

DOUGLAS SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD OF EDUCATION

AGENDA

Monday, April 8, 2024

VANDENBERG ELEMENTARY SCHOOL - Library Conference Room
561 Briggs Street
Box Elder, SD 57719

5:00 PM

DOUGLAS SCHOOL DISTRICT INVITES YOU TO ATTEND A SCHEDULED ZOOM ROOM MEETING:

Join Zoom Meeting:

<https://sdk12.zoom.us/j/94662178061?pwd=NS9LSVZvNDJqVWJhaEdGQ0RsSWpXdz09>

Meeting ID: 946 6217 8061

Passcode: 259683

Individuals attending virtually and desiring to speak during public forum should email their request to the Superintendent's Office (Kevin.Case@k12.sd.us or Jackie.McPherson@k12.sd.us), including all identifying information by noon of the day of the board meeting.

{{Name: Agenda Item Name}}

1. Call Meeting To Order:
2. Pledge of Allegiance and Moment of Silence In Honor Of Fallen Soldiers And Active Duty Persons:
3. Recognition:
 - National Assistant Principal Week (April 1-5)
 - Paraprofessional Day (April 3)
 - School Librarian Appreciation Day (April 4)
4. Review of Board Working Agreements:
 - We ask
 - We learn
 - We lead
- 5.
6. Public Forum:
7. Approval of Agenda:
8. Consent Agenda Items:
 - A. Approval of Regular Meeting Minutes for March 25, 2024.

- B. Approve Personnel Action
 - C. Approve the Purchases and Issuing of Accounts Payable and Payroll.
 - D. Board Report of Students Missing Birth Certificate.
 - E. Approve Conflict Disclosures and Waiver Authorizations Pursuant to SDCL 3-23-3
9. Items Removed From Consent Agenda
10. Elementary and Secondary Curriculum and Instruction Items:
- A. Approve Douglas-New Underwood Soccer Cooperative Sponsorship.
11. Superintendent Items:
- A. Request For Recognition Of Transportation Group For Collective Bargaining:
12. Fiscal Resources Items:
13. Operational Support Services Items:
- A. Approve SECOND Reading of Policy IIBFA - Use of Artificial Intelligence Technology.
 - B. Approve FIRST READING of Board Policies, Section J, JECB - JEG.
 - C. Approve Bid Item #2357 as Recommended. High School Roof Replacement.
14. Reports:
- A. Superintendent:
 - B. Committee Reports From Board Members and Comments from Associate Board Members
15. Upcoming Calendar Events:
April 22 - BOE Meeting, 5:00 pm
May 13 - BOE Meeting, 5:00 pm
16. Executive Session for Negotiations according to SDCL 1-25-2.4.
17. Action As A Result of Executive Session
18. Adjournment

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Public Participation at Board Meetings

The School Board recognizes and respects the input which may be provided by the public on school district matters. The Board also recognizes and respects the distinction between a school board meeting that is open to the public and a public hearing held by the school board.

- At a school board meeting which is open to the public, members of the public may be present, observe and listen to the school board conduct its business and may speak during the school board meeting consistent with this policy.
- At a public hearing held by the school board, there is usually one topic to be presented by the District and discussed. The public is given the opportunity to speak and be heard on the topic which is the reason for the public hearing. This type of meeting allows for public participation under the rules designed specifically for that meeting and is not subject to this policy.

This Policy applies only to regularly scheduled school board meetings held in open session. Matters addressed in executive session pursuant to SDCL 1-25-2 are not open to the public.

Personnel matters or complaints that directly or indirectly identify an employee shall not be discussed. Complaints against school employees or students, and complaints related to sexual harassment or bullying, must be addressed according to specific school district policies before being addressed by the School Board.

When a complaint against a school employee or a student is brought to the Board during the public forum, the Board President will direct the person bringing the complaint to the applicable complaint procedure. The complaint procedures are designed to ensure the proper balance in protecting the rights of the person(s) bringing the complaint and the rights of the person against whom the complaint is made. The Board will address the complaint only if the matter has been appealed to the Board pursuant to the applicable complaint policy

Persons making references about a specific school employee or employees, or a specific student or students during the public forum should be mindful that based upon what the person says during the public forum the employee(s) or student(s) about whom the comments are made may have legal recourse against the person voicing the complaint.

Persons speaking during the Public Forum at a school board meeting shall not cause public inconvenience, annoyance, or alarm to the school board or any person, and shall not engage in threatening behavior, make unreasonable noise, be disruptive, boisterous, argumentative, or threatening, shall not make comments which

are disrespectful to one or more persons, and shall not use profanity.

The time designated for Public Forum on the agenda shall be immediately before the adoption of the meeting agenda by the school board.

In order to assure that the Board may conduct its meetings in a respectful and efficient manner, the procedure for public participation at regularly scheduled monthly school board meetings is as follows:

1. Agenda and Non Agenda Items:

- a. Before the meeting is called to order, an individual who desires to speak at a school board meeting must in writing inform the Superintendent, the Business Manager or the Board President of the person's desire to speak and the topic upon which the person intends to speak. The requesting party must sign a form (prepared by the school district) with their name, address, email and topic to be addressed. Individuals attending virtually and desiring to speak during public forum, should email their request to the superintendent's office, including all identifying information, by noon the day of the meeting.
- b. During the time designated for Public Forum, the Board President will recognize the person who signed up to speak and the person may speak on the topic according to the rules set forth in this policy
- c. A speaker shall be granted 5 minutes to present comments to the school board. Upon receiving a request for an extension of time from the speaker, the school board, upon a motion being made and passed by a majority of school board members present and voting, may grant an additional amount of time not to exceed 5 minutes. Additional extensions may be granted only upon a two-thirds vote of school board members present and voting.
- d. Should a number of persons wish to address the school board on the same agenda item, or should the comments become repetitious, the School Board President, in the President's sole discretion, may shorten the time for comments to two minutes per person in order that persons wishing to address the school board may be heard and still allow the school board sufficient time to conduct its agenda business.

2. Adding an Item to the School Board Meeting Agenda in Order to Request Specific School Board Action:

- a. Any person or delegation (with one person being the spokesperson for the delegation) making a specific request to the school board which would require formal action by the school board must present a written request to the Superintendent for the item to be placed on the school board meeting proposed agenda. The written request must be submitted to the Superintendent at least five calendar days before the school board meeting.
- b. The specific request to add an item to the agenda shall clearly identify what is being requested and why, signed by the person making the request, and include the person's name, address, email and telephone number.
- c. The Superintendent will forward the request to the School Board President and the Board President will decide whether the item will be placed on the proposed agenda. Whether any item is to be addressed at the school board meeting is determined by a majority of school

board members at the beginning of the school board meeting when the school board adopts the proposed agenda as printed or adopted after being modified.

