772.08	Instructional Equipment
	19713	03/21/2024	33700	DUBAY'S TRACTOR CENTER	45.99	Maintenance Supplies
	19714	03/21/2024	117150	DVFLORA DELAWARE VALLEY WHOLESALE FLORIS	121.23	Instructional Supplies
	19715	03/21/2024	33900	EAST CONN	7,140.50	Tuition & Special Ed Tuition
	19716	03/21/2024	34199	EASTERN CONNECTICUT REHABILITATION CENTE	1,425.00	Athletic Officials
	19717	03/21/2024	117503	ETHIER, JEFFREY C	185.00	Dues & Fees
	19718	03/21/2024	64940	EVERSOURCE	41,703.74	Utilities
	19719	03/21/2024	50850	EVERSOURCE	16,194.63	Utilities
	19720	03/21/2024	106008	FORESTRY SUPPLIERS	1,360.28	Instructional Supplies
	19721	03/21/2024	120410	FORTE, SOLANDY	5,448.02	Professional Technical Services
	19722	03/21/2024	118863	FRENCH RIVER MATERIALS OF THOMPSON LLC	763.04	Maintenance Supplies
	19723	03/21/2024	118420	FRONTIER COMMUNICATIONS	52.25	Telephone
	19724	03/21/2024	38755	GOPHER SPORT	910.78	Instructional Supplies
	19725	03/21/2024	89666	HEALTHCALL MEDICAL CENTER LLC	450.00	Professional Technical Services
	19726	03/21/2024	84246	HENRY C LEE INSTITUTE OF FORENSIC	695.00	Instructional Improvement
	19727	03/21/2024	84507	HORIZON WINGS	100.00	Dues & Fees
	19728	03/21/2024	43780	KILLINGLY CENTRAL SCHOOL	305.80	Other Objects
	19729	03/21/2024	119273	LAMINATOR.COM	412.38	Office Supplies
	19730	03/21/2024	120651	LARGENT, JASON LEON	659.94	Instructional Equipment
	19731	03/21/2024	116713	LOWE'S	441.97	Instructional Supplies & Maintenance Supplies

19732	03/21/2024	116380	MASON, W B	268.57	Office Supplies
19733	03/21/2024	95114	MONTVILLE HIGH SCHOOL	215.00	Dues & Fees
19734	03/21/2024	48512	MYSTIC AIR QUALITY CONSULTANTS	1,315.00	Contracted Maintenance
19735	03/21/2024	73264	NAT'L COUNCIL FOR SOCIAL STUDIES	109.00	Dues & Fees
19736	03/21/2024	118502	NATIONAL FOOTBALL FOUNDATION	500.00	Dues & Fees
19737	03/21/2024	95205	NEAL, JON C	117.25	Travel
19738	03/21/2024	50199	NEW ENGLAND TRANSIT	401.61	Transportation Supplies
19739	03/21/2024	117415	NORTHEAST OIL & PROPANE INC	105.83	Propane
19740	03/21/2024	119258	O'REILLY	60.95	Maintenance Supplies
19741	03/21/2024	120051	OCULUSIT	11,313.00	Professional Technical Services
19742	03/21/2024	89682	PERKINS TRAVEL	868.00	Travel
19743	03/21/2024	116872	PITNEY BOWES GLOBAL FINANCIAL SVCS	248.98	Office Supplies
19744	03/21/2024	117979	RICK'S MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS	108.98	Instructional Supplies
19745	03/21/2024	11220	RICOH USA INC	46.45	Office Supplies
19746	03/21/2024	116518	ROY KITKA'S TIRE SALES AND SERVICE	1,933.02	Repairs & Maintenance
19747	03/21/2024	120150	SARGENT REHABILITATION CENTER	12,027.88	Special Ed Tuition
19748	03/21/2024	84376	SCHOOL NURSE SUPPLY INC	297.29	Medical Supplies
19749	03/21/2024	119010	SERTEX UTILITY SERVICES	4,434.74	Repairs & Maintenance
19750	03/21/2024	117730	SHRED-IT USA	326.80	Contracted Maintenance
19751	03/21/2024	120647	SOUNDTRAP US INC	2,527.00	Communications
19752	03/21/2024	59161	STAPLES BUSINESS ADVANTAGE	468.57	Office Supplies & Non-Instructional Equipment
19753	03/21/2024	59350	STERICYCLE INC	46.31	Contracted Maintenance
19754	03/21/2024	95207	AHOLD FINANCIAL SERVICES	170.47	Instructional Supplies & Other Objects
19755	03/21/2024	59620	SUNSHINE SHOP	402.95	Other Objects
19756	03/21/2024	89841	SUPREME INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTS INC	186.00	Maintenance Supplies
19757	03/21/2024	111369	TYLER BUSINESS FORMS	2,704.82	Printing & Binding
19758	03/21/2024	119483	VANDI AUTO SUPPLY	280.72	Transportation Supplies
19759	03/21/2024	116473	XEROX CORPORATION	71.71	Contracted Maintenance
				289,353.56	

