Stevenson High School Board Bulletin

A monthly message from the Board of Education

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Welcome to our Stevenson High School Board Bulletin, a monthly message from our Board of Education that will include key updates that impact student life at Stevenson. We are very pleased to share several key takeaways from our most recent board meeting below. Thank you for your engagement on these very important issues! We look forward to staying in touch.

Sincerely,
Stevenson High School Board of Education

KEY TAKEAWAYS

Our board meeting agendas often include many items for discussion. While you will always be able to review the agenda, meeting minutes, and video recordings of these meetings on **our Board webpage**, this Board Bulletin provides key takeaways for our Stevenson community.

1. The Board of Education received the Class of 2025 Report, which details the post-secondary plans of last year's graduating class. Of note:

    - 96% of the class is college-bound, with 84% attending four-year schools and 12% attending two-year schools.
    - UIUC remains our top school, with 193 students attending this fall.
    - Our ten most popular four-year universities are:
        - The University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign [193]
        - University of Illinois at Chicago [86]
        - Indiana University [56]
        - Purdue University [40]
        - University of Iowa [33]
        - DePaul University [32]
        - Loyola University [24]
        - The Ohio State University [23]
        - University of Wisconsin-Madison [22]
        - Michigan State University [19]

2. The Board of Education received a report on Stevenson's 2025 summer school activities, which includes data about enrollment by grade level and course selection. Similar to previous summers, the vast majority of students were incoming freshmen (71% of all students enrolled in summer school) who took World History (a graduation requirement). Other popular summer

courses include Algebra 2, College Writing Workshop, Computer Programming, Driver Education, Introduction to Business, ACTPrep and US History.

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Dr. Eric Twadell, superintendent, provided an update on enrollment at Stevenson High School. As of Aug. 11, total student enrollment stood at 4,802. This figure — which fluctuates slightly in the beginning of the school year — includes all students enrolled at Stevenson High School, regardless of whether they attend full-time, part-time or are outplaced. This is up from last year's enrollment, which stood at 4,766 students.