- d. If the item on the meeting agenda is adopted by the school board, the person or spokesperson for the delegation who has submitted the request for specific school board action will be granted 10 minutes to explain the request to the school board. Upon receiving a request for an extension of time from the speaker, the school board, upon a motion being made and passed by the majority of school board members present, may grant an additional amount of time not to exceed 5 minutes. Additional extensions may be granted only upon a two-thirds vote of school board members present and voting.
- e. In the sole discretion of the school board, requests to the school board for specific action submitted after the proposed agenda has been posted may be:
 - deferred until the next regular meeting or a special school board meeting, or
 - added to the meeting agenda for discussion purposes only, or
 - added to the agenda for discussion and possible action.

3. Authority of Presiding Officer:

The Board vests in its presiding officer the authority to terminate the right of any person to speak at the end of the time granted pursuant to provision 1.d, provision 1.e, or provision 2.d. as set forth in this policy. The presiding officer may also terminate the right of a person to speak at a school board meeting should the person cause public inconvenience, annoyance, or alarm to the school board or any person, engage in threatening behavior, make unreasonable noise, disturb or be disruptive of an official school board meeting, or when comments are disrespectful to one or more persons, boisterous, argumentative, threatening, or contain profanity.

If deemed necessary by the presiding officer, the presiding officer may contact local law enforcement to have a person removed from the school board meeting as it is a violation of law for a person to intentionally cause or create a risk of serious public inconvenience, annoyance, alarm or disturbance at a school board meeting.

REFERENCES

State Reference:

SDCL 1-25-1	Official meetings open to the public
SDCL 1-25-2	Executive or closed meetings
SDCL 13-32-6	Disturbance of school as a misdemeanor
SDCL 13-8-39	Management of schools by board
SDCL 22-18-35(3)	Disturbing any lawful assembly or meeting

Policy Cross Reference:

BD	School Board Meetings
BDDB	Board Meeting Agendas and Format
BDDC	Agenda Preparation and Dissemination

Adoption History

Approved	9/8/1977		
First Reading of Revision	10/10/1985		
Approved - Revision	11/14/1985		
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Approved	12/8/2014		
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Approved	2/27/2017		
First Reading-Revision	2/28/2022		
Approved	3/14/2022		

**DOUGLAS SCHOOL BOARD
REQUEST TO COMMENT
SPEAKER SIGN IN**

DATE _____

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Please print legibly.

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Introduction to Public Forum

If the Board/Board President wishes to have the Board President make an introductory statement at the beginning of the Public Forum, the following may serve as a starting point which could be modified at the discretion of the Board/Board President and which is consistent with local Board policy.

This is the time for the Public Forum.

Each individual wishing to address the Board is asked to sign the form on the table in the back of the room with their name, address, email and topic to be addressed being legible. Persons having signed in will be recognized and have an opportunity to speak.

Speakers will have five (5) minutes to present comments to the school board. An extension of time may be granted pursuant to Board policy. Should more than one person wish to address the school board on the same agenda item, or should the comments become repetitious, speaker time may be shortened.

The District has policies related to complaints involving bullying, sexual harassment, school employees or students. Those policies include procedures designed to balance the rights of the person(s) bringing the complaint and the rights of the person against whom the complaint is made. If a complaint about bullying, sexual harassment, school employees or students is brought to the Board during the public forum, the person will be informed as to the applicable complaint procedure.

* Individuals attending virtually and desiring to speak during public forum, instructions are given on the meeting agenda when it is posted to email their request to the superintendent’s office, including all identifying information, by noon the day of the board meeting.

Notes: All Board members should be aware that SDCL 22-18-35(3) says any person who intentionally causes serious public inconvenience, annoyance, or alarm to any other person, or creates a risk thereof by disturbing any lawful assembly or meeting of persons without lawful authority is a criminal offense (Class 2 Misdemeanor). This statute could be referenced in extreme situations if a speaker/group fails to respect the decorum expected during a formal governmental meeting

Adopted: 3/14/2022

MINUTES
DOUGLAS SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING

Monday, March 25, 2024

The Douglas School District No. 51-1 Board of Education held a Regular meeting on Monday, March 25, 2024 at 5:00 PM in the library conference room at Vandenberg Elementary School, Box Elder, South Dakota. President Tanya Gray presided. Those present were:

Ben Frerichs: Absent, Tanya Gray: Present, Amy McGovern: Present, Chris Misselt: Present (via Zoom), Tonya Welch: Present. Patrice Holmes: Associate Member, present; Jo Ann Mulholland: Associate Member, present. (Chris Misselt left meeting at 7:00 p.m.)

All actions in these Minutes were by unanimous vote unless otherwise stated.

President Tanya Gray called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m.

Superintendent Kevin Case recognized the Douglas Special Education Department. They recently presented at the State Special Education Conference. Also, recognized staff members who were nominated for the Above & Beyond award during 3rd quarter.

Several students, parents and teachers spoke in support of keeping the German language program at the high school and the benefits of being a PASCH school.

Motion to approve the agenda. This motion, made by Amy McGovern and seconded by Tonya Welch, Carried.

Motion to approve the consent agenda. This motion, made by Amy McGovern and seconded by Tonya Welch, Carried.

Approved Regular Board Meeting Minutes of March 11, 2024.

Approved Personnel Action for March 25, 2024. (Attachment)

Approved February Financial Reports. (Attachment)

Approved Accounts Payable Report for March 29, 2024. (Attachment)

There were no conflicts disclosed as defined in SDCL 3-23.

Approved request to add three (3) Certified FTE to Special Education staff for purpose of assessment and compliance.

Elementary and Secondary Curriculum and Instructions Items:

Douglas High School Principal Beau Voegeli stated Work-Based Learning is a new program being offered this fall at the high school. He introduced WBL teacher, Karline Clark who explained that WBL offers students the opportunity to get into the work force during high school

to find out what they like or don't like through exploring, engaging and directly experiencing the work environment. The South Dakota Department of Labor, Department of Education, Career Ready SD, as well as community businesses partner with the school to help students be career and life-ready, in addition to helping grow the local workforce.

Superintendent Items:

Rob Schwarz from RSP Associates reported that they have completed the second year of a district demographic study to project student enrollment for planning purposes of district facilities and staffing. The study is broken down into four parts: Enrollment and Demographics; Development; Projections; and Next Steps. Their forecast model uses available current data factors to project student enrollment will be over 3000 by the 2028-29 school year, with most growth at the elementary and middle school grade levels. Current elementary and middle school facilities are already at or surpassing 100% capacity. RSP recommends that multiple factors continue to be monitored.