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29847	19760	03/27/2024	73496	ADVANCED LOCK & SECURITY CO	144.90	Repairs & Maintenance
	19761	03/27/2024			3,042.41	Instructional Supplies, Maintenance Supplies, Library Books & Periodicals, Office Supplies, Non-Instructional Equipment & Instructional Equipment
			78808	AMAZON CAPITAL SERVICES		
	19763	03/27/2024	105732	B & H PHOTO/VIDEO/PRO AUDIO	315.00	Instructional Equipment
	19764	03/27/2024	120141	BERNHARDT, MERRILEE	2,700.00	Professional Technical Services
	19765	03/27/2024	27700	CAROLINA BIOLOGICAL SUPPLY CO	366.53	Instructional Supplies
	19766	03/27/2024	111334	CASELLA WASTE	500.82	Contracted Maintenance
	19767	03/27/2024	116647	CBS	937.50	Contracted Maintenance
	19768	03/27/2024	95217	CENTRAL COFFEE COMPANY	174.87	Other Objects
	19769	03/27/2024	119801	CHEYNE, MARY H	6,325.00	Professional Technical Services
	19770	03/27/2024	119078	CONNECTICUT NURSES' ASSOCIATION	175.00	Other Objects
	19771	03/27/2024	73593	CONNECTICUT WATER COMPANY	4,107.12	Utilities
	19772	03/27/2024	79065	CORPORATE BILLING LLC	204.30	Transportation Supplies
	19773	03/27/2024	105980	CT PEDIATRIC NEUROPSYCHOLOGY ASSOCIATION	3,125.00	Professional Technical Services
	19774	03/27/2024	119209	DPF REGENERATION.COM	1,989.57	Repairs & Maintenance
	19775	03/27/2024	117150	DVFLORA DELAWARE VALLEY WHOLESALE FLORIS	254.75	Instructional Supplies
	19776	03/27/2024	33900	EAST CONN	4,088.25	Special Ed Tuition
	19777	03/27/2024	34050	EASTERN CONN CONFERENCE	455.00	Dues & Fees
	19778	03/27/2024	64940	EVERSOURCE	7,221.62	Utilities
	19779	03/27/2024	50850	EVERSOURCE	29,704.68	Utilities
	19780	03/27/2024	79035	GRANITE GROUP WHOLESALERS	81.20	Maintenance Supplies
	19781	03/27/2024	116766	GRIFFIN GREENHOUSE SUPPLIES	1,004.43	Instructional Supplies
	19782	03/27/2024	84232	GRODEN CENTER INC	23,668.90	Special Ed Tuition
	19783	03/27/2024	118590	JUSTICE RESOURCE INSTITUTE	27,575.31	Special Ed Tuition
	19784	03/27/2024	43780	KILLINGLY CENTRAL SCHOOL	343.82	Other Objects
	19785	03/27/2024	43900	KILLINGLY HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT ACTIV	558.00	Dues & Fees
	19786	03/27/2024	120477	LAFRAMBOISE WATER SERVICE	718.00	Contracted Maintenance
	19787	03/27/2024	118435	LIFESPAN SCHOOL SOLUTIONS	2,187.00	Special Ed Tuition
	19788	03/27/2024	116713	LOWE'S	33.67	Maintenance Supplies
	19789	03/27/2024	120241	MACKEY'S INC	254.70	Instructional Supplies
	19790	03/27/2024	120296	MALONEY, JONA LESAGE	547.50	Professional Technical Services
	19791	03/27/2024	116380	MASON, W B	1,307.67	Office Supplies
	19792	03/27/2024	73499	MIKE SMITH'S TRANSMISSIONS	3,647.23	Repairs & Maintenance
	19793	03/27/2024	48557	HARTFORD HEALTHCARE CORPORATION SBO	872.00	Special Ed Tuition
	19794	03/27/2024	95205	NEAL, JON C	135.26	Travel
	19795	03/27/2024	52550	J W PEPPER & SONS	55.00	Instructional Supplies
	19796	03/27/2024	44242	POLSELLI JR, ROBERT N	609.99	Travel
	19797	03/27/2024	120150	SARGENT REHABILITATION CENTER	12,027.88	Special Ed Tuition
	19798	03/27/2024	84376	SCHOOL NURSE SUPPLY INC	525.00	Non-Instructional Equipment
	19799	03/27/2024	118486	SHERMAN, SALLY E	94.07	Travel
	19800	03/27/2024	100652	SHIPMAN & GOODWIN LLP	22,549.50	Professional Technical Services
	19801	03/27/2024	120212	SOLIAANT HEALTH	8,850.00	Professional Technical Services
	19802	03/27/2024	117786	SPECIALIZED EDUCATION OF CT INC DBA	23,468.33	Special Ed Tuition
	19803	03/27/2024	59161	STAPLES BUSINESS ADVANTAGE	42.41	Office Supplies

