

School Board Regular Business Meeting

Monday, June 9, 2025 6:00 PM

District Office Board Room, Teleconference, URL:, Shakopee, MN 55379

1. CALL TO ORDER SCHOOL BOARD BUSINESS MEETING AND ROLL CALL - CHAIR SMITH

2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

3. SABER PRIDE

3.1. Michelle Sieberg - Class of 2025 Student School Board Member Recognition **Presenter:** Jeff Smith and Joe Aldrich

3.2. Minnesota GreenStep Schools - Shakopee High School, First Resolution Passed in the State **Presenter:** Ed Loisel, Shakopee High School Educator; Ady Phoeurn, Class of 2025 Student; and Jonee Kulman Brigham, AIA, LEED AP O+M, Senior Research Fellow, Minnesota Design Center - College of Design Fellow, Institute on the Environment - University of Minnesota

4. CONSIDERATION OF AGENDA AS PRESENTED

5. PUBLIC COMMENT

6. CONSENT ITEMS

6.1. Personnel Items

7. DONATIONS APPROVAL **Presenter:** Jeff Smith

8. INFORMATION

8.1. Summer 2025 Programs **Presenter:** Eric Serbus, TLC Principal & Targeted Services Leader

8.2. Academies of Shakopee **Presenter:** Jeff Pawlicki, Shakopee High School Principal and Javier Havemeier, Academies of Shakopee Student Ambassador

8.3. 2025 Community Conversation Results **Presenter:** Tiffany Olson, Director of Communications & Strategic Development

