

Board of Education Board Workshop
Wichita Public Schools · USD 259
January 9, 2026 · Immediately Following Agenda Review Workshop
Alvin E. Morris Administrative Center · Room 809
903 S. Edgemoor · Wichita KS



Wichita Public Schools will be the premier district of choice, and inspire each student and staff member to thrive and become future ready within the greater community.

Updated

1. Roll Call

2. Workshop

A. Elementary Reading Screener Data

Contact(s): Amanda Sharshel, Holly Ingram

Summary: This presentation will provide an update on winter literacy screening data for elementary students in Pre-K through 5th grade, focusing on both proficiency and growth trends. We will also review our adopted and district-created programs and resources, highlighting how each aligns with the Multi-Tiered System of Supports (MTSS) framework for reading to ensure that instructional practices and materials effectively support all learners.

Recommendation: This report is for the Board's information.

B. Graduation and Certification Audit Report

Contact(s): Loren Hatfield

Summary: This presentation will provide an update on the Graduation and Certification Audit, established under Board Policy 6336 in December 2025.

Recommendation: This report is for the Board's information.

C. Finance Workshop

Contact(s): Addi Lowell

Funding Source: N/A

Purpose: This workshop will provide the Board of Education with an overview of how the district's budget is funded, including the major revenue sources and how they interact. The presentation is intended to build a shared understanding of funding opportunities and constraints, and the factors that influence annual budget decisions and other board of education action.

Recommendation: This is for the board's information.

3. Adjournment