19804	03/27/2024	120656	STATE OF RHODE ISLAND
19805	03/27/2024	95207	AHOLD FINANCIAL SERVICES
19806	03/27/2024	59676	SUPERIOR POWERTRAIN INC
19807	03/27/2024	116697	TRACTOR SUPPLY COMPANY
19808	03/27/2024	119483	VANDI AUTO SUPPLY
19809	03/27/2024	118058	VEX ROBOTICS INC
19810	03/27/2024	64831	WESTERN PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES - WPS

25.00	Dues & Fees
167.98	Instructional Supplies & Other Objects
650.00	Repairs & Maintenance
248.85	Instructional Supplies
112.14	Transportation Supplies
39.96	Instructional Supplies
439.97	Testing
198,673.09	

## **CDS Senate Appropriations Subcommittee Project - Fiscal Year 2025 Overview – Killingly Board of Education – April 8, 2024**

Congressionally Directed Spending (CDS) provides an opportunity for eligible grantees (e.g., school districts and other non-profits) to apply for short-term, project-based funding that meets the objectives of existing Senate programs and subcommittees. Funding requests are submitted annually to the offices of Senators Blumenthal and Murphy for review. The Killingly Public Schools will be applying for this grant to support a Healthcare Career Pathway Program.

The funds will be used to hire a certified instructor for the pathway program, books, workbooks, training aides, and equipment to outfit a classroom with the necessary items to train students in a Certified Nursing Assistant program. Healthcare is one of the most popular and requested areas our students are potentially pursuing as a career, however, at this time, we are unable to offer this opportunity. The workforce is also experiencing a shortage, especially in Northeastern Connecticut. With this program, the district is hopeful of becoming a pipeline for local healthcare providers. The Eastern Connecticut Workforce Investment Board, along with ReadyCT, are ready to support and partner with the district on the planning and implementation of this pathway program.

According to the 2023 Office of Workforce Strategy report to the Connecticut General Assembly, since the Covid-19 pandemic, healthcare and social assistance jobs have hovered around 20,000 open positions per month and are consistently the most in-demand sector in every region of the state. Healthcare has the largest and fastest growing workforce with opportunities across the state, combine this with more than 20% of high school students graduate without a job offer, we feel starting up the healthcare pathway will bridge this gap.

This programming will benefit Connecticut, particularly Eastern Connecticut, as there is a need for healthcare professionals not only in our local hospital, Day Kimball, but also many of the nursing homes and schools. This will also create a pathway for students who will look to go into healthcare related fields at the postsecondary level. This program will provide our students the opportunity to earn their CNA license, whereas prior, they would have to pay for a program outside of school.

### CDS Senate Appropriations Subcommittee Project - Fiscal Year 2025

Budget Code	Description of Funded Activity	Cost
100 Personal Services-Employee Salary	Instructor Salary	\$72,068.00
200 Personal Services-Employee Benefits	Instructor Benefits	\$22,000.00
300 Purchased Professional and Technical Services	Professional Development with Community and Industry Partners	\$20,000.00
400 Purchased Property Services		\$0.00
500 Other Purchased Services		\$0.00
600 Supplies	Certified Nursing Aide Textbooks and Workbooks	\$18,476.40
700 Equipment	2 - Electric Hospital Beds, Physicians Scale, 2 Linen Hampers, Heavy duty wheelchair, 2 Simple Simon Nursing Care patient Simulators, 20 - sphygmomanometer arms, 15 thermometers, 5 - Automatic blood pressure cuffs, teaching telescope, set of crutches, folding waker, bedside commode, IV pole. stand with bag Reality Works Patient Care Technician Package, AED trainer	\$38,386.66
800 Miscellaneous		\$0.00
Total		\$170,931.06

