

FARIBAULT PUBLIC SCHOOLS

FY 2025-2026 REVISED BUDGET

NOVEMBER 24, 2025



Faribault Public Schools

School Board and District Administration

School Board

	Position on Board	Term Expires on December 31			
John Bellingham	Chair	2026			
Chad Wolff	Vice Chair	2026			
Lynda Boudreau	Treasurer	2026			
Casie Steeves	Clerk	2028			
Linda Moore	Director	2026			
Jerry Robicheau	Director	2028			
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District Administration

Jamie Bente

Superintendent

Director of Finance and Operations

Cassie Riopelle

Director of Community Education

Julie Hull

Director of Teaching and Learning

Nicole Yochum

Director of Human Resources

Robert Dehnert

Director of Special Services

Faribault Public Schools

School Administration

Faribault High School

Nathan Molitor Principal

Joel Timmer Assistant Principal Allison Sweeney Assistant Principal

Faribault Middle School

Stacy Fox Principal

Jesse Armbruster Assistant Principal Joseph Staloch Dean of Students

Jefferson Elementary

Nick Jurrens Principal

Scott Morrissey Dean of Students

Lincoln Elementary

Ashley Benhart Principal

Taylor Ries Dean of Students

Roosevelt Early Learning Center

Amy Bouma Principal Olivia Sage Coordinator

Faribault Area Learning Center

Jacob Hager Coordinator

Faribault Education Center

Dawne Buttera Coordinator

Budget Highlights:

General Fund

Revenues

- ADM projection using 3,086 (29 student increase)
- Increase Basic General Ed Funding Formula
- Increase Compensatory Revenue
- Increase to Other Categorical Revenues

Expenditures

Increase Salary / Benefit

\$ 824,850

\$ 330,136

\$ 399,977

- o Additional Teachers, Paraprofessionals, Special Education
- Negotiation Settlements

Fund Balance

❖ Unassigned Fund balance beginning fiscal year 2025 – 2026 is \$8,830,823 or 14% of budgeted expenditures. This is higher than anticipated.

Food Service Fund

- Use five meal programs (CACFP, SFSP, NSLP, NSBP, CEP)
- Purposefully spending down reserve to adhere to MDE requirements

Community Education Fund

Modifications to Grants (Expenses & Revenue)