9. ACTION

9.1. Memorandum of Understanding - Shakopee University **Presenter:** Mike Redmond

9.2. Online Agreement

Presenter: Jim
Miklausich, Assistant
Superintendent

10. **INFORMATION**

10.1. District Financial Outlook

Presenter: Mike
Redmond

11. **COMMITTEE REPORTS & OTHER INFORMATION**

12. **UPCOMING MEETINGS & IMPORTANT DATES**

13. **OTHER**

13.1. Closed Session - Negotiations Strategy

Presenter: Jeff Smith

14. **ADJOURNMENT**



Student Voice

THANK YOU

It is with great pleasure that the Shakopee Public Schools Board honor

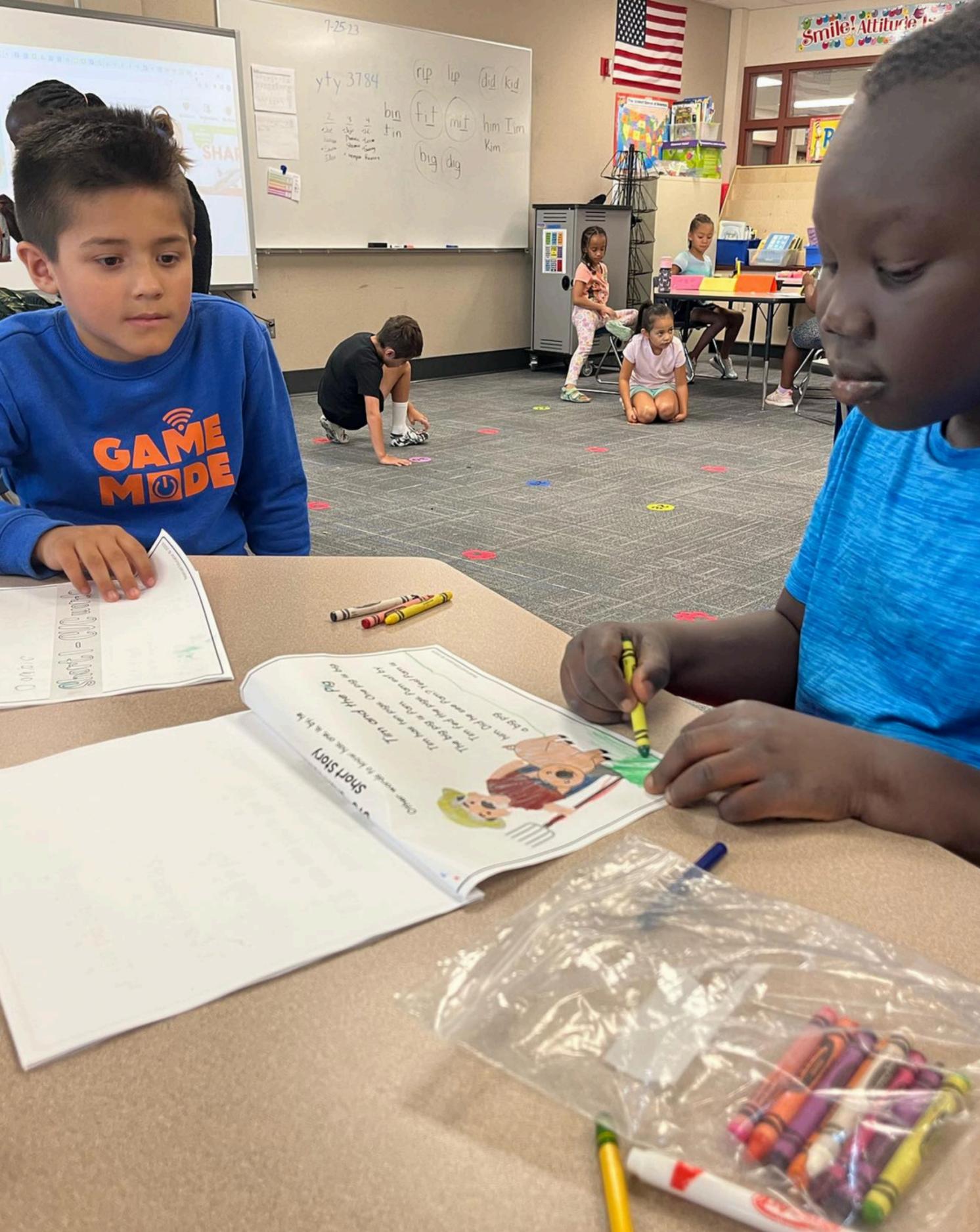
Michelle Sieberg

Class of 2025

for serving as an ex-officio

Student School Board Member for the 2023-24 and 2024-25 school years.





SHAKOPEE SUMMER PROGRAMS 2025



SHAKOPEE SUMMER PROGRAMS 2025

Summer Learning Goals

- Address learning gaps and accelerate academic growth
- Support transition readiness
- Strengthen social-emotional learning
- Enhance student engagement and positive school connections



2025 Programs



**Shakopee Elementary
Summer Learning
Adventures**



**Shakopee Middle School
Summer Learning Adventures**



**Shakopee 9th Grade Summer
Saber Launch Program**



**Shakopee Summer
Newcomer Program**



**Shakopee High School
Summer Credit Recovery
Program**



MI CASA
campamento
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Mi CASA Summer Camp

There is also a summer camp held in partnership with Mi CASA and Shakopee Community Education as well as an Extended School Year (ESY) Program led by Shakopee Special Services.

Learning & Support Emphasis



**Math, Literacy,
Social/Emotional Learning**



**Math, Language Arts,
Social/Emotional Learning
6th grade transition**



**Math, Language Arts,
Social/Emotional Learning
9th grade transition**



**Language Development
and Social Interaction**



**Learning and Credit
Recovery**

SHAKOPEE ELEMENTARY SUMMER LEARNING ADVENTURES

Location: Sun Path Elementary

Grades: Rising 1-5, targeted invite

Length: 5 weeks, M-Th, Jul 7 - Aug 7

Registration Period: April 25th - May 9th

Times: 7:45am - 1:20pm

Coordinator: Brandy Lokshin

New this year:

