BRYANT PUBLIC SCHOOLS

NOVEMBER 2025

SCHOOL BOARD RECAP

SUMMARY OF MONTHLY BRYANT SCHOOL BOARD MEETINGS FOR PARENTS, STAFF AND COMMUNITY MEMBERS

CONSENT AGENDA

- Approved minutes from Oct 23 regular board meeting.
- Approved legal transfers submitted since last board meeting.
- Approved out of state travel for Bryant Varsity Cheer to travel to Fort Worth for NCA Nationals.

STUDENT SENATE

Reporter-Historian Dakota McNab shared updates on recent activities, including building leaders at HFES; donations made to the New Beginnings Pregnancy Center; and support in stocking and reorganizing The Nest pantry at BHS.

CELEBRATIONS / RECOGNITIONS



SPRINGHILL ELEMENTARY
2025 Leader in Me
Lighthouse Academic
Honor Roll School

KAMI BARCLAY
DR. MICHAEL TAYLOR
Outstanding Innovations in Transition Programming and Excellence in Implementation of CIRCLES.



2024-2025 Letter Grades

RECOGNIZING SCHOOLS WHICH INCREASED LETTER GRADE OR MAINTAINED "A" RATING









BOARD ACTION

- Approved new Lead HVAC Technician job description and revision to the classified salary schedule for the new position.
- Approved revision to Policy 4.47 - Personal Electronic Devices, as required by Department of Elementary and Secondary Education.
- Approved revision to Policy 4.5 -School Choice to comply with be law.
- Adopted the school choice resolution for the 2026-2027 school year.

2026-27 SCHOOL CALENDAR

The Board approved the school calendar for the 2026-27 school year.

Parent Calendar (English) (Spanish)
Staff Calendar

FACILITIES

Deputy Superintendent Todd Sellers presented the Facilities Master Plan. The Board will hear public comment on December 18 prior to voting on the plan.

STUDENT DATA

Assistant Superintendent for Elementary Kenney will present information on ATLAS K-3 Screeners and third grade promotion.

FINANCE

Interim Business Manager Julie Shelby presented the October 2025 financials. Mrs. Shelby was named Business Manager beginning January 1, 2026.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Dr. Walters' report included:

- MLK Tech Summit - BHS - November 21
- Update on BHS Additions
- Served 8,064 Thanksgiving Meals
- Friday, November 21 - Playoff game at Home against Fayetteville
- Thanksgiving Break - November 24-28
- Holiday Events Schedule
- Hall of Honor - Friday, December 12 - Bryant/Benton Game

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November 20 Board Agenda

COMPLETE MEETING AGENDAS AND MINUTES AS WELL AS A SCHEDULE OF BOARD MEETINGS AND WORK SESSIONS ARE AVAILABLE AT BRYANTSCHOOLS.ORG.