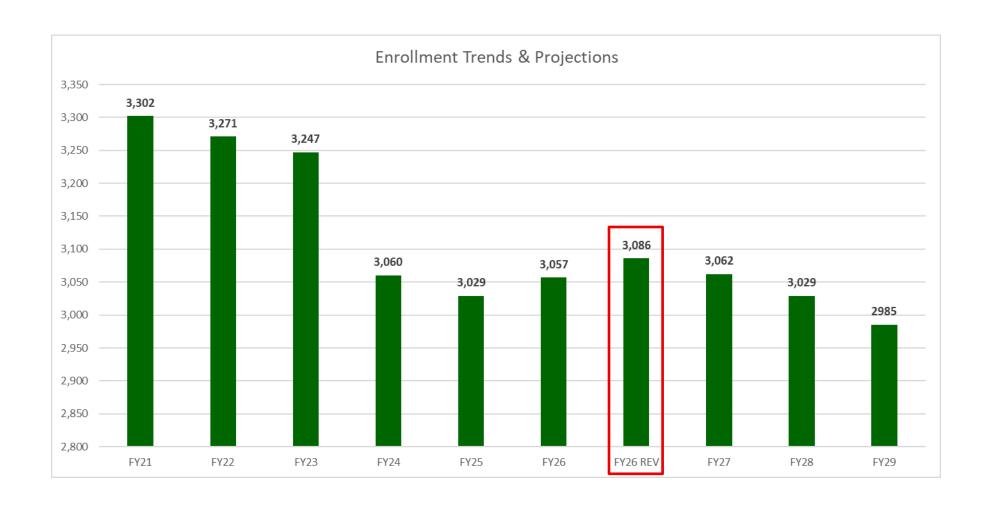
Building/Construction Fund

Continuing to spend down bond proceeds

Debt Service Fund

Internal Service Fund

Irrevocable Trust Fund



Faribault Public Schools

Budget / Fund Balance Overview 2025-2026 Proposed Budget

	Beginning	D	F	Tuenefeue	End of Year	Net Increase
Conoral Fund 04	Fund Balance	Revenues	Expenditures	Transfers	Proj. Balance	or Decrease
General Fund - 01 422 Unassigned Fund Balance	8,995,283 14.26%	50,453,594	52,226,975	(250,000)	6,971,902 10.54%	(2,023,381) -3.72 %
Restricted						
401 Student Activities	111,028	112,000	110,000	-	113,028	2,000
403 Staff Development	51,925	502,604	499,421	-	55,108	3,183
412 Literacy Incentive Aid	12,764	97,715	110,245	-	234	(12,530)
420 American Indian Aid	1,541	48,500	48,500	-	1,541	-
424 Operating Capital	386,810	813,268	781,723	-	418,355	31,545
428 Learning and Development	10,066	609,682	609,682	-	10,066	, -
434 Area Learning Center	245,563	1,077,349	1,322,912	-	, -	(245,563)
434 Targeted Services	140,386	565,950	656,065	-	50,271	(90,115)
438 Gifted and Talented	14,420	43,670	43,670	-	14,420	-
439 EL Support Aid	(3,022)	1,297,920	1,294,898	-	, -	3,022
441 Basic Skills Programs	(351,951)	7,278,374	6,926,423	-	-	351,951
443 School Library Aid	53,033	34,980	34,980	-	53,033	· -
448 Achievement and Integration Revenue	(3,808)	792,990	722,421	-	66,761	70,569
449 Safe Schools Levy	77,422	128,043	128,043	-	77,422	· -
456 Literacy Incentive Aid	124,094	, -	, -	-	124,094	-
457 Teacher Comp for Read Act	112,038	_	-	-	112,038	-
467 Long-Term Facilities Maint	4,828	1,360,576	1,190,560	-	174,844	170,016
471 Student Support Personnel School	(781)	40,000	39,219	-	· -	781
472 Medical Assistance		700,000	700,000	-		
Subtotal Restricted	986,356	15,503,621	15,218,762		1,271,215	284,859
460 Nonspendable	294,742				294,742	
Assigned Funds						
462 Assigned (CVSEC LT Receivable)	318,827	<u>-</u>		250,000	568,827	250,000
Total General Fund	10,595,208	65,957,215	67,445,737		9,106,686	(1,488,522)

		Fund Baland 2026 Proposed	ce Overview			
	Beginning Fund Balance	Revenues	Expenditures	Transfers	End of Year Proj. Balance	Net Increase or Decrease
Food Service Fund - 02						
464 Restricted	1,973,967	2,755,320	3,246,374		1,482,913	(491,054)
Community Services - 04						
464 Restricted	43,603	226,846	230,333	-	40,116	(3,487)
Restricted / Reserved						
431 Community Education	579,496	3,062,123	2,985,201	-	656,418	76,922
432 Early Childhood	146,409	299,210	360,450	-	85,169	(61,240)
444 School Readiness	196,983	1,244,017	1,286,640	-	154,360	(42,623)
447 Adult Basic Education	138,332	566,348	596,090	-	108,590	(29,742)
Restricted/Reserved - Subtotal	1,061,220	5,171,698	5,228,381	-	1,004,537	(56,683)
Total Community Education	1,104,823	5,398,544	5,458,714	-	1,044,653	(60,170)
Construction - 06						
464 Restricted	3,069,808	200,000	2,677,000		592,808	(2,477,000)
Debt Service - 07						
464 Restricted	631,581	2,548,834	2,379,350		801,065	169,484
Internal Service Fund - 20	601,703	3,290,315	3,378,331		513,687	(88,016)
OPEB Irrevocable Trust - 45	2,332,254	158,000	158,000		2,332,254	
Total All Funds:	20,309,344	80,308,228	84,743,506	-	15,874,066	(4,435,278)

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Budget / Fund Balance Overview