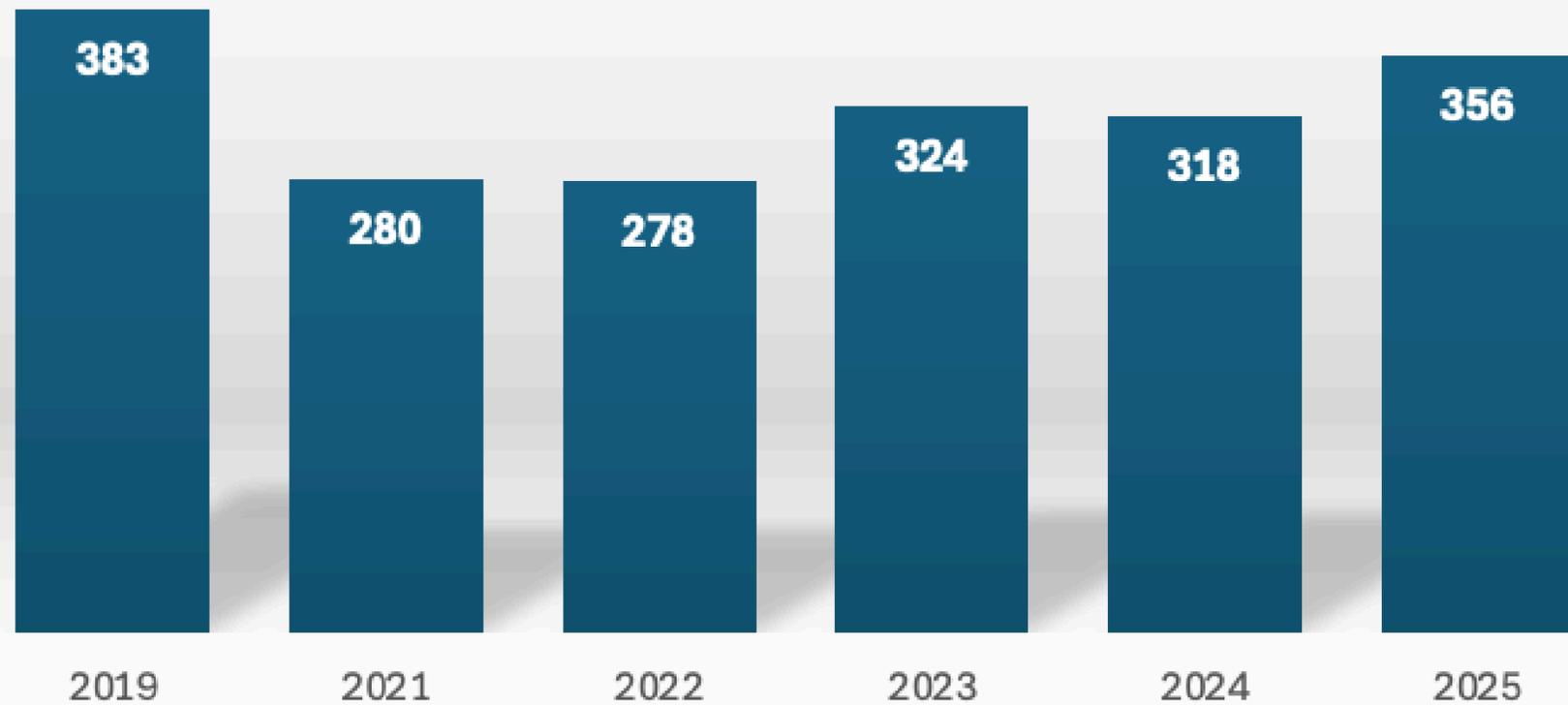
Stopfinder Transportation Pilot



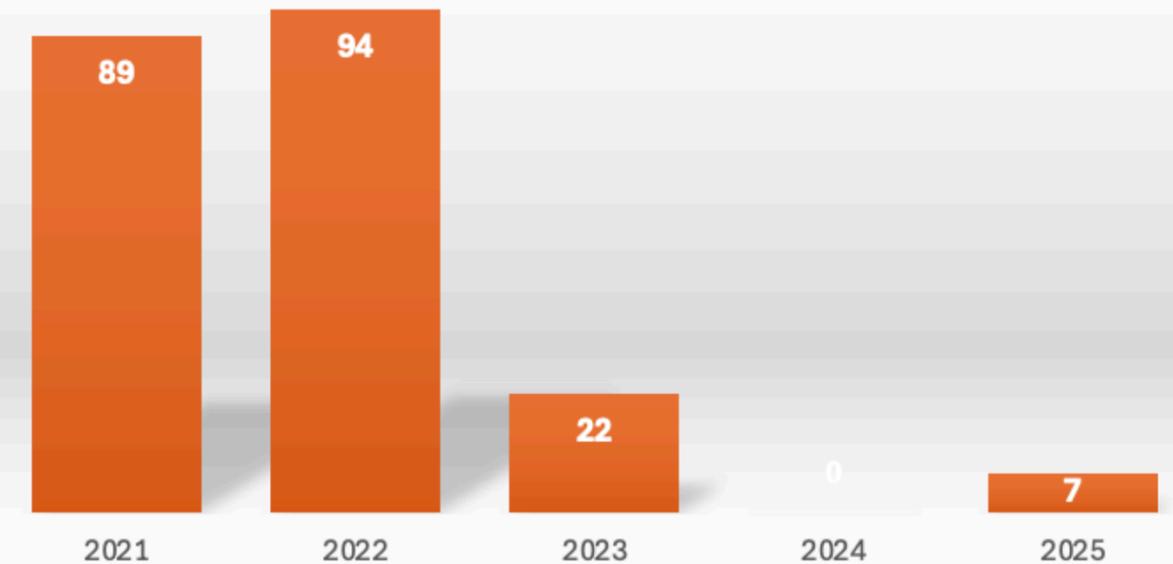
SHAKOPEE ELEMENTARY SUMMER LEARNING ADVENTURES



Enrollment



Waitlist



SHAKOPEE ELEMENTARY SUMMER LEARNING ADVENTURES

Current staffing:

- **19 classroom teachers with average of 19 students per class (same as last year)**
 - 2022 and 2021: 15 classroom teachers
- **2 ML teachers and 1 SPED teacher (same as last year)**
 - 2022-23: 2 ML teachers and 2 SPED teachers
 - 2021: 2 EL teachers and 1 SPED teacher
- **4 paras**
 - 2024: 3 paras
 - 2023: 3 paras
 - 2022: 4 paras
 - 2021: 4 paras
- **2 specialists (includes PT job share, same as previous years)**