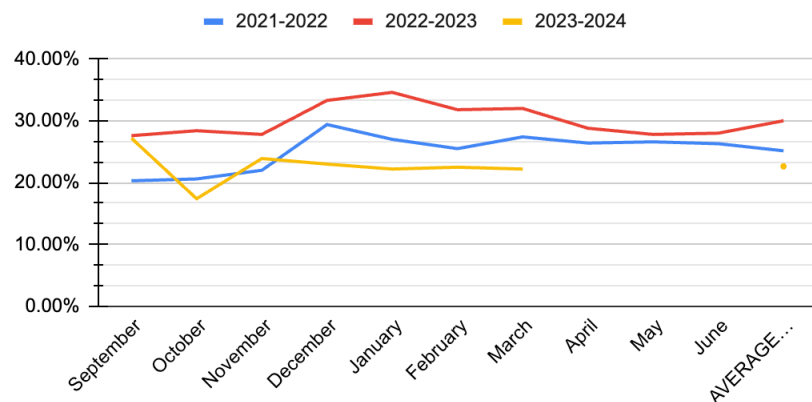


## Attendance Data 2023 - 2024

- To date, 100+ home visits following the LEAP model have taken place.
- An Attendance & Family Engagement event was held in November 2023 that brought in many different community groups to showcase what types of local resources are available to assist families.
- Word has spread throughout the school district that there is a resource in place to call for support. Families are reaching out to request home visits and attendance support.
- Attendance incentives include monthly challenges such as “No Missed Days in November”, “Just be on Time in January”, “March Madness Attendance”. Encouraging students by offering incentives such as stress balls, coupons to local businesses, and other individualized rewards helps.

Chronic by Month YTD			
	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024
September	20.30%	27.60%	27.20%
October	20.60%	28.40%	17.40%
November	22.00%	27.80%	23.90%
December	29.40%	33.30%	23.00%
January	27.00%	34.60%	22.20%
February	25.50%	31.80%	22.50%
March	27.40%	32.00%	22.20%
April	26.40%	28.80%	
May	26.60%	27.80%	
June	26.30%	28.00%	
<b>AVERAGE TOTAL</b>	<b>25.15%</b>	<b>30.01%</b>	<b>22.63%</b>

Monthly Chronic Absence Trends





**Regular Meeting**  
**KILLINGLY BOARD OF EDUCATION**  
**Wednesday, March 27, 2024**  
**7:00 PM**  
**Killingly Town Hall, 172 Main St.**  
**2nd Floor Community Mtg. Room**

**MINUTES**

**Present:** Ms. Laura Dombkowski, Ms. Susan Lannon, Ms. Laura Lawrence, Ms. Misty Murdock, Ms. Meredith Giambattista, Mr. Kevin Marcoux, Ms. Kelly Martin, Mr. Danny Rovero. Student Board members, Mr. Phillip Purcell, and Melody Kettle. Absent with Notification, Mr. Kyle Napierata.

**Others Present:** Superintendent Susan Nash-Ditzel, Asst. Superintendent Mr. Jeffrey Guiot and Keely Doyle, Recording Secretary.

**1. CALL TO ORDER & PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

Board Chair, Susan Lannon called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

**2. ROLL CALL-** Please see above.

**3. BOARD SHOUT-OUTS**

Susan Lannon gave shout to Emily Ross, who has many different roles including Killingly Public Schools, FRC Site Coordinator, Killingly Childcare Program Coordinator, School Readiness Liaison McKinney-Vento Liaison. Emily works very hard even outside of her normal work hours. Emily is always willing to help out in the district and provides many resources for families in need.

**4. RECOGNITION OF VISITORS**

**A. Recipients of the 2024 CAPSS Student Leadership Awards(6)**

Dr. Nash revealed that 6 Killingly students were recognized last night at the annual Student Leadership Awards Recognition ceremony. Nine other Superintendents from surrounding districts were in attendance to recognize their students too. It was very well attended. The students are selected based on their academic success, school leadership and service to others. This year's students were:

Everly Mayo & Jaxson Perreault from KMS, both in grade 4.

Katie Hill & Michael Gottlieb from KIS, both in grade 8.

Phillip Purcell . gr. 11 & Grace Sumner, grade 12 at KHS.

**B. March 2024 Employee of the Month, Jennifer Wilson**

Members of the Board recognized and congratulated, Ms. Jennifer Wilson as March 2024 Employee of the Month. Jennifer works with 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> graders at KIS as a paraprofessional. Jen approaches every day with grace, perseverance, and professionalism. Jen forms strong bonds with all her students and holds them to high expectations. Jen is a trusted adult who listens to her students' concerns to support them and ensure that they are available to learn.