2025-2026 Revised Budget

	Beginning				End of Year	Net Increase
	Fund Balance	Revenues	Expenditures	Transfers	Proj. Balance	or Decrease
General Fund - 01						
422 Unassigned Fund Balance	8,830,823 14.00%	52,197,183	53,595,273	-	7,432,733 10.84%	(1,398,090) -3.16%
Restricted						
401 Student Activities	115,101	112,000	110,000	-	117,101	2,000
403 Staff Development	32,751	505,506	502,604	-	35,653	2,902
412 Literacy Incentive Aid	4,171	97,715	101,886	-	-	(4,171)
420 American Indian Aid	33,857	48,500	43,260	-	39,097	`5,240 [°]
424 Operating Capital	569,367	816,541	783,322	-	602,586	33,219
428 Learning and Development	-	598,687	598,687	-	-	-
434 Area Learning Center	419,828	1,383,235	1,223,754	-	579,309	159,481
434 Targeted Services	548,101	565,950	529,757	-	584,294	36,193
438 Gifted and Talented	28,293	43,922	43,831	-	28,384	91
439 EL Support Aid	-	1,297,920	1,297,920	-	-	-
441 Basic Skills Programs	263,010	7,678,351	7,941,361	-	-	(263,010)
443 School Library Aid	72,602	55,429	128,031	-	-	(72,602)
448 Achievement and Integration Revenu	J -	779,349	779,349	-	-	` -
449 Safe Schools Levy	72,330	128,043	200,373	-	-	(72,330)
456 Literacy Incentive Aid	124,094	-	2,475	-	121,619	(2,475)
457 Teacher Comp for Read Act	112,038	-	-	-	112,038	· -
459 Basic Skills Extended Time	-			-	-	-
467 Long-Term Facilities Maint	173,896	1,360,576	1,241,592	-	292,880	118,984
471 Student Support Personnel School	-	58,766	58,766	-	-	-
472 Medical Assistance		718,408	718,408			
Subtotal Restricted	2,569,439	16,248,898	16,305,376		2,512,961	(56,478)
460 Nonspendable	713,033				713,033	
Total General Fund	12,113,295	68,446,081	69,900,649	-	10,658,727	(1,454,568)

Budget / Fund Balance Overview 2025-2026 Revised Budget						
Food Service Fund - 02						
464 Restricted	1,930,560	2,759,549	3,384,889		1,305,220	(625,340)
Community Services - 04						
464 Restricted	62,209	226,846	230,333	-	58,722	(3,487)
Restricted / Reserved						
431 Community Education	759,595	3,900,208	3,843,979	-	815,824	56,229
432 Early Childhood	165,157	299,210	362,921	-	101,446	(63,711)
444 School Readiness	248,949	1,244,017	1,432,214	-	60,752	(188,197)
447 Adult Basic Education	208,450	566,348	644,270	-	130,528	(77,922)
Restricted/Reserved - Subtotal	1,382,151	6,009,783	6,283,384	-	1,108,550	(273,601)
Total Community Education	1,444,360	6,236,629	6,513,717	-	1,167,272	(277,088)
Construction - 06						
464 Restricted	2,358,884	200,000	2,755,795		(196,911)	(2,555,795)
Debt Service - 07						
464 Restricted	603,440	2,569,387	2,379,350		793,477	190,037
Internal Service Fund - 20	701,916	3,295,315	3,378,331		618,900	(83,016)
OPEB Irrevocable Trust - 45	2,517,050	158,000	158,000		2,517,050	_
Total All Funds:	21,669,505	83,664,961	88,470,731		16,863,735	(4,805,770)

General Fund Three-Year Projection

	Actual 2025	Projected 2026	Projected 2027	Projected 2028				
Revenue	65,259,390	68,446,081	69,301,657	69,648,165				
Expense	64,034,961	69,900,649	70,949,159	72,368,142				
	1,224,429	(1,454,568)	(1,647,502)	(2,719,977)				
Unassigned Fd Balance	14.00%	10.84%	10.26%	8.70%				
Minimum FB	9.50%	9.50%	9.50%	9.50%				
Diff Over (Under)	4.50%	1.34%	0.76%	-0.80%				
	FY 27 & 28 - Inc	Notes: FY27 & 28 - Projected decrease in student counts FY 27 & 28 - Increase of 2% to Gen Ed Formula FY27 & 28 - No increase to Compensatory						