Fiscal Resources Items:

Business Manager Trista Olney explained some of the future implications of new Senate Bill 127 which establishes a new minimum teacher salary of \$45,000 and uses this year as the baseline to calculate the district's Average Teacher Compensation. Going forward, both the base salary and the average teacher compensation must increase by whatever percentage increase the State gives to school districts. Ms. Olney showed what those calculations would like for the district for the next ten years. Currently, Douglas's certified base salary is \$51,375 with an estimated \$80,000 as the average teacher compensation. As a district, we have worked hard to increase our certified base salary previously. As such, our average teacher compensation will start higher. Each year, it becomes exponentially challenging to keep up with the required average teacher compensation rate. The annual penalty for non-compliance is \$500 per teacher deducted from the district's state aid. At a future date, the Board will look at how this specifically impacts Douglas and limits classified pay.

Motion to approve the 2024-25 Capital Outlay Requests as presented. This motion, made by Tonya Welch and seconded by Amy McGovern, Carried.

Operational Support Services Items:

Motion to Approve Second Reading of revised Board Policy IIBGA - District Assigned Computers and Exhibit IIBGA-E(1) - Acceptable Use Agreement. This motion, made by Amy McGovern and seconded by Tonya Welch, Carried. Voting Nay: T Welch

Motion to approve First Reading of Board Policy IIBFA - Use of Artificial Intelligence Technology. This motion, made by Amy McGovern and seconded by Tonya Welch, Carried.

Hear Information Reading of Revised or Reviewed Board Policies:

- Revise Policy JECB - Admission of Non-Resident Students (Open Enrollment)
- Revise Policy JED - Student Absences and Excuses
- Revise Policy JEDA - Truancy

Revise Policy Exhibit JEDA-E(1) - Attendance Sample Letter #1
Revise Policy Exhibit JEDA-E(2) - Attendance Sample Letter #2
Revise Policy Exhibit JEDA-E(3) - Attendance Sample Letter #3
Revise Policy Regulation JEDA-R - Truancy Regulation
Revise Policy JEDB - Student Dismissal Precautions
Revise Policy JEE - Student Attendance Accounting
Revise Policy JEE-R - Student Attendance Accounting
Revise Policy JEF - Release Time for Religious Practice
Review Policy JEFA - Senior Privileges
Revised Policy JEG - Exclusions and Exemptions from School Attendance

Reports:

Superintendent Kevin Case reported he and Business Manager Trista Olney met with staffers from Senator Rounds and Senator Thune's offices while they were in Washington DC to attend the National Affiliation of Federally Impacted Schools (NAFIS) Conference. Everyone is still working on figuring out building funding.

He and Business Manager Trista Olney are currently working on a round 2 grant from OLDCC (Office of Local Defense Community Cooperation) due by mid-May with a start date of July 1.

Committee Reports from Board Members and Comments from Associate Board Members.

Board members appreciated the data and reports presented during the meeting.

Amy McGovern attended the Box Elder Chamber of Commerce Annual Meeting last week.

Tanya Gray will attend the Black Hills Special Services Cooperative Board of Directors meeting this week.

Ellynor Martinez from Leadership Matters introduced some new learning around the Board's Working Agreements during the board work session.

Motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:24 p.m. This motion, made by Amy McGovern and seconded by Tonya Welch, Carried.

Tanya Gray, President

Trista Olney, Business Manager

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DOUGLAS SCHOOL DISTRICT**PERSONNEL ACTION 3/25/2024****Certified Professional Growth Plans**

Name	Building	Position
Robert Harrington	HS	HS Math Teacher
Mary Smith	VES	4th Grade Teacher
Travis Ladwig	DMS	7th ELA
Nick Ferguson	HS	Industrial Tech Teacher
Rachel Smith	VES	4th Grade Teacher

Classified Retirements

Name	Position	Location	Effective Date
Pamila Scherer	Accounts Payable	Central Office	3/20/2024

Certified Voluntary Transfer Request

Name	From Bldg/Position	To Bldg/Position	Effective Date
Denise McCormick	VES/4th Grade Teacher	VES/5th Grade Teacher	2024-2025

Classified Voluntary Transfer Request

Name	From Bldg / Position / Hrs / Wage	To Bldg / Position / Hrs / Wage	Effective Date
Tara Kuenkel	VES/Instructional Aide	Carr/Instructional Aide Early Childhood	2024-2025
Mary Walters	Carr/ Instructional Aide 18-21	HS/Instructional Aide	03/19/2024

Certified Staff Hiring

Name	Location / Position	Wage	Effective Date
Meggie Steiner	BC/2nd Grade Teacher	\$54,375.00	2024-2025
Hope Cordell	BC/Kindergarten	\$52,125.00	2024-2025
Kjerstin Anderson	Carr/Speech Language Pathologist	\$63,875.00	2024-2025
Jacob Ferdinand	FC/PE Teacher	\$61,625.00	2024-2025
Jonathan DeRuyter	VES/5th Grade Teacher	\$51,375.00	2024-2025

Classified Staff Hiring

Name	Location / Position	Wage	Effective Date
Theresa Ames	Trans/Bus Aide	\$14.70	03/14/2024
Kaylin Smith	HS/Counselors Secretary	\$16.20	03/15/2024
Debra O'Neal	VES/LRA	\$14.70	03/19/2024

** Personnel Action additions and updates made after initial publication and before scheduled school board meeting.

February 1, 2024 FINANCIAL	GENERAL FUND	CAPITAL OUTLAY	SPECIAL EDUCATION
BALANCE 1/31/24	(165,620.14)	1,726,691.63	1,735,621.84
RECEIPTS:			
TAXES	109,540.81	74,317.71	39,082.90
INTEREST	520.67	0.00	0.00
ADMISSIONS	1,708.00	0.00	0.00
LOCAL	4.24	110.17	0.00
COUNTY	30,969.43	0.00	0.00
STATE	1,629,234.04	0.00	260,578.48
FEDERAL	0.00	0.00	253,355.13
OTHER	80.00	0.00	0.00
INTERFUND TRAN.	17,953.28	0.00	0.00
TOTAL RECEIPTS:	1,790,010.47	74,427.88	553,016.51
DISBURSEMENTS:			
VERIFIED CLAIMS	246,483.50	32,156.71	6,499.05
SALARIES	1,666,453.06	0.00	422,516.15
TRANSFERS OUT			
BALANCE 02/29/24	(288,546.23)	1,768,962.80	1,859,623.15
BALANCE 02/28/23	457,068.60	(213,158.03)	1,063,389.13

