

BOARD HIGHLIGHTS

June 16, 2025

2025-26 Division Budget Approved by Board

The Saskatchewan Rivers Public School Division Board of Education has approved the 2025–26 budget. The budget focuses on the priorities outlined in the 2024-2030 Division Strategic Plan, Learning and Innovation, Mental Health and Well-Being, Inclusion and Cultural Responsiveness, Citizenship and Relationships, and Governance and Leadership. The budget includes targeted investments in classroom supports, well being initiatives, technology infrastructure, and inclusive learning environments. These decisions reflect the Board's commitment to meeting the diverse needs of students and ensuring schools are well-positioned to support excellence for every learner. Responsible financial planning continues to guide the division's efforts to deliver excellence in education for all communities it serves.

TRC Calls to Action, Community Engagement and Transportation Reports

The Board of Education received several important annual updates. Superintendent Jennifer Hingley shared highlights of the division's response to the Truth and Reconciliation Commission's Calls to Action, including growing land-based learning opportunities and ongoing work in anti-racist/anti-bias education with both leadership and school staff. Superintendent Garette Tebay presented the Community Engagement Annual Report, outlining partnerships with School Community Councils, the Saskatchewan Rivers Students for Change, and various community organizations, along with strong growth in communications and social media engagement. The Board also reviewed the Transportation Report presented by CFO Jerrold Pidborochynski, which summarized student transportation services across the division and affirmed the division's continued commitment to safe, efficient service for all learners.

Farewell to Student Leaders, Retirees, and Best Wishes for the Summer

Saskatchewan Rivers Public School Division Board of Education celebrated the close of another successful school year. Earlier this month, the Board recognized long-serving and retiring staff at its annual recognition banquet, expressing deep gratitude to those who have dedicated their careers to supporting students and strengthening schools across the division. The Board also extended heartfelt thanks and best wishes to this year's graduating student representatives from the Saskatchewan Rivers Students for Change (SRSC), whose leadership and contributions helped amplify student voice and shape meaningful initiatives throughout the year. As the year wraps up, the Board wishes all SRPSD students, staff, and families a joyful, restful summer and looks forward to welcoming everyone back in the fall to our schools your first choice for excellence.

The Board hopes this brief update can provide information and promote communication. If you want further details about the Board and its meetings, you can find information at this under the "About Us" Tab at <u>www.srsd119.ca</u>. You are also encouraged to contact your local trustee.

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