

JAMS MONTHLY BOARD REPORT

August



Academics

Last week we started collaborating with Donna Whyte to hit the ground running with our ELA curriculum enhancements, and all digital resources are fully prepared and accessible for our students.

Athletics/Clubs

Baseball and softball tryouts have concluded, and both teams have officially begun their seasons. We are excited to support our student-athletes as they compete, grow, and represent JAMS throughout the season.

Professional Development

The 2026–2027 staff professional development introduced key operational and academic frameworks to support student achievement and school culture:

- **Academic & Social Support:** Immediate launch of daily Mindful Minutes and Wednesday Restorative Circles to establish culture, with full MTSS interventions (Tier 2 "Power Hour" and Tier 3 "Academic Advisory") beginning September 14 to allow dedicated time for diagnostic assessments and a complete data review.
- **Operations & Safety:** Clear grade-level arrival/dismissal procedures, adoption of PBIS Rewards software for climate management, and mandatory safety training with the O'Fallon Police Department on September 9.

Other