SHAKOPEE MIDDLE SCHOOL SUMMER LEARNING ADVENTURES

Location: West Middle School

Grades: Rising 6-8, open invite

Length: 5 weeks, M-Th, Jul 7 - Aug 7

Times: 8:30 am - 2:00 pm

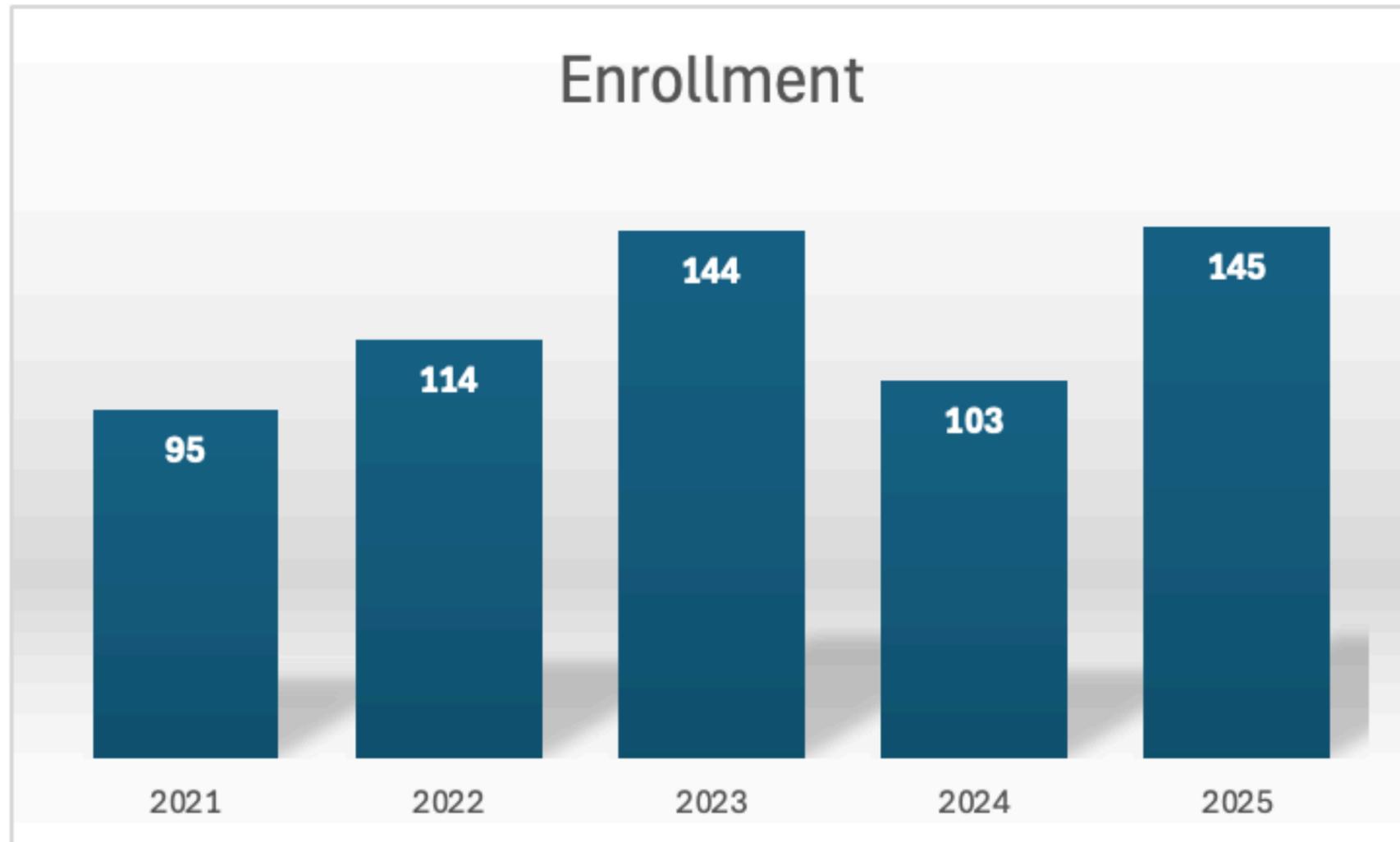
Registration Period: April 25th - May 9th

Coordinator: Jason Larson

2025 Theme: Gaming the System



SHAKOPEE MIDDLE SCHOOL SUMMER LEARNING ADVENTURES



SHAKOPEE SUMMER SABER LAUNCH PROGRAM

Location: Shakopee High School (SHS)

