

AGENDA
BOARD OF EDUCATION
UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT 445, COFFEYVILLE
Regular Meeting
October 12, 2026- 4:00 p.m. at the District Office

"Building on a culturally diverse community, USD 445 will prepare all students for life-long learning by providing resources for a comprehensive quality education in a safe environment that promotes high academic achievement and responsible citizenship in a global society." – Mission Statement

"Valuing individuals, Celebrating Learning, Improving Life! USD 445 will provide a happy, caring, hopeful environment that will empower children to achieve their greatest potential." – Vision Statement

1. Call to Order/Roll Call
2. Adoption of Agenda
3. Consent Agenda
 - A. Approval of Minutes of Regular Meeting, September 10, 2026 and Special Meeting, September 31, 2026 *(pg. 3)*
 - B. Approval of Bills and Treasurer's Report *(pg. 18)*
 - C. Child Nutrition Report – September 2026 *(pg. 37)*
 - D. Acceptance of Resignations/Retirement
 - i. Resignation – Jennifer Smith, Elementary Teacher, CES *(effective 09/17/2026)*
 - ii. Resignation – Skyeler Harrah, Lead Secretary, RMS *(effective 09/16/2026)*
 - iii. Resignation – Kamryn Hensley, Teacher Assistant, ELC *(effective 12/18/2026)*
 - iv. Resignation – Wesley Kimmel, Assistant Boys Swim Coach, FKHS *(effective 10/09/2026)*
 - v. Resignation – Wesley Kimmel, Assistant Track Coach, RMS *(effective 10/09/2026)*
4. Miscellaneous Reports
 - A. Positive Comments
 - B. Central Office
 - i. Superintendent
 - a. Long Range Planning
 - C. Tri-County Special Education Report
5. Action Items
 - A. Board action to approve the Superintendent's recommendation and purchase ESSDAK Coaching and Leadership services for \$27,500 for the 2026-2027 school year. *(pg. 39)*
 - B. Board action to approve the Superintendent's recommendation and purchase Accelerate Learning curriculum material for \$29,791.24 for the 2026-2027 school year. *(pg. 41)*
6. Action Items Personnel
 - A. Board action to approve the Superintendent's recommendation for employment:
 - i. Jennifer Blagg, Lead Secretary, RMS
 - ii. Phillip Gagebusch, Custodian, CES
 - B. Board action to approve the Superintendent's recommendation for supplemental position:
 - i. Julie Thompson, Leadership C - LTRS Facilitator, District
 - ii. Jacob Viets, Assistant Football Coach, FKHS
 - iii. Josh Cavaness, Assistant Football Coach, RMS

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7. Executive Session

Personnel Matters

I move that we go into executive session to discuss an employee(s) performance pursuant to the nonelected personnel exception under the Kansas Open Meetings Act, and invite Dr. Craig Correll (Superintendent) and Michael Speer (Business Manager) into the executive session and the open meeting will resume in this room at _____ pm.

Reconvene to Open Session

To Discuss Negotiations

I move that we go into executive session to discuss proposed language changes in the Negotiated Agreement pursuant to the exception for employer-employee negotiations under the Kansas Open Meetings Act, and invite Dr. Craig Correll (Superintendent) and Michael Speer (Business Manager) into the executive session and the open meeting will resume in this room at _____ pm.

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8. Adjournment

NEXT REGULAR MEETING: November 9, 2026, 4:00 p.m., USD 445 District Office

USD 445 Strategic Plan/Kansas Can Outcomes

*#1: Graduation/Post-Secondary Success, #2: Individual Plan of Study, #3: Civic Engagement,
#4: Social-Emotional Learning, #5: Kindergarten Readiness*

“....it shall be my constant endeavor to devote time, thought and study to the duties and responsibilities of a school board member so that I may render effective and credible service...” – School Board Member Code of Ethics