**5. REPORT BY STUDENT BOARD MEMBERS**

Goodyear: On March 22nd, Goodyear staff spent the morning learning about nature-based learning. Teachers toured a nature pre-school in Storrs.

KCS had a large attendance of families who attended parent/teacher conferences on March 25 & 26<sup>th</sup>. Spring Clubs begin April 2nd.

KMS held parent teacher conferences last week. Grade 3 is visiting the Loos Center for the Arts in Woodstock on March 28 to watch a performance by the Azul String Quartet. Professional Development on Friday was presented by the math interventionists and reading specialists.

KIS Forgive and Forget students raised enough money to support the construction of another fresh water well for a village in the African country of Uganda. The annual spring musical is “Beauty and the Beast Junior,” and will be presented on April 5<sup>th</sup> and April 6<sup>th</sup>.

KHS KTV program competed in a national competition. There were over 200 schools and 3000 students who competed. The KHS Music Department were very successful at the Festival of Music competition in Virginia. KHS had a guest speaker sponsored by our Future Business Leaders of America.

**6. PUBLIC COMMENT-** No comments.

**7. COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT COMMITTEE PRESENTATION**

Community Engagment Committee members Michael Lefevre, Sally Sherman, Kris Cicchetti, Chad Neal, Christina Main, Bryant Sheldon shared what the committee does and shared the initiatives of the committee. The committee was established in 2023. It’s a partnership with the community, students, parents and businesses in the community. The committee showcases achievements in the Killingly Public Schools and serves not just Killingly, but 11 other communities. The committee collaborates with members of local businesses and organizations and gives presentations showing what the committee can offer by partnering with them. Presentations have been made on WINY radio, at Killingly Business Association meetings, and with the Killingly Alumni Association and Danielson Veterans Coffeehouse. These are opportunities to spread the news about programs and resources offered in the District. Board members are invited to attend the N.E Chamber of Commerce’s “Connecting Local Workforce to Our Future Generation” event on April 11 from 8-10:0am at Killingly High School. Each school will be showcased. Students will be networking with businesses. On Monday, August 19 at 4:00 the Committee is planning ‘Great Things Happen Here, Community Extravaganza’ at Killingly High School. There is a link on the Killingly Public Schools website with many resources and much more information.

**8. BOARD CHAIR AND COMMITTEE & LIAISON UPDATES**

- A. Curriculum Committee- The committee met tonight and a recommendation to the full board to approve new curriculum will be requested for the Board next meeting.
- B. Facilities Committee- No update
- C. Fiscal Committee- On Tuesday, April 2<sup>nd</sup> the Board will present their budget at 7:00 pm to Town Council.
- D. Personnel Committee- No updates
- E. Policy Committee- There is a Policy Committee meeting on April 1<sup>st</sup> at 4:30 at Central Office.

## 9. DISCUSSION AND ACTION REGARDING THE ANNUAL HEALTHY FOOD CERTIFICATION

**MOTION:** by Kelly Martin, seconded by Kevin Marcoux that...

Pursuant to C.G.S. Section 10-215f, the Killingly Board of Education certifies that all food items offered for sale to students in the schools under its jurisdiction, and not exempted from the Connecticut Nutrition Standards published by the Connecticut State Department of Education, will comply with the Connecticut Nutrition Standards during the period of July 1, 2024, through June 30, 2025. This certification shall include all food offered for sale to students separately from reimbursable meals at all times and from all sources, including but not limited to school stores, vending machines, school cafeterias, culinary programs, and any fundraising activities on school premises sponsored by the school or non-school organizations and groups."

**Yes- 8, Motion Carries**

**MOTION:** by, Meredith Giambattista seconded by Kevin Marcoux that...

The Killingly Board of Education will allow the sale to students of food items that do not meet the Connecticut Nutrition Standards and beverages not listed in Section 10-221q of the Connecticut General Statutes provided that the following conditions are met: 1) the sale is in connection with an event occurring after the end of the regular school day or on the weekend; 2) the sale is at the location of the event; and 3) the food and beverage items are not sold from a vending machine or school store. An "event" is an occurrence that involves more than just a regularly scheduled practice, meeting, or extracurricular activity. For example, soccer games, school plays, and interscholastic debates are events but soccer practices, play rehearsals, and debate team meetings are not. The "regular school day" is the period from midnight before to 30 minutes after the end of the official school day. "Location" means where the event is being held and must be the same place as the food and beverage sales.

**Yes- 8, Motion Carries**

## 10. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION OF PROPOSED 2024-25 TUITION RATES

The Board reviewed past tuition rates and discussed the new proposed rates. The highschool's tuition is based on a formula of operation cost, and capital cost.

