



Executive Director Board Report

March 19, 2024

- The 2024-2025 annual budget is being prepared and will be presented to the Board at the April meeting. This will include staffing projections. We are continuing to anticipate international hiring and are working towards accreditation. Staffing/recruitment efforts are focused on the 24/25 SY.
- The CVSEC School Calendar for SY24/25 will be presented at the April board meeting. The READ Act will impact professional development days next school year.
- STEP students have the opportunity to be “Ambassadors for Respect.” Peacemaker Minnesota is the organization that sponsors this. The program is designed for the Ambassadors to speak to 4th-grade regular education classrooms. STEP will begin contacting elementary principals in member districts to find 4th-grade classrooms that would like a visit from our Ambassador.
- CVSEC will host the regional Level IV (and Level 3) teachers again for a SpEd EdCamp on August 12th.
- Minnesota statewide assessments are a snapshot of what students have learned. ACCESS Testing, which measures English language proficiency, was completed late last week. In April, our students will take the MCA (Minnesota Comprehensive Assessments) in Reading, Mathematics, and Science.
- Graduation will be held on May 28, 2024, at 10:00 AM for ALEX and 11:00 AM for STEP at Buckham West in Faribault.