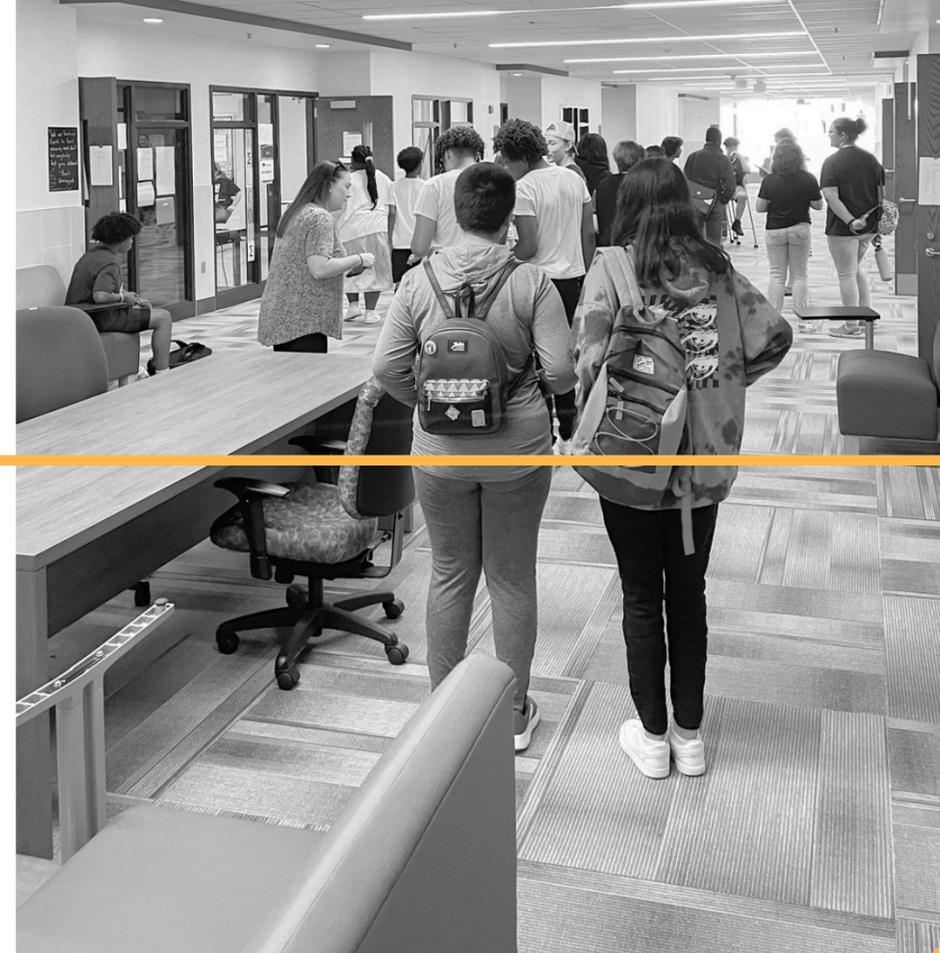
Grades: Rising 9th graders, open invite

Length: 4 weeks, M-Th, Jul 7- Jul 31