The 2024-25 proposed tuition for KHS is  $\$14,876 + \$2,004 = \$16,880$ .

Killingly Intermediate School for 2024-25 =  $\$12,262.75$

Killingly Memorial School & Killingly Central School proposed tuition for 2024-25 is  $\$12,484.48$

**MOTION:** by Kevin Marcoux, seconded by Danny Rovero to approve the 2024-25 tuition rates as presented.

**Yes- 8, Motion Carries**

## 11. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING IDEA PART B GRANT-TSA & ESP SUPPORT

The grant was offered by the State to support all students considered to be in transition from school, targeted for students from 14-22 year old, who have IEPs. Some students may qualify for transition services under the IEP until they turn 22 years old. A portion of the grant will enhance the student transition program and support additional training and summer work days for paraprofessionals. The grant total is \$15,000.

**MOTION:** by Danny Rovero, seconded by Misty Murdock to approve the IDEA Part B Grant.

**Yes- 8, Motion Carries**

## 12. SUPERINTENDENT'S UPDATE

### 12.A Summary of Social, Emotional and Behavioral Programming, Supports and Services for Killingly

Dr. Susan Nash-Ditzel presented a comprehensive summary of Social, Emotional and Behavioral Programming, Supports and Services for K-12. Dr. Nash-Ditzel elaborated what the Behavioral Health Pilot (BHP) embodies. KPS created a partnership with the Child Health and Development Institute to support the implementation of behavioral and mental health supports and services for students and staff, district-wide. The presentation included a more wide-ranging look at the many different components of mental health initiatives and tiered supports. 285 staff have been trained in areas of: mobile crisis, trauma and its impact on behavior and learning, positive school climate and multi-tiered systems of support.

Teachers measure students skills in specific competencies. Students who show “need of instruction” results, are assessed again with a more detailed assessment. Those students may need targeted education with more supports.

The report also included information regarding KPS implementation of the Columbia Suicide Rating Scale to determine the suicide risk of students. Each building has a crisis team to respond to a crisis within the school community. BHP is no cost and includes free training and technical assistance, and evaluation.

The bi-annual SERAC survey was provided in the fall to students in grades 7-12. The survey is provided by the Substance Abuse Prevention Coalition. A section of the survey focuses on mental health and suicide. Comparison results to the 2021 survey showed a decline in questions related to suicide. There is important work being done and we are starting to see good results.

CHR Update: CHR is Killingly Public School’s school-based health center. CHR offers spealized treatment for anxiety, depression, school issues, family issu, functional family therapy, and other issues students may be experiencing. CHR counselors are extending services for after school hours and will be increasing the amount of days spent at KHS & KIS. Currently there is a short waiting list for students.

To date there have been close to 100 visits made by Christina Main, Attendance Coordinator. Her efforts have made a huge difference with chronic attendance.

Dr. Nash shared more information about the new required kindergarten entry age. KCS will offer the *Early Experience* for one year, for students born between September 2 and December 31. It will be a full school day, with transportation, and lunch. The State will allow parents to ask for a waiver for students born between Sept. 1 and Dec. 31 but those students will need to assessed to see if they are developmentally ready for regular kindergarten.

