

e-Bulletin

Our mission is to provide opportunities for our youth to develop educationally, emotionally, physically and socially to the fullest of their ability...

"Learning Today, Shaping Tomorrow!"

COCHIC

Cognia (formally AdvancED) external review

During the week of May 2, an external review of the Sandwich CUSD 430 was conducted by an external review team assigned by Cognia. Cognia is the largest community of education professionals in the world; and is a non-profit, non-partisan organization that conducts rigorous, on-site external reviews of PreK-12 schools and school systems to ensure that all learners realize their full potential.

On a daily basis, the District is involved in various school improvement efforts. The District is a member of the Cognia school improvement process which requires a team of educational professionals, not associated with the District, to conduct a thorough review of the districts progress toward addressing rigorous standards established by Cognia and is used as a measure of accountability.

During the exit report, Cecelia Wiar, Lead Evaluator stated Cognia's point system was used as a metric and the District's overall score was 348.23 out of 400.

The review team applauded Sandwich CUSD 430 and noted that the average score for the past five years *World Wide* is 278.34 – 283.33.



June 2022

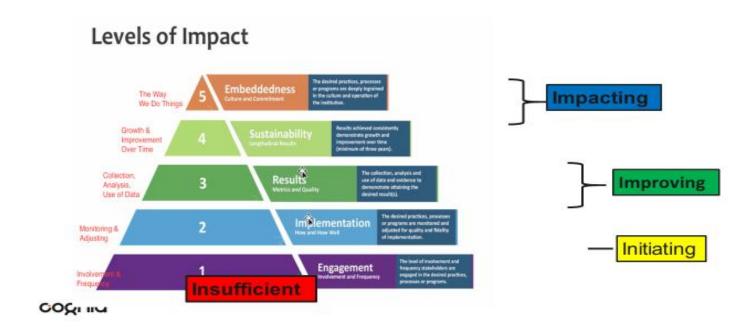
Upcoming Events

June 6 – Summer School Begins

June 21 - Board Meeting @ 7:00 pm SMS



The chart below describe the Levels of Impact. Sandwich CUSD 430 fell within the "Impacting" range.



Click here to read the exit report.

Click here to learn more about Cognia.

Summer Construction Work

Sandwich Middle School will have a section of its roof replaced over the summer. This is designated as an ISBE approved project and life safety funds will be used to pay for the project. Please use caution when entering the school and use only those doors that have been designated as entrances.

The Bus Barn will have its parking lots paved over the summer and the cost will be offset due to the district writing and receiving an ISBE School Maintenance Grant in the amount of \$50,000.



<u>Current</u> Students – Registration Information for the 2022-2023 School Year

Sandwich CUSD 430 uses a fully integrated online registration system. This system can be accessed through the Tyler Parent Portal link where parents check grades, lunch account balances and any other fees that have been or need to be paid. For convenience, a link to the Tyler student management & registration system is located on the students school issued device. Click here for more information regarding registration.



Incoming Kindergarten Registration Process - 2022-2023

Incoming Kindergarten registration has begun. If you missed the March registration dates, there is still time (your timely registration helps with staffing plans).

If your child will be 5 years old on or before September 1, 2022, he/she is eligible for Kindergarten.

Click here for additional information regarding the registration process.

If you are unsure which attendance center your child will attend, please contact one of the following schools: Haskin (815)786-8812, Prairie View (815)786-8811 or Woodbury (815)786-6316

Welcome to the Class of 2035!

New to District Students - Registration Information for the 2022-2023 School Year

Students that are new to the district may either download, print and complete registration materials or pick up hard copies located at the main entrance of each school (HE Dummer packets are located at the east entrance). <u>Click here for more information</u> regarding registration.

Summer School Program

Summer school will be housed at Prairie View (K-5) and the High School (6-12) June 6-17 (Monday – Friday - 8 am to noon) for current students that have been recommended for the enrichment program. The high school will also offer an online credit recovery option. Transportation will be provided to eligible students.