February 1, 2024 FINANCIAL	FEDERAL PROJECTS	UNEMPLOY- MENT FUND
BALANCE 1/31/24	(3,727,652.19)	49,497.51
RECEIPTS:		
LOCAL		
STATE		
FEDERAL	87,122.42	0.00
REIMBURSEMENTS		
OTHER (LOCAL) -AFROTC	0.00	0.00
INTERFUND TRAN.		
TRANSFER IN		
TOTAL RECEIPTS:	87,122.42	0.00
DISBURSEMENTS:		
VERIFIED CLAIMS	4,084.17	0.00
SALARIES	93,583.21	0.00
TRANSFERS OUT		
BALANCE 02/29/24	(3,738,197.15)	49,497.51
BALANCE 02/28/23	(3,205,344.23)	50,169.11

February 1, 2024 FINANCIAL	DEP CARE	MEDICAL REIMB	IMPACT AID
BALANCE 1/31/24	1,690.76	(5,283.33)	26,548,333.54
RECEIPTS:			
INTEREST	0.00	0.00	17,953.28
FEDERAL	0.00	0.00	0.00
LOCAL	1,051.68	2,093.72	0.00
OTHER			
INTERFUND TRAN.			
LOANS			
TOTAL RECEIPTS:	1,051.68	2,093.72	17,953.28
DISBURSEMENTS:			
VERIFIED CLAIMS	1,083.56	1,429.53	0.00
EXPENDITURES/TRANSFERS OUT	0.00	0.00	17,953.28
BALANCE 02/29/24	1,658.88	(4,619.14)	26,548,333.54
BALANCE 02/28/23	345.15	(127.74)	23,853,261.54

February 1, 2024 FINANCIAL	FOOD SERVICE	FIDUCIARY FUNDS
BALANCE 1/31/24	387,557.24	260,880.03
RECEIPTS:		
INTEREST		
SALES	66,699.77	0.00
STATE	0.00	0.00
FEDERAL	52,988.47	0.00
LOCAL	240.18	73,792.03
OTHER		
INTERFUND TRAN.		
LOANS		
TOTAL RECEIPTS:	119,928.42	73,792.03
DISBURSEMENTS:		
VERIFIED CLAIMS	181,687.74	34,059.29
SALARIES	81,294.58	0.00
BALANCE 02/29/24	244,503.34	300,612.77
BALANCE 02/28/23	294,397.13	246,591.76

Board Report - For School Board 03/29/2024

<u>Vendor Name</u>	<u>Check #</u>	<u>Expensed</u>	<u>Amount</u>
AMAZON.COM	183810		515.99
AMICK SOUND INC	183811		169.21
ARGUS LEADER	183794		47.19
ASBSD	183812		2,000.00
BLACK HILLS ENERGY- AUTO PAY	155		35,700.72
BLACK HILLS ROOFING, INC.	183813		312.00
BOX ELDER HARDWARE	183814		303.62
BROWN'S SMALL ENGINE REPAIR	183816		458.17
CITY OF BOX ELDER/PUBLIC WORKS DEPT	183819		5,191.52
CLARK, MICHAEL	183820		41.40
CROWN AWARDS	183794		40.03
CT BOOK HOLDINGS LLC	183822		127.80
DAKOTA POTTER'S SUPPLY	183823		4,053.30
DB SOUND LLC	183824		95.00
DENNIS SUPPLY-RC	183825		4,009.46
DOMINOS PIZZA- BOX ELDER	183794		45.00
ETS	183794		85.00
FIDUCIARY ACCOUNT	183826		2,655.75
GOODHEART-WILLCOX PUBLISHER	183828		3,524.84
HOBBY LOBBY CREATIVE CENTER	183794		73.55
INSTRUMENTALIST AWARDS LLC	183829		243.00
INTEGRATED TECHNOLOGY & SECURITY	183830		478.84
JW PEPPER & SONS, INC.	183794		12.98
KIEFFER SANITATION, INC.-AUTO PAY	156		2,486.32
LEADERSHIP MATTERS LLC	183831		6,927.88
LYNN JACKSON SHULTZ & LEBRUN PC INC	183832		663.00
MACKENZIE RIVER PIZZA	183794		570.39
MASTER TEACHER, INC.	183833		27.85
MATH LEARNING CENTER, THE	183834		4,752.00
MENARDS	183835		467.89
MG OIL COMPANY, INC.	183836		1,709.79
MIDCONTINENT COMMUNICATIONS- AUTO PAY	158		1,546.83
MONTANA DAKOTA UTILITIES COMPANY, INC.	157		10,145.78
NATIONAL ART EDUCATIONS ASSOCIATION	183794		735.00
NORTH CENTRAL BUS & EQUIPMENT CO. INC	183839		1,863.68
NORTHERN TRUCK EQUIPMENT CORP.	183840		344.02

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<u>Vendor Name</u>	<u>Check #</u>	<u>Expensed</u>	<u>Amount</u>
NORTHWEST PIPE FITTINGS, INC.	183841		195.04
OFFICE DEPOT	183794		44.58
PIZZA HUT- BOX ELDER	183794		222.63
POMP'S TIRE	183843		725.44
PRINCIPALS CONFERENCE-GARRETSON HIGH	183844		200.00
RAMKOTA HOTEL	183845		218.00
RAPID CITY JOURNAL	183847		34.28
REALITYWORKS	183848		156.00
REALLY GREAT READING	183794		246.40
RIVERSIDE TECHNOLOGIES INC	183849		1,400.00
RSP & ASSOCIATES LLC	183850		17,000.00
SAM'S CLUB	183794		3543.87
SANFORD HEALTH OCCMED	183851		210.00
SAPPHIRE BACKGROUND CHECK	183852		300.00
SASD	183853		180.00
SDASBO	183854		100.00
SDCA	183794		350.00
SDCTM	183794		225.00
SOUTHEASTERN PERFORMANCE APPAREL	183794		149.00
STAGE MAKEUP ONLINE	183794		552.00
STAN HOUSTON EQUIPMENT COMPANY, INC.	183856		149.00
TIMMONS MARKET	183857		214.25
UNITED AIR LINES	183794		1,622.40
UNITY SCHOOL BUS PARTS, INC.	183858		993.58
US BANK	183794		27.58
VERIZON WIRELESS	183859		447.79
VOYAGER FLEET SYSTEMS, INC.	183860		926.46
WAL-MART STORES INC	183794		1,376.31
WESTERN COMMUNICATIONS, INC.	183861		264.92
WHISLER BEARING COMPANY	183862		95.93
GENERAL FUND			124,595.26
ABDO PUBLISHERS	183809		1,005.20
BROAD REACH BOOKS	183815		149.65
CENTURY BUSINESS	183818		7,560.68
CO-OP ARCHITECTURE	183821		9,375.00