## 13. CONSENT AGENDA

### A. March 13, 2024 Board Meeting Minutes

**MOTION:** by Kevin Marcoux, seconded by Misty Murdock to approve the consent agenda as presented.

**Yes-8, Motion Carries**

#### 14. ADJOURNMENT

**MOTION:** by Kevin Marcoux seconded by Meredith Giambattista to adjourn at 8:42pm.  
**Yes-8, Motion Carries**

Respectfully submitted by,

*Keely Doyle*

Recording Secretary

2023-2024 Killingly Public Schools Student Enrollment																	
April 1, 2024									March 1, 2024								
GRADE	KHS	KIS	KCS	KMS	GDYR	OD			GRADE	KHS	KIS	KCS	KMS	GDYR	OD		
PREK					128	0			PREK					123	0		
K						1			K			148			2		
1						0			1			171			0		
2				146		4			2				147		4		
3				178		0			3				176		0		
4				159		3			4				159		2		
5		180				5			5		179				5		
6		179				5			6		180				4		
7		166				5			7		165				5		
8		160				8			8		161				7		
9	193					7			9	197					7		
10	223					9			10	224					8		
11	169					4			11	169					4		
12	161					17			12	164					18		
Totals	746	685	320	483	128	68	2,430		Totals	754	685	319	482	123	66	2,429	
COMPARATIVE DATA: 2022-2024										KMS by Teacher		KCS by Teacher					
										Crabtree, M.-2		16	Angelo, K.-K		16		
										Fratoni, D.-2		17	Collins, K.-K		16		
										Juhola, N.-2		17	Crawford, K.-K		17		
										Lanzoni, L.-2		15	Horne, F.-K		15		
GECC			KCS	KMS	KIS	KHS	OD	Total	Maheu, J. - 2		17	Johndrow, D.-K		16			
January 3, 2022			98	368	509	649	744	61	2,429	McMerriman,S.-2		15	Laboeuf, K.-K		15		
February 1, 2022			101	369	513	644	742	61	2,430	Moulton, J.-2		16	Livingston, H.-K		13		
March 1, 2022			107	367	514	643	737	60	2,428	Riordan, E.-2		16	Parsell, S.-K		16		
April 1, 2022			110	371	511	644	733	59	2,428	Sakidovitch, A.-2		17	Racine, M.-K		18		
May 2, 2022			113	374	513	643	729	59	2,431	Bitgood, C.-3		22	Blackmar, C.-1		21		
June 1, 2022			114	372	512	643	723	59	2,423	Breen, T.-3		22	Brock, J.-1		20		
June 14, 2022			114	372	512	643	721	59	2,421	Carlson, J.-3		22	Ellis, A. - 1		19		
September 8, 2022			100	336	539	669	781	53	2,478	Gaulin, N.-3		21	Guillot, J.-1		19		
October 3, 2022			101	335	532	671	788	52	2,479	Hand, H.-3		23	Horvath S.-1		21		
November 1, 2022			107	339	530	666	780	53	2,475	Penner, K. -3		24	Kouatly, K.-1		14		
December 1, 2022			105	341	531	661	778	53	2,469	Siegmund, L.-3		21	Santaniello,M.-1		19		
January 4, 2023			105	339	531	664	773	54	2,466	Tillinghast, A.-3		23	Steuernagel, M.-		16		
February 1, 2023			110	340	530	665	763	58	2,466	Breen, C.-4		21	Watson, J.-1		19		
March 1, 2023			109	340	526	665	762	58	2,460	Burdick, S.-4		20	Chito, A - IL		8		
April 3, 2023			115	340	527	657	766	59	2,464	Delfarno, M.-4		19	Dean, J. - IL		2		
May 1, 2023			118	340	527	659	765	58	2,467	Lee, B.-4		21	Total		320		
June 1, 2023			119	339	526	655	764	57	2,460	Lisee, B.-4		19					
June 23, 2023			118	339	527	655	760	58	2,457	Scott, A.-4		20					
September 1, 2023			117	324	500	704	771	59	2,475	Tenaglia, D.-4		19					
October 2, 2023			117	326	485	697	760	62	2,447	Williamson, G.-4		20					
November 1, 2023			117	328	484	698	752	61	2,440	Total		483					
December 1, 2023			120	329	483	699	751	58	2,440								
January 3, 2024			119	327	484	697	749	61	2,437								
February 1, 2024			119	324	481	694	755	64	2,437								
March 1, 2024			123	319	482	685	754	66	2,429								
April 1, 2024			128	320	483	685	746	68	2,430								

Agency and Sp. Ed. Placements	
Agency-Out of District	
ACES Bridges-Hartford, CT	1
CT Junior Republic-Litchfield, CT	1
Agency Total	1
Local- Out of District	
ASD (American School for the Deaf), West Hartford, CT	1
ARC of NE CT- Danielson, CT	1
Bradley School New London - New London, CT	1
Bradley School Windham-Thompson, CT	11
CREC Birken - Bloomfield,CT	2
CREC Riverstreet - South Windsor, CT	3
EASTCONN Bridges - Columbia, CT	1
EASTCONN NRP - Danielson, CT	10
EASTCONN Transition - Willimantic, CT	1
EASTCONN Vocational - Columbia, CT	1
Groden Center - Providence, RI	1
GROW Elementary - Dudley, MA	1
Harmony Hill - Chepachet, RI	1
High Roads - Danielson, CT	2
Horizons - Windham, CT	1
Learning Clinic - Brooklyn,CT	4
Natchaug Joshua Center - Danielson, CT	4
Ocean Learning Academy, New London, CT	2
Ocean State Learning Academy, Providence, RI	1
Project Genesis - Windham, CT	11
Sargent Rehabilitation Center, Providence, RI	1
Susan Wayne Center - Thompson, CT	3
Watford Country School - Quaker Hill, CT	2
Local Out of District Total	66
Agency	2
Total	68

It is our pleasure to nominate Jim Esposito for employee of the month. Much time is spent discussing the emotional health of students, and rightly so. Inextricably tied to the concept of emotional health is, simply put, a child's need to feel safe. Above all things we value our children arriving at Killingly High School and feeling like they are safe, protected, cared for and heard.