District Dashboard

The district dashboard is linked to the district website. While the dashboard includes data the ISBE report card generally includes, the dashboard highlights in greater depth the many types of positive programs and services offered throughout the district.

The dashboard addresses five main indicators:

- 1) Overall School Achievements and Accomplishments (this indicator highlights success stories from each attendance center such as learning environment activities, academic growth and extra-curricular activities);
- 2) Student Success (this indicator highlights success stories such as AP course work, Career & Technical Education, student growth performance and academic achievement results);
- 3) Learning Environment (this indicator highlights success stories such as our *Cognia* model of school improvement, professional development experiences, our wellness, technology & safety initiatives and extra-curricular involvement);

- 4) Finance and Operations (this indicator highlights information such as Evidence Based Funding revenue, expenditure costs, total fund balance); and
- 5) District Characteristics (this indicator highlights information such as enrollment data, attendance, and mobility). Click here for the Dashboard.

Sandwich Education Foundation – Annual Fundraiser

In 1994, the Sandwich CUSD #430 **Foundation for Excellence in Education** was formed. The purpose of the Foundation has been to support, promote, supplement, and enrich the educational programs and activities of students; and to develop links with businesses and civic organizations. Since 1994, the Foundation has carried out its mission extremely well. Due to the efforts of the Foundation and its many benefactors, programs have continued to be enhanced throughout the district. Teaching and learning opportunities have been strengthened while community support for our schools continues to be generated.

Although the Sandwich CUSD #430 Foundation for Excellence works in close communication with the Board of Education, it is completely independent of the Board of Education. Foundation funds are obtained from individual and corporate tax-deductible contributions, as well as through other planned fundraising activities. Due to the communities continued generosity over the years, well over \$375,000 has been raised to help supplement positive programs and services for our students.

The Foundation leadership will make spending decisions, which is a Board of Trustees made up of local parents and citizens. Your involvement as a Board of Trustees member is welcomed and encouraged.

Presently, the Board of Trustees has been making plans for their annual fundraiser. The Foundation will be holding its annual fundraiser on **June 4, 2022** at the Edgebrook Golf Course. This year's event will again be a Casino Night. Since the event is a fundraiser, guests will not be winning real money at the tables. Instead, they will earn prize tickets that will give them a chance to win a variety of prizes.

Please feel free to contact the SEF for more information, to purchase tickets, or to make a donation. Should you have questions, the Board of Trustees can be reached at: mbutler@sandwich430.org Click here for additional information.

→→ 2022-2023 employment opportunities - Substitute Teacher, Paraprofessional (teaching assistant), Custodian, Bus Driver, Bus Aide (current and/or next school year)



Want to be a sub teacher or paraprofessional in the district? If you have a Bachelor or Associates degree and would like to consider becoming a substitute in Sandwich CUSD 430, the DeKalb County Regional Office of Education (ROE) can answer all your questions and guide you through the necessary steps of becoming certified. Call the ROE at (815) 217-0460; or visit the ROE office at 2500 North Annie Glidden Road, Suite C, DeKalb, Illinois 60115.

Substitute Custodian

If you are interested in becoming a substitute custodian, please contact a building principal:

SHS (815-786-2157) SMS (815-786-2138) HED (815-786-8498) LGH (815-786-8812) PV (815-786-8811) WWW (815-786-6316)

Substitute Bus Driver & Bus Aide

If you are interested in becoming a substitute bus driver or bus aide, please call the transportation department at 815-786-8325 or sgraham@sandwich430.org

Substitute Bus Driver Positions

- Flexible Hours as a sub you only accept times you want
- Schedule corresponds to Sandwich Schools
- In House / Paid Training to obtain School Bus Drivers License
- Pay \$18.89 / hr.
- Opportunity to move to regular route with higher pay and hours

Substitute Bus Aid Positions Open

- Same flexibility and schedule
- No certification required
- Pay \$12.11 / hr.



Additional News from Our Schools:

Sandwich High School Sandwich Middle School Herman E. Dummer School

Lynn G. Haskin Elementary Prairie View Elementary WW Woodbury Elementary

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