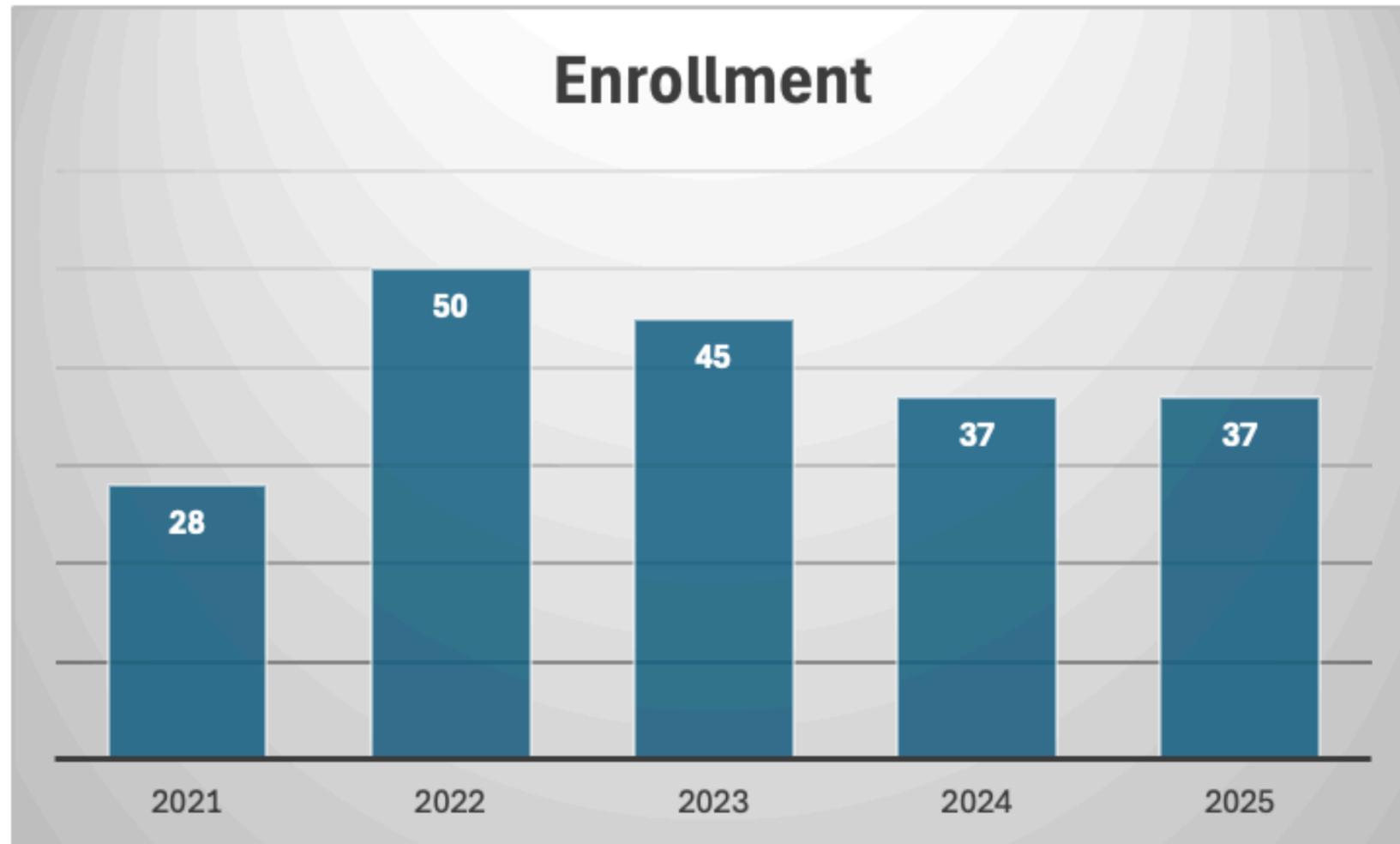
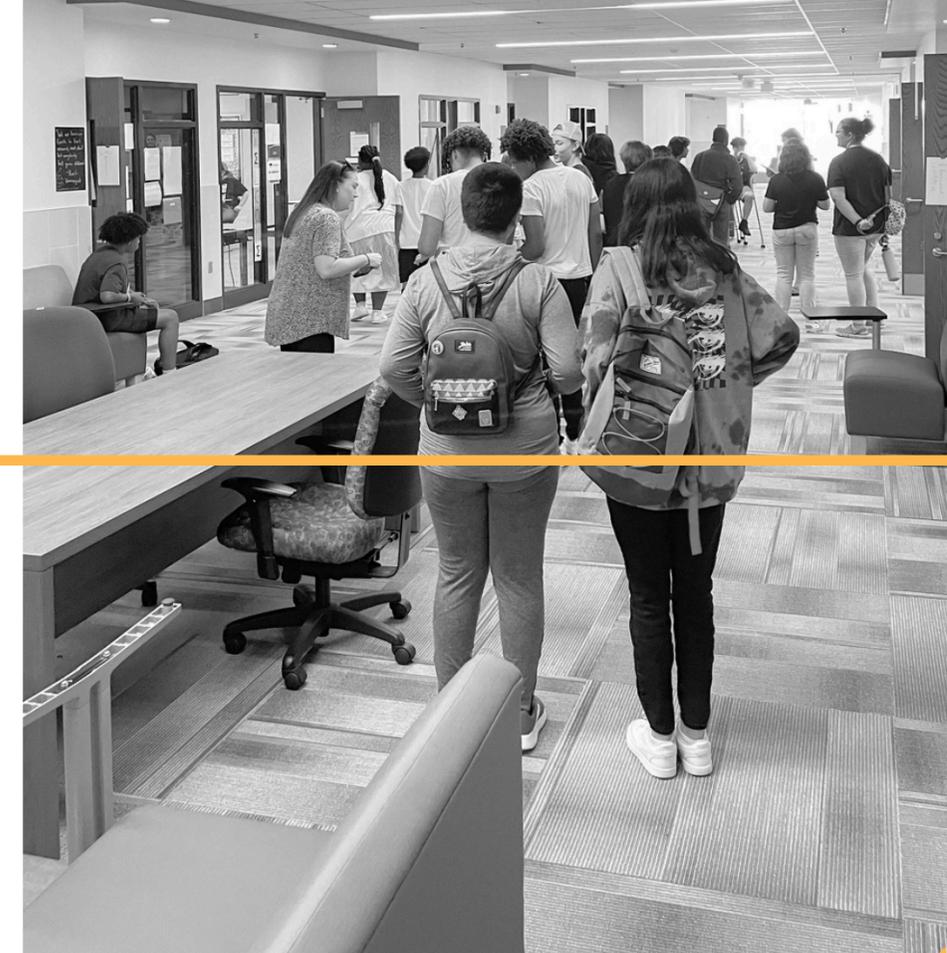
Registration Period: April 25th - May 9th