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<u>Vendor Name</u>	<u>Check #</u>	<u>Expensed</u>	<u>Amount</u>
FOLLETT CONTENT SOLUTIONS, INC	183827		1,966.22
RANGEL CONSTRUCTION COMPANY LLC	183846		33,660.00
CAPITAL OUTLAY			53,716.75
CASH - PUPIL PERSONNEL	183817		22.40
LRP CONFERENCES	183794		295.00
NCS PEARSON, INC.	183838		608.66
SHERATON HOTEL AND CONVENTION CENTER	183855		3,375.00
SOUTHPAW ENTERPRISES	183794		50.00
TIMMONS MARKET	183857		5.77
WAL-MART STORES INC	183794		214.23
SPECIAL ED			4,571.06
COUNCIL FOR EXCEPTIONAL CHILDREN	183794		958.00
LOVES TRAVEL STOP	183794		294.58
NATIONAL STUDENT CLEARING HOUSE	183837		595.00
OWEN, MELISSA	183842		64.62
PROMODIRECT	183794		496.19
SUPER 8 - RC	183794		572.00
GRANTS			2,980.39
			185,863.46
ALSCO	12372		448.44
CASH-WA DISTRIBUTING COMPANY, INC.	12373		9,213.57
COCA-COLA BOTTLING CO HIGH COUNTRY	12374		1,131.50
DAKOTA WAREHOUSE	12375		126.00
FIDUCIARY ACCOUNT	12376		155.00
GENERAL FUND	12377		917.77
PAN-O-GOLD BAKING COMPANY, INC.	12378		476.80
PARTS TOWN	12379		576.11
PIZZA HUT- BOX ELDER	12380		1,168.50
PRAIRIE FARMS	12381		5,928.83
REINHART FOOD SERVICE LLC	12382		13,043.69
SDRA/SDRA SERVICES COMBINED	12383		180.00
FOOD SERVICE			33,366.21
Grand Total:			219,229.67

DOUGLAS SCHOOL DISTRICT**PERSONNEL ACTION 4/8/2024****Employee Leave of Absence Requests**

Name	Building	Position	Effective Date
Audra Gerlach	Transportation	Bus Driver	2/7/2024 - 05/07/2024

Classified Service Factor Bonus

Name	Position/Years	Amount	Dates of Service
Amy Keester	BC Principal's Sec (15 Years)	\$1,097.70	3/30/09 - 3/30-24
Gina Stolicker	HS Spec. Ed. Aide (5 Years)	\$223.78	9/17/18 - 9/17/23

Certified Resignations/Terminations

Name	Position	Location	Effective Date
Colin Weinzirl	Kindergarten Teacher	FC	2023-2024

Classified Retirements

Name	Position	Location	Effective Date
Mark Blumhardt	Custodian	BC	5/22/2024

Classified Resignations/Terminations

Name	Position	Location	Effective Date
Amanda Awe	Newspaper	DMS	3/29/2024
Colin Weinzirl	Head Football Coach	DMS	5/23/2024

Classified Voluntary Transfer Request

Name	From Bldg / Position / Hrs / Wage	To Bldg / Position / Hrs / Wage	Effective Date
Lisa Olson	Carr/Instructional Aide	Carr/Bridge Program	2024-2025

Certified Staff Hiring

Name	Location / Position	Wage	Effective Date
Janee Leigh	Reading Teacher/MS	\$59,375.00	2024-2025

Temporary Hires

Name	Position	Salary	Effective Date
George Johnson	HS Asst Football Coach	\$4,336.00	2024-2025

** Personnel Action additions and updates made after initial publication and before scheduled school board meeting.

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<u>Vendor Name</u>	<u>Check #</u>	<u>Expensed</u>	<u>Amount</u>
A & B WELDING SUPPLY COMPANY INC.	183872		1,170.42
A TO Z SHREDDING	183873		381.76
AMAZON.COM	183874		10,748.66
AMICK SOUND INC	183875		200.29
AQUA CHEM	183876		675.00
ASCD	183907		9.61
BERS WINDY FLATS RUBBLE SITE	183877		210.00
BES LIGHTING	183907		13.70
BEST WESTERN PLUS RAMKOTA HOTEL	183878		209.98
CAROLINA BIOLOGICAL SUPPLY COMPANY	183879		50.76
CARQUEST AUTO PARTS	183880		403.75
CASE, KEVIN	183881		2,210.61
CENTURYLINK	183883		457.85
CHRIS SUPPLY, INC.	183907		5.85
DENNIS SUPPLY-RC	183885		559.10
EVERGREEN OFFICE PRODUCTS	183886		809.10
FIDUCIARY ACCOUNT	183887		1,144.75
FITNESS PLUS EQUIPMENT SERVICES, INC.	183907		47.73
FRESHMAN ACADEMY, THE	183907		1,125.00
GOODWILL OF THE GREAT PLAINS	183907		7.00
GOPHER SPORT	183888		635.44
GRAINGER, INC	183889		1,402.65
GREAT WESTERN TIRE COMPANY	183890		59.90
GUY BROWN.EDIVERSITYNETWORK.COM	183907		21.20
HILLYARD INC	183891		771.45
HOBBY LOBBY CREATIVE CENTER	183907		55.28
HYATT REGENCY	183907		2,295.78
JOSTENS INC	183892		49.82
KIEFFER SANITATION, INC.-AUTO PAY	159		2,701.03
KULLY SUPPLY	183907		237.25
MAGNATAG VISIBLE SYSTEMS	183907		1,655.23
MG OIL COMPANY, INC.	183893		9,856.16
RABE ELEVATOR	183894		341.01
RAPID CITY JOURNAL	183895		109.68
RIDDELL / ALL AMERICAN SPORTS CORP	183896		2,454.90

