

Lincolnshire-Prairie View School District 103

Memo

To: Board of Education
From: Dr. Craig Chatham
CC: Dr. Scott Warren
Date: December 11, 2025

Re: Technology & Assessment Executive Summary

AI Webinar for Parents/Guardians

• Our November AI webinar for parents/guardians has been posted on YouTube and advertised via the December 10th District News email.

"Day in the Life" - Video of Technology Use in Classrooms

• I'm hopeful Margaret and I can have the draft video to you by the time of this Board Meeting - stay tuned!

Assessment

- Daniel Wright 8th graders recently took two assessments. Results from both will be sent to Stevenson to assist them with placement for next school year:
 - MAP Reading
 - AAPPL Spanish skills assessment

D103 Cybersecurity

 We have obtained some free licenses for CrowdStrike (a cybersecurity monitoring company) from the State of Illinois. These licenses will allow us to have CrowdStrike help monitor our highly sensitive devices for signs of compromise or attack by cybercriminals.

AI of the month!

- Technology is adjusting to how much processing power is required by AI. Here's an article about newer computing devices that include an on-board processor specifically for AI purposes:
 - https://www.techlearning.com/technology/ai/ai-pcs-what-educators-should-know
- Katie Reynolds and I attended an AI-focused workshop last week at the Lake County Regional Office of Education.
 - We began a discussion with Michael Karner, the Regional Superintendent, and will be working to offer a workshop during the County Institute Day in February,

where we will facilitate the sharing of AI guidelines, policies, etc. Districts have a lot to learn from each other, and we will begin the process. We will advertise these sessions amongst the various professional groups we belong to in order to get a large group in attendance. Board members are certainly welcome to attend as well!