Metropolitan School District of Lawrence Township 2026-2027 Board Goals

Student Achievement

We are passionate about providing rigorous, high-quality academic achievement in a diverse and enriching environment.

- ILEARN: Increase by 5% the number of students designated as Approaching, At or Above Proficiency on the annual ILEARN assessment.
  - Baseline: TBD
- 9th Grade on Track: Reach 90% or increase by 5% the number of students designated as "9th Grade on Track." 10 or more credits (2 in ELA, 2 in math, 2 science or social studies)
  - Baseline: 87.6% (projected)
- Diploma: Maintain an average graduation rate of at least 95% while increasing the percentage of students earning an honors distinction.
  - Baseline: 97% (projected)

Student Achievement – (continued)

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- IREAD3: By June 2027, increase by 5% the number of students at proficiency on the IREAD3 assessment.
  - Baseline: 83%
- Student attendance: Reach 75% or increase by 10% the number of students attending 94% of school days enrolled.
  - Baseline: 68.4% (projected)
- WIDA: Increase by 5% the number of students reaching their language proficiency target as measured by the annual WIDA Access assessment.
  - Baseline: TBD

Finance

We are responsible for 23 facilities and over 2,500 employees.

- The MSD of Lawrence Township School Board will ensure a strong and stable financial outlook by maintaining a cash balance of $14M in the education fund at the end of each calendar year.

- All taxing funds will maintain a positive balance at the end of the fiscal year.
  - Baseline: Current Positive Balance