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<u>Vendor Name</u>	<u>Check #</u>	<u>Expensed</u>	<u>Amount</u>
RIVERSIDE TECHNOLOGIES INC	183897		4,000.00
ROSS, WENDY	183898		190.74
RSP & ASSOCIATES LLC	183899		6,000.00
RUSHMORE PLAZA HOLIDAY INN	183900		42.00
SANFORD HEALTH OCCMED	183901		804.00
TIME RENTAL	183903		88.49
TIMMONS MARKET	183904		125.41
US BANK	183907		2,004.25
USES KNIFE, MARGIE	183905		80.00
VANWAY TROPHY & AWARD, INC.	183906		517.60
WEDDING AND PORTRAIT PHOTOGRAPHY	183907		661.02
WEST RIVER ELECTRIC-AUTOPAY	160		1,968.54
ZORO.COM	183907		196.47
GENERAL FUND			<u>59,766.22</u>
AMAZON.COM	183874		18.99
CENTURY BUSINESS	183882		9,154.67
CO-OP ARCHITECTURE	183884		35,250.00
CAPITAL OUTLAY			<u>44,423.66</u>
AMAZON.COM	183874		54.98
COUNCIL FOR EXCEPTIONAL CHILDREN	183907		305.00
COUNCIL OF ADMINISTRATORS OF SPECIAL	183907		350.00
FIDUCIARY ACCOUNT	183887		6,193.29
SPECIAL ED			<u>6,903.27</u>
CANDY NATION LLC	183907		1,467.30
CANVA PTY. LTD	183907		239.99
DAYS INN--RAPID CITY	183907		1,386.11
GUNTER HOTEL, THE	183907		1,881.43
HILTON PALACIO DEL RIO	183907		1,976.56
LOVES TRAVEL STOP	183907		163.20
PIZZA HUT- BOX ELDER	183907		514.56
SCHMIDT, STACEY	183902		32.08
UNITED AIR LINES	183907		928.12
US BANK	183907		74.39
GRANTS			<u>8,663.74</u>

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<u>Vendor Name</u>	<u>Check #</u>	<u>Expensed</u>	<u>Amount</u>
SUB TOTAL FUNDS 10, 21,22,66			<u>121,098.68</u>
ALSCO	12385		149.48
CASH-WA DISTRIBUTING COMPANY, INC.	12386		7,404.97
COCA-COLA BOTTLING CO HIGH COUNTRY	12387		413.00
DAKOTA WAREHOUSE	12388		114.00
PAN-O-GOLD BAKING COMPANY, INC.	12389		315.88
PIZZA HUT- BOX ELDER	12390		408.50
PRAIRIE FARMS	12391		2,226.67
REGAN, JOSEPH	12392		27.35
REINHART FOOD SERVICE LLC	12393		16,361.21
WEBSTAIRANT STORE	183907		1,341.79
FOOD SERVICE			<u>28,762.85</u>
Grand Total:			<u>148,519.74</u>

PAYROLL EXPENDITURES

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TOTALS

\$1,169,789.53

\$1,189,451.27

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USE OF ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE TECHNOLOGY

This policy outlines the guidelines for the responsible integration of artificial intelligence (AI) technology within the District, aiming to facilitate fair and equitable academic assessments, foster critical thinking, and maintain a level playing field for all students.

AI technology encompasses various forms of digital content, including text, images, videos, or audio, generated by artificial intelligence systems without direct human intervention. These systems employ advanced algorithms, machine learning techniques, natural language processing, or automated decision-making processes to produce content that simulates human creativity and decision-making.

Student Use

Students are encouraged to explore the innovative possibilities of AI technology in their assignments or projects, provided that instructional staff explicitly permits its use for specific tasks. While assignments and projects should primarily reflect human effort and intellect, students have the opportunity to leverage AI tools, under approved circumstances.

Maintaining academic integrity is paramount, and students should submit work that authentically represents their knowledge and skills. Although the use of AI technology is discouraged for the entirety of assignments, students are free to utilize it for clarification, explanations, or brainstorming ideas, with proper citation. Any direct incorporation of AI-generated content should be clearly cited.

If instructional staff allows the use of AI technology, students must disclose the AI tool employed and appropriately cite AI-generated text and images. Unauthorized use of AI technology will be considered a violation of the District’s code of conduct, Acceptable Use Policy constituting cheating, plagiarism, or academic dishonesty.

Staff Use

Recognizing the potential benefits of AI, staff members are permitted to use AI technology for tasks such as creating lesson plans, enhancing grading efficiency, designing assignments, and streamlining administrative processes. While encouraged, overreliance on AI technology is discouraged, and staff should be mindful of various considerations, including student privacy, data security, plagiarism, bias, equity, academic integrity, and the accuracy of AI-generated content.

Staff using AI technology must ensure compliance with the District’s security and privacy policies, as well as federal and state laws, including the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA).

When allowing students to use AI technology, instructional staff should communicate the specific parameters, opportunities, and limitations associated with its use. Students should be educated on responsible AI use, including potential risks, safety precautions related to sharing personal data, and the awareness that AI programs can exhibit implicit biases. It is crucial for students to think critically, fact-check using primary sources, and be aware of the limitations of AI platforms.

REFERENCES

State Reference:

Policy Reference:
JFC

Adoption History

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ADMISSION OF NON-RESIDENT STUDENTS (OPEN ENROLLMENT)

This policy is enacted to allow admission of non-resident students in the Douglas School District. For the purposes of this policy, the term "resident district" means the district in which a student has legal residence as determined by SDCL 13-28-9. The term "non-resident district" means any district in which a non-resident student seeks to enroll.

The board will accept all students from other districts wishing to enroll, provided the Douglas School District can accommodate the students without adversely affecting the quality of its educational program. This determination will be based upon criteria adopted by the board, and is subject to the following conditions:

A. GENERAL PRINCIPLES

1. A student who is a legal resident of another South Dakota school district seeking to transfer to Douglas School District must make an application to the **Douglas School District on forms provided by the Department of Education**. The application must be made by an unemancipated student's parent or guardian or by the emancipated student. Application forms must be received by the District Administrative Offices no later than 3:00 p.m. on the first Monday of August. *(The parent with the authority to request enrollment is the resident custodial parent.)*
2. The application will be approved if the transfer does not result in the Douglas School Board's inability to provide a quality educational program to its resident students as well as to non-resident students. The Board shall approve or disapprove the application at the first regular Board meeting following the deadline and notify the applicant and resident district within five days of its decision. Applications will be reviewed in the order received.
 - a. The application may be withdrawn by the applicant prior to approval of the request and upon notification to the district to which the student applied.
 - b. If approved by the Douglas School District, the applicant's intent to enroll obligates the student to attend school at Douglas during the next school year, unless the two boards agree in writing to allow a student to return to the original district or if the parent, guardian, or student changes residence to another district.
 - c. If a bona fide change of residence occurs after the deadline for applications noted in A.1. above, the applicant may apply for enrollment in the non-resident district notwithstanding the August deadline. ~~The Board may consider applications for these students if filed by the first Monday in November or the first Monday in March. The Board may consider such applications at the Board meeting next following the~~

~~deadline for the applications.~~ Transfers from another school district into the District may only take place prior to the last Friday in September during the first semester of any school year, and prior to the last Friday in January during the second semester of any school year.

