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Yorkville CUSD 115 Board of Education Meeting Summary
Monday, October 26, 2026 | Yorkville High School Library

Executive Session:

- *A motion was made to move into Executive Session for the purpose of discussing "The appointment, employment, compensation, discipline, performance, or dismissal of specific employees of the public body or legal counsel of the public body, including hearing testimony on a complaint lodged against an employee of the public body or against legal counsel for the public body to determine its validity" 5 ILCS 120/2(c)(1). and "Student disciplinary cases." 5ILCS 120/2(c)(9)*

Meeting Highlights:

Public Comments:

- No Public Comment

Recognitions:

- Heart of the Fox
 - Bristol Grade School - Mr. Perez and four students presented their Every Moment Counts theme.

Consent Agenda:

- The Consent Agenda included the following:
 - Approved minutes from the September 28, 2026, Board of Education Meeting
 - September 28, 2026, Executive Session Meeting
 - October 5, 2026, Committee Meeting
 - Activities Fund Report for September 2026
 - Bills and Claims for September 2026 for \$114,599.12
 - Bills and Claims for October 2026 for \$6,527,967.38
 - 6 FOIA requests

The Consent Agenda was approved as presented.

Consent/Action Personnel:

- Personnel Committee Report
 - Julie Hart, Board of Education Member, presented the following report
 - 2026-2027 Staffing Additions - Student Services
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 - The 2026–2027 staffing planning process started in January 2026 and continues throughout the school year. Factors taken into consideration include growing enrollment, student course selection, and expanded services and opportunities for students. The district administration is seeking approval of the following:

Student Services

Autumn Creek Elementary School - Increase 1.0 FTE Paraprofessional

Financial Impact:

The total financial impact of the proposal is expected to be approximately \$20,000.00 for the classified staff additions plus benefits.

The motion was approved as presented.

- Personnel Report
 - The co-curricular hires, overloads, transfers, resignations, co-curricular resignations, retirements, and leaves of absence were approved as presented.

The motion was approved as presented.

Consent/Action Teaching and Learning:

- Teaching and Learning Committee Report
 - Leslie Smogor, Board of Education Vice President, presented the following report
 - Yorkville 115 Gifted Program Review
 - Yorkville High School Social Science Curriculum Updates
 - Yorkville High School Out-of-State/Overnight Field Trips & Recreational Trips: Yorkville High School Varsity Girls Wrestling
- Motion to Approve the Resolution Authorizing Student Disciplinary Action
 - A motion was made that the Board of Education, after consideration in closed session, uphold the suspension for Students 2027-01, 2027-02, 2027-03, and remove the suspension for Student 2027-04 and approve the resolutions authorizing disciplinary action for Students 2027-01, 2027-02, 2027-03, and 2027-04 as presented.

The motion was approved as presented.

- Yorkville High School Out-of-State/Overnight Field Trips & Recreational Trips: Yorkville High School Varsity Girls Wrestling

- A motion was made to approve the Yorkville High School Out-of-State/Overnight Trip for Yorkville High School Varsity Girls Wrestling.

The Y115 co-curricular programs recognize the value of providing unique and educational experiences, including travel. The Yorkville High School Administration is seeking Board of Education approval for the Yorkville High School Girls Varsity Wrestling Program to compete in the Wonder Woman Wrestling VIII Tournament in St. Charles, Missouri, from December 10–12, 2026. In accordance with Board Policy 6:240, Field Trips and Recreational Class Trips, prior Board of Education approval is required for trips that extend overnight or travel beyond a 200-mile radius of the school. Girls Wrestling Travel Proposal 2026-27.pdf

Financial Impact:

The anticipated budget of \$2,425—covering fuel, two nights of lodging at the St. Charles Family Arena, and tournament fees—will be fully funded by the wrestling program and player fundraising, requiring minimal out-of-pocket meal costs (under \$30) for athletes and ensuring financial assistance for anyone in need.

The motion was approved as presented.

- Yorkville High School Social Science Curriculum Updates
 - A motion was made to approve the Yorkville High School Social Science curriculum updates.

The Yorkville High School Social Sciences Subject Area Committee (SAC) has updated the Business Management and Introduction to Psychology curricula. These revisions are part of an ongoing review of Business and 9th–12th grade electives designed to optimize course sequencing, support student needs, and provide a rigorous balance of exploration and post-secondary preparation.

The motion was approved as presented.

Consent/Action Finance and Infrastructure:

- Treasurer Report
 - Kreg Wesley, Assistant Superintendent of Business Services, presented the Treasurer Report: Investment summary for the month end of September 2026, Insurance Fund Statement, September 2026, Treasurer Report, September 2026, Taxes Received, Outstanding State Payments, September 2026, Transition Fees, September 2026, GRES Transition Fees for September 2026, and Revenue Expended in September 2026. Mr. Wesley discussed the following highlights based on the proposed annual budget:
 - Local revenues are: \$37.9M (47.8%)
 - State funds: \$7.8M (22%)
 - Federal Funds: \$1.4M (36%)

- FY27 Net Position for Fund 12: \$4,238,770.00

The Treasurer's Report was approved as presented.

- **School Year 2027-2028 Course Fees**

Mr. Kreg Wesley, Assistant Superintendent of Business Services, recommends reviewing and discussing the FY28 course fees. Student fees are evaluated annually as part of short-term planning and budgeting. The purpose of student fees is to help offset individual building budgets, supplies, and curriculum resources. The annual student fee review process aligns with Board of Education policy 4:10 Fiscal and Budget Management.

The administration recommends keeping student fees unchanged as implemented in previous years. Our dual credit opportunities with Kishwaukee Community College, including Conversational Spanish and Cultural Studies, will continue to be offered at \$50 per credit hour.

Proposed Student Fees for FY28

Grade Level	Proposed Fee
Kindergarten through Grade 5	\$144
Grade 6	\$173
Grades 7 and 8	\$182
Grades 9 through 12	\$195

Yorkville High School Course Fees

Course	Fee
AP Courses	\$98
AP Capstone	\$146
Orchestra	\$33
Chorus	\$28
Band	\$45
Driver's Ed.	\$315
Dual Credit (ENG, MTH, EDU, GLG, AST)	\$36
Dual Credit (CAD, CIS, WED)	\$143
Dual Credit (Intermediate Spanish II)	\$72
Robotic Operations	\$35

Financial Impact:

During FY26, the district collected over \$1,047,000 in student fees. This is the highest amount the district has collected. If rates increase too much, more families may apply for waivers. The administration recommends maintaining the current fee structure to support our families while sustaining our programmatic needs.

The motion was approved as presented.

Superintendent Communication:

- Dr. Zediker noted that this week is parent-teacher conference week and thanked the board for participating in last week's open forum regarding the referendum.

Board Comments:

- Mr. Rand congratulated the marching band for their successes in their last 4 competitions.
- Mrs. Smogor congratulated YEA for their phenomenal performances in the musical Mary Poppins. They earned \$24,000 towards student scholarships.

The Board of Education meeting adjourned.

Upcoming meetings:

- The Board of Education Committee of the Whole Meeting is scheduled for November 9, 2026, at 5:30 pm at the District Administration Center (800 Game Farm Road, Yorkville, IL 60560).
- The Regular Board of Education meeting is scheduled for Monday, November 16, 2026, at 7:00 p.m. This meeting will be held at the Yorkville High School Library (797 Game Farm Road, Yorkville, IL 60560).