

- The boards set its fall retreat for Oct 21 and discussed the next board community chat.
- After the executive session on Oct. 6, Carle said the board had been noti-

fied of egregious behavior and close calls, and was working on a plan of action, including possibly revoking the carline privileges of violators.  
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The MA School Board meets at 6 p.m. on the second Thursday of each month. The next regular board meeting will be on Thursday, Nov. 10, at 6 p.m. on the East Campus. See more information at see <https://bit.ly/ma-boe>.

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Lewis-Palmer District 38 Board of Education, Oct. 24

# Board receives Monument Academy annual report, Unified Improvement Plan

*By Harriet Halbig*  
The D38 Board of Education discussed a number of significant subjects at its Oct. 24 meeting, including the annual report of the Monument Academy (MA) charter school, the district Unified Improvement Plan which was to be submitted to the state Department of Education, matters of public comment in meetings, and a resolution to oppose state Proposition 122.

**Monument Academy annual report**  
Chief Financial Officer Marc Brocklehurst and MA Board President Ryan Graham presented the annual report on the 2021-22 school year.

The unified improvement plans (UIPs) for MA were separated into two segments,

grades 3 to 5 and grades 6 to 10. Many parents opted out of participation in state assessments for their students, but participation in the PSAT test was high. Sophomores scored slightly below the D38 average and freshmen slightly above.

Middle school math was mentioned as needing improvement. Reading assessments showed significant growth in grades K-5 except for fifth grade.

The current enrollment for grades K through 10 is 1,168, including 76 in pre-school and 20 in kindergarten. There are 67 students identified as gifted, 76 exceptional students, and 42 English language learners.

The east campus is nearing its capacity, and planning has begun for phase 2 of construction that will include several class-



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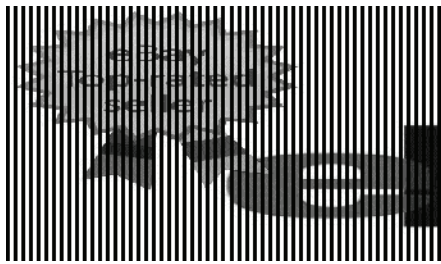
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