- d. **Emergency clause:** The Board may consider the following applications under this Emergency clause: 1) students who are children of active duty military personnel and whose parents are required to move before the November or March deadline; and 2) students of Douglas School District employees. Applications under this Emergency clause ~~are limited to students of active duty military personnel or District employees and~~ will be considered by the Board at the next regularly scheduled Board Meeting after application is made.
3. Once enrolled in the Douglas School District, the enrollment will continue unless a bona fide change of residence occurs or a subsequent transfer application is received.
4. The Douglas School District will accept credits granted for any course successfully completed in another accredited district. The Douglas School District may award a diploma to a non-resident only if the student satisfactorily meets the Douglas School District's graduation requirements
5. Transportation of non-resident students to school is the responsibility of the applicant.

B. SPECIAL EDUCATION STUDENTS

Both state and federal law require that the resident district be responsible for providing a free and appropriate public education for students in need of special education and related services. All applications for transfer of a special education student will first be considered by a placement committee, and the placement committee will include representatives of both the resident and non-resident districts. In addition to the other considerations of the 1997 Open Enrollment Act, the following additional considerations will apply:

1. The combined placement committee will determine if the non-resident district can provide appropriate instructional programs and facilities, including transportation, to meet the student's needs. The capacity of the program shall be a consideration in the placement.
2. If the request to transfer is granted, the non-resident district is responsible for the provision of a free appropriate public education for the student in need of special education or special education and related services.
3. Notwithstanding the provisions of ¶13-28-45, the individualized education program team shall also determine whether the student in need of special education requires transportation as a related service. If so, the non-resident district shall provide or ensure the provision of transportation within the boundaries of the attendance center to which the student is assigned.
4. Requests to transfer the student back to the resident district shall be considered by the individualized education program team.
5. No separate dates will be in effect for notification and decision-making with respect to special education students.

C. CRITERIA FOR MAKING TRANSFER DETERMINATIONS

The criteria will be available to any individual so requesting. Discrimination based upon race, gender, religious affiliation, or disability is prohibited. The board will consider as factors upon review following application whether the child's parent or guardian is an active military person whose duty station is in the District, whether the child's parent or guardian is an employee of the District, distance from school facilities, timeliness of open enrollment applications and other related factors. All members of the same family residing in the same household will be treated the same unless special education services are required (refer to page 2, B1).

1. The board will make every effort to maintain class sizes which promote efficient and effective learning.

K-8 Class Size Standards

The board believes there is a direct correlation between class size, student achievement and teacher effectiveness. Therefore, the board will make a reasonable effort to maintain class sizes which promote efficient and effective learning. It shall be the goal of the board to maintain a student enrollment not to exceed the average district class size for students in grades 2-8. Enrollments in specific subject areas may alter this policy, but all efforts shall be made to maintain this student-teacher ratio.

9-12 Class Size Standards

Class size in grades 9-12 will be determined by the facilities and program capacity. Every reasonable attempt will be made to accommodate students but class size may be limited due to available equipment and classroom space.

2. The Department of Education has authority to promulgate rules setting forth procedural and administrative requirements of the open enrollment program. The school district will follow any and all such rules and procedures.
3. The board may deny applications for any of the following reasons:
 - a. Any criteria established in paragraph A, B or C-1 is violated;
 - b. The student is under suspension or expulsion in the resident district;
 - c. The student has been convicted of possession, use, or distribution of any controlled substance, including marijuana and is under suspension pursuant to SDCL 13-32-43;
 - d. The student has been convicted of a weapons charge relating to the schools and is under suspension pursuant to SDCL 13-32-43.

D. MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

1. The district will make relevant information about the district, schools, programs, policies, and procedures available to all interested people.
2. Appeals from board action under the 1997 Open Enrollment Act can be made under SDCL ch. 13-46 and the court will conduct a de nova review.

The time for appeal under SDCL 13-46 is within ninety days from the date of the decision.

REFERENCES

State Reference:[SDCL 13-13-10.1](#)[SDCL 13-15](#)[SDCL 13-28](#)

13-32-4.3

13-37-35.1

13-46

Policy Reference:**Adoption History**

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First Reading-Revision	09/25/95	Second Reading-Revisions	10/23/07
Approved-Revision	10/09/95	Second Reading-Revisions	11/13/07
First Reading-Revision	11/13/95		
Approved-Revision	11/27/95		
First Reading-Revision	04/14/97		
Approved-Revision	04/28/97		
First Reading-Revision	10/13/97		
Approved-Revision	10/27/97		
First Reading-Revision	06/28/99		
Approved-Revision	07/12/99		
First Reading-Revision	01/22/01		
Approved-Revision	02/12/01		
First Reading-Revision	10/10/06		

Approved-Revision	10/23/06		
First Reading-Revision	03/12/07		
Approved-Revision	03/26/07		

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STUDENT DISMISSAL PRECAUTIONS

Students in any school, grade, or class may not be dismissed before the regular hour of dismissal except with the approval of the Superintendent or the Superintendent’s designee.

A teacher may not permit any individual student to leave school prior to the regular hour of dismissal except by permission of the principal.

No student will be permitted to leave school prior to the dismissal hour in the company of anyone other than a school employee, or parent of the child, unless the permission of the parent has been first secured. If a policeman or court official requests the dismissal of a pupil during school hours, he/she must have a warrant or written request by parents before the student is dismissed. **Should a student be removed from the school by a law enforcement officer or court official, pursuant to a warrant, the administration will immediately contact the student’s parent.**

When a student participant has traveled to an out of district event with the coach/advisor and other students, the student shall be allowed to leave following the event with the parent/guardian, or the parent/guardian’s designee, provided that the parent/guardian has personally verbally communicated with the coach/advisor prior to the student being allowed to leave with the parent/guardian/designee. Written authorization to release the student to the parent/guardian/designee after the event will not be accepted. In no case shall school personnel authorize the release of a student to any person whom school personnel have reasonable cause to believe the person is under the influence of alcohol or another substance, and school personnel are authorized to contact law enforcement should the need arise to do so.

REFERENCES

State Reference:

Policy Reference:

Adoption History

First Reading	11/23/15		
Approved	12/14/15		

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STUDENT ATTENDANCE ACCOUNTING

The Board recognizes the importance of student accounting. Accurate information regarding the whereabouts of school-age children, both public and private, is essential to the operation of the school district.

As required by state law, the Superintendent **or designee** will be responsible for an accurate record of the attendance or nonattendance of all students who should be enrolled in school. The school district truancy officer will also keep a record of all those children who are required by law to be enrolled in school and who do not attend, or whose attendance is irregular.

