

BOARD HIGHLIGHTS



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Board meetings take place in the Central Board room at the Division Office (231 Hardin Street) starting at 2:00 pm. The next meeting is on May 22, 2024, and the public is welcome to attend. The following are updates from the April 24, 2024, meeting.

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PRIORITY 4: STRENGTHEN QUALITY TEACHING & LEADING

- The Board will submit a nomination for an ASBA Innovation and Excellence Award after the deadline for Administrators to submit has passed on May 15th.
- A review of the two years out calendar for start, end and major holidays was deferred to the May Board meeting.



FINANCIAL UPDATES

As presented by Allan Kallal, Associate Superintendent of Business & Finance;

- In the process of reviewing preliminary 2024/2025 budgets with schools and departments
- Conducting continued conversations with the RMWB on land transfer to support the replacement build of Westwood Community High School and future growth in Parsons Creek.

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SPOTLIGHT ON STUDENTS



YWAM Mission Trip - Fort McMurray Christian School

The Fort McMurray Christian School presented an overview to the Board of their mission trip to San Francisco and Modesto, California, in collaboration with Youth With A Mission (YWAM). The primary goal of the mission trip was to provide students with an opportunity to serve communities in need, develop a deeper understanding of diverse societal issues, and incorporate Christian values of compassion and service into practical actions. Partnering with YWAM allowed the students to engage directly in meaningful community service activities while experiencing spiritual growth.



Extracurricular Opportunities - Timberlea Public School

Timberlea Public School showcased its distinctive extracurricular activities, inclusive initiatives, and a variety of clubs to the Board, all designed to support students' wide-ranging interests and abilities. Students spoke excitedly about offerings like the Timberlea Tech Academy, which empowers them to investigate the digital arena creatively while putting their learning into practice in real-world settings. They shared that the school consistently emphasizes building an inclusive space where students are encouraged to explore their passions, acquire new abilities, and cultivate community feeling through diverse clubs and programs.

DIVISION SHOWCASE



FMPSD's Holistic Approach to Career Education

The Board hosted Director of Teaching & Learning Jen Quigley and CAREERS Coordinator Matthew Shewchuk to highlight Career Education within FMPSD. The presentation was a testament to the Division's dedication to cultivating the next generation of skilled, knowledgeable, and enthusiastic professionals. Through a blend of interactive learning opportunities, industry partnerships, and real-world applications, FMPSD sets a career education standard that empowers students as early as ECDP and Kindergarten to envision and work towards their future with ambition and optimism.