While Jim Esposito certainly has an imposing stature, undoubtedly capable of handling almost any situation, it is in the small, less obvious ways that he has worked his way into the hearts of our students. Jim is a shining example of how the energy you put out into the world will be returned to you. He moves through the school and among the students with a demeanor that would best be defined as calm, assured, settled and confident. Children, while they may not know how to put it into words, respond to this energy with their own warmth and sense of confidence. Students want to gather around him and be in proximity to Jim. I understand why and can see what they must be feeling: moved and uplifted by the sense of safety and assurance that being in Jim's orbit makes you feel.

While Jim is a quiet man, what you quickly learn about him is that he is one of the kindest, most sensitive, and thoughtful people you will meet. He gravitates to the most vulnerable of our students and casts the light of his warmth over them with, often, nothing more than a kind word or his presence. On paper, it is his job to support a safe environment. For Jim, this goes far beyond checking doors and being prepared to respond to an emergency. Jim is a person who clearly cares deeply about kids and is overtly passionate about being a protector and agent of those who need us most. He doesn't wait. He builds relationships with students. He speaks to them. He connects with them. He laughs with them. He makes them feel seen, heard, and valued.

I have seen students going into the security office and asking him for snacks, which he readily provides. I have seen them sidling up to him in the cafeteria to talk or, simply, to be in the presence of something that is good. Jim is good. He is a good person with a good heart and the soul of a giver. Our students are so very lucky to have him as part of our school family. We are all lucky.

I remember when I found out that Jim had decided to be a coach for our Unified Students. Jim is the kind of person who finds where he is needed most, where there is a vulnerability that requires his strength. Not the strength of body which he certainly possesses, but the strength of heart, soul, and character.

Jim has brought the goodness of his soul into Killingly High School. While they may not be able to describe it, our students feel its warmth radiated among them. In some way, it seems that Jim has found a calling among the children of Killingly and we are very grateful he did.

Gratefully,

Karen Lagace, Principal  
Michael Lefevre, Assistant Principal  
Stephan Paul, Assistant Principal



# KILLINGLY PUBLIC SCHOOLS FIELD TRIP REQUEST

REV. 7/08

Trip Number:

010 - 0 - 1-001-80-2710-0125  
Bldg Use Sequence (e.g. 010-1-001)

Billing Code: \_\_\_\_\_

SCHOOL: KHS GRADE/CLASS/CLUB: Model UN Club DATE: 3/18/24

TEACHER/FIELD TRIP LEADER: Julie Gutierrez

DATE OF TRIP: 5/17/24

NUMBER OF STUDENTS: 11

NUMBER OF CHAPERONES: 2

DEPARTURE TIME: 7:15 AM

RETURN TIME: 5:30 PM

On a school day: 8:30 AM or later unless approved in writing by the Transportation Supervisor

2 PM or earlier unless approved in writing by the Transportation Supervisor

DESTINATION/DIRECTIONS (be specific): Northeastern University,  
360 Huntington Ave, Boston, MA

Yes ☒ No ☐ Transportation availability confirmed with Transportation Supervisor

J. Boulanger  
\* said we might  
have to leave at  
8:45 AM if we  
are short drivers.

Objectives of Trip (relation to curriculum, etc.): The Model UN

Club would like to attend the Rising Leaders

Model UN Conference sponsored by the UNAGB.

Transportation Desired:

Names of Chaperones:

☐ School Bus

Julie Gutierrez

☒ Mini Bus

David Desrosiers (KIS)

☐ Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Van \_\_\_\_\_

Special Equipment Required:

☐ Car Seats \_\_\_\_\_

(Number)

☐ Handicap Equipped

Specify: \_\_\_\_\_

Substitutes Req. \_\_\_\_\_

(Number)

Aide(s) Required \_\_\_\_\_

(Number)

Nurse Required \_\_\_\_\_

(Number)

NOTE: Requests to be submitted with all entries complete at least two weeks prior to the trip. Approval will be given only for trips where careful and early planning insures that worthwhile educational outcomes will result. PLEASE NOTE: Head teacher (school) is responsible for any parking fees.

Julie Gutierrez  
Teacher

Ka. [Signature]  
Principal/Program Administrator

Superintendent's Office

[Signature]  
Transportation Supervisor