Times: 8:30 am - 12:30 pm

Coordinator: Eric Cameron/Michelle Edgeton



SHAKOPEE SUMMER SABER LAUNCH PROGRAM



SHAKOPEE SUMMER NEWCOMER PROGRAM

Location: Shakopee High School (SHS)

Grades: Rising 9-12, targeted invite

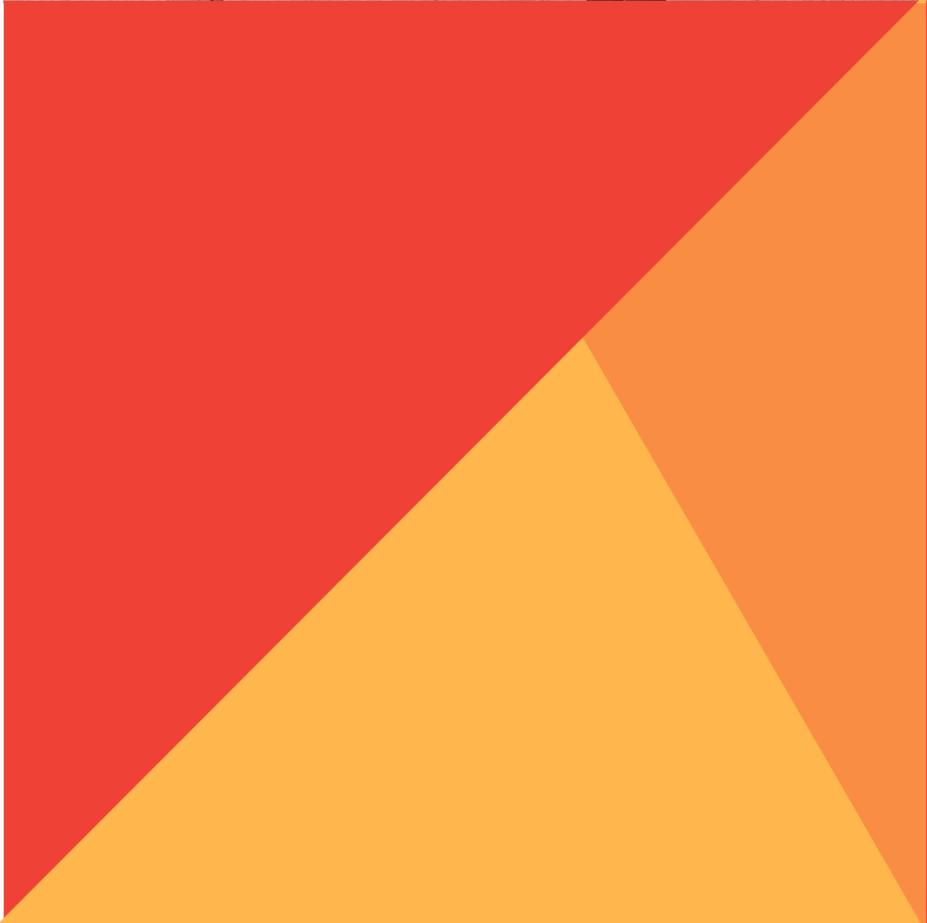
