



Lakeview Junior High School

August 2026 Board Report

Goal One – Learning

As we begin the 2026–2027 school year, our building is filled with excitement, optimism, and a renewed sense of purpose as we welcome students, staff, and families back for another year of learning. This year's theme, "**Be the Difference**," serves as a reminder that every member of our school community has the opportunity to make a positive impact through their actions, relationships, and commitment to learning each day.

As we begin this new school year, we remain committed to creating a culture where every student feels welcomed, valued, challenged, and supported. "**Be the Difference**" is more than a theme—it is an invitation for each of us to lead with integrity, serve with compassion, and contribute to a school community where everyone belongs and every individual has the opportunity to make a meaningful impact.

Goal Two – Whole Student Development

This year, Lakeview will launch a **One School, One Book** initiative using the novel, *Amazing Generation*. Every Lakeview student and teacher will receive a copy of the book. Starting in mid to late September, during our ACE periods (twice a week) the book study and discussions will begin. Prior to that, in early September (date TBD) we will host a parent meeting regarding the **One School, One Book** *Amazing Generation*. The premise of the book is "to control your technology and not allow technology to control you".

Goal Three – Environment

The summer months (which go faster each year) provided a great opportunity to prepare Lakeview for another successful school year! We concluded the 2025-2026 school year by celebrating one of our smaller graduating classes of 104 eighth graders and are excited to welcome one of the larger incoming sixth grade classes, with 139 students! This enrollment increase brings renewed energy to our building and highlights the importance of maintaining our facilities that effectively support student learning.

Several projects were completed (or are in the final stages) which include: parking lot, Gym 1 new entrance, floor and pads and our roofing project. All of this occurring while our custodial team was busy cleaning the building, waxing floors and ensuring overall the building is prepared to accept students on August 19th!