

Memo

To: Board of Trustees
From: Rob Sauer
Date: 3/3/2021
Re: Superintendents Board Report

Updates

- I have been reaching out to legislators sharing support for the idea of funding for full day kindergarten. The current support appears to be bi-partisan in the legislature. We have a strong desire to offer full day kindergarten starting in August. The addition of the four elementary classrooms will create the space for us to offer full day kindergarten. Literacy funds can be used but those are subject to change every year. Ideally, there would be a consistent funding source to support the offering of full day kindergarten.
- Faith has been working on updating a number of policies from ISBA. Some are new policies and some will be updates. It will be a process over the next year to get updated while trying not to overwhelm the board with new policies to review each month. My recommendation would be to approve the policies for a second reading so they come back before the board next month and that gives you four weeks to review the policies.