



February 7, 2021

Good Afternoon School District of Beloit Families,

I hope you are enjoying your weekend. At the Board of Education meeting on Tuesday, February 9, during my Superintendents' report, I will give an update on transportation, food service, grab and go meals, staffing, concurrent learning, and much more. I encourage you to watch the meeting that begins at 7:00 pm, on Spectrum Channel 991 or on our [YouTube Channel](#). After my presentation, I will upload it to our [Safe to Learn Website](#), under Important Links and Updates.

Black History Month:

During February, we will honor and celebrate our African-American community leaders, business owners, educators, first responders, civic leaders, and advocates in our region. This past week we celebrated Ms. Dorothy Harrell, Officer Lorenzo Henderson, and Ms. Regina Dunkin. Follow our Facebook page to learn more about the individuals we will highlight this week.

Budget Work Group:

Ms. Jo Ann Armstrong, Executive Director of Business, HR, and Operations, is reaching out to our families and community members to encourage them to become a part of a Budget Work Group she is creating. The purpose of this Budget Work Group is to engage community members in the process the District goes through each year in developing, evaluating, recommending, and presenting a budget to the Board of Education. If you are interested, and for more information, please click [HERE](#).

4K Enrollment: Register Today

The School District of Beloit understands and recognizes the importance of a positive 4K learning experience. It starts a child off on the right foot for future success and prepares them for Kindergarten.

Research shows that 4K helps children develop positive social skills, early literacy, math skills and ensures that they begin Kindergarten prepared and ready to learn. Our 4K teachers create engaging learning environments for our littlest learners that promote social and emotional growth and academic success. From hands-on learning centers that encourage science, math, and reading to hands-on experiences in the arts, including drama, music, and visual arts, our 4K program is comprehensive and child-focused. Visit our [Website](#) or call (608) 361-4077 to learn more about our free, all-day 4K program.

As always, please reach out to your child's or teen's principal or teacher with any concerns you may have regarding assignments, classes, or Distance Learning.

Sincere regards,

Dr. Dan Keyser
Interim Superintendent
School District of Beloit