REFERENCES

State Reference:

- [SDCL 13-27-9](#)
- [SDCL 13-27-15](#)
- [SDCL 13-27-17](#)

Policy Reference:

Adoption History

First Reading	12/11/80		
Approved	1/8/81		
First Reading – Revisions	11/22/88		
Approved – Revisions	12/12/88		

First Reading – Revisions (Replaces JEDA/JEE)	2/12/01		
Approved – Revisions	2/26/01		

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STUDENT ATTENDANCE ACCOUNTING

1. The building principal is responsible for the documentation of district attendance.
2. To earn credit for a course, the student is obligated to fulfill the course requirements and school attendance regulations.
3. Course credit will not be given to students who withdraw from school before the end of the school year before a specific predetermined date. The date will be established annually by the school superintendent **or designee**.
4. Attendance will be kept in full day and one-half day segments. Pupils will be considered present for one-half day if they are present at one or more AM class period(s) and/or one or more PM class period(s).
5. Students will be given the opportunity to make up work or tests missed because of excused absences as per the student handbook.
- ~~6. Students may not be given the opportunity to make up work for unexcused absences.~~
7. Tardiness will be documented at the beginning of the AM and PM sessions in the elementary schools and for each period in the middle school and high school.

REFERENCES

State Reference:

Policy Reference:

Adoption History

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RELEASE TIME FOR RELIGIOUS PRACTICE

The Board will permit students, with the written consent of their parents, to receive moral or religious instruction at a suitable place away from the school, as designated by the religious group.

Students will be excused from school for such purposes no more than one hour per week. The Superintendent or designee is instructed to establish regulations, governing the attendance of students and their reporting for such instruction.

Students enrolled in the District normally will not be released from school for private instruction in music, gymnastics, or other activity. The discretion of the building principal, however, may be exercised in unique or unusual circumstances.

REFERENCES

State Reference:
[SDCL 13-33-10](#)

Policy Reference:

Adoption History

First Reading	11/23/15		
Approved	12/14/15		

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SENIOR PRIVILEGES

As part of a developing plan to encourage independent study and self-responsibility, the Board approves as policy the practice of permitting high school seniors released time from school.

The Board authorizes the Superintendent or designee to develop criteria for granting privileges to high school seniors. The criteria shall contain minimum standards for granting these privileges, shall delineate the types of privileges that may be granted, and shall delineate the terms under which privileges may be revoked.

REFERENCES

State Reference:

Policy Reference:

Adoption History

First Reading	12/14/15		
Approved	1/11/16		

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EXCLUSIONS AND EXEMPTIONS FROM SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

~~The law provides for the exemption of students of compulsory school age from attendance when the child is provided with competent alternative instruction for a like period of time as would be provided by the public schools. Excuse from school is effective without board action upon filing an application with the school superintendent.~~

~~The Board may revoke a certificate of excuse, if, upon inspection by the Secretary of Education, it is shown that the student is not being taught in compliance with the standards of state law. Upon revocation of a certificate of alternative instruction, the parent or legal guardian may appeal the decision to the State Board of Education, which will conduct a hearing. The State Board's decision will be final.~~

GED PROGRAM: Students aged 16 years of age or older will be exempt from compulsory attendance provided they are enrolled in and participating in a school-based or school contracted Graduate Equivalency Degree (GED) program . The student must present written permission from the student’s parent or guardian and meets one or more of the following five conditions:

1. Verification from a school administrator that the child will not graduate with the child’s cohort class because of credit deficiency;
2. Authorization from a court services officer;
3. A court order requiring the child to enter the program;
4. Verification that the child is under the direction of the Department of Corrections; OR
5. Verification that the child is enrolled in Job Corps as authorized by Title I-C of the Workforce Investment Act of 1998, as amended January 1, 2009.

RELIGIOUS EXEMPTION AFTER EIGHTH GRADE: A child of compulsory school age who has successfully completed the first eight grades is excused from compulsory school attendance if:

1. The child or the parents of the child are members of a recognized church or religious denomination that objects to the regular public high school education; and
2. The recognized church or religious denomination either individually or in cooperation with another recognized church or religious denomination provides a regularly supervised program of instruction in which each child participates in learning activities appropriate to the adult

occupation that the child is likely to assume in later years.

STUDENT EXCUSED BECAUSE OF ILLNESS IN FAMILY: The School Board may excuse a child from school attendance because of serious illness in his immediate family, making his presence at home an actual necessity, or his presence in school a menace to the health of other pupils. The School Board may require the submission of medical evidence as a condition of granting an excuse pursuant to this section.

STUDENT EXCUSED TO ATTEND STATE OR NATIONALLY RECOGNIZED YOUTH EVENTS, AND WORK AS PRECINCT ELECTION OFFICIAL: A student is eligible to be counted for school attendance up to five days in a school term if an excuse from actual school attendance is requested by a parent or guardian for the purpose of attending events of state or nationally recognized youth programs of educational value or for the purpose of working as a precinct election official if the student is at least eighteen years old.

REFERENCES

State Reference:

[SDCL 13-27-3](#)

[SDCL 13-27-7](#)

[SDCL 13-27-8](#)

[SDCL 13-27-9](#)

[SDCL 13-27-1.1](#)

[SDCL 13-27-6](#)

[SDCL 13-27-6.1](#)

Policy Reference:

Adoption History

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Approved	12/14/15		

BID TABULATION

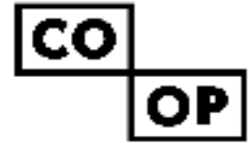
Project: High School Roof Replacement
Box Elder, South Dakota

Owner: Douglas School District 51-1 **Location:** Douglas School District - Administration Building

400 Patriot Drive
Box Elder, South Dakota 57719

Architect: CO-OP Architecture

Bid Date: 3/28/2024 **Time:** 10:00 AM MT



GENERAL CONTRACTOR	BID BOND	ADDENDUMS			Base Bid	Alternate 1 Area B ADD	Alternate 2 Area C ADD	Alternate 3 Area D ADD	Alternate 4 Area E ADD	UNIT PRICES		TOTAL BID
		#1	#2	#3						ITEM A	ITEM B	
Black Hills Roofing	X	X	X	X	\$426,725.00	\$162,000.00	\$106,087.00	\$316,287.00	\$212,822.00	\$0.90	\$4.25	\$1,223,921.00
Black Hills Exteriors	X	X	X	X	\$587,120.00	\$323,065.00	\$208,295.00	\$466,320.00	\$337,340.00	\$1.67	\$6.75	\$1,922,140.00
All American Roofing & Sales	X	X	X	X	\$348,700.00	\$126,423.00	\$115,617.00	\$250,613.00	\$192,326.00	\$1.83	\$3.25	\$1,033,679.00
Lowe Roofing of Wyoming LLC	X	X	X	X	\$599,800.00	\$187,200.00	\$155,530.00	\$430,640.00	\$292,950.00	\$1.80	\$4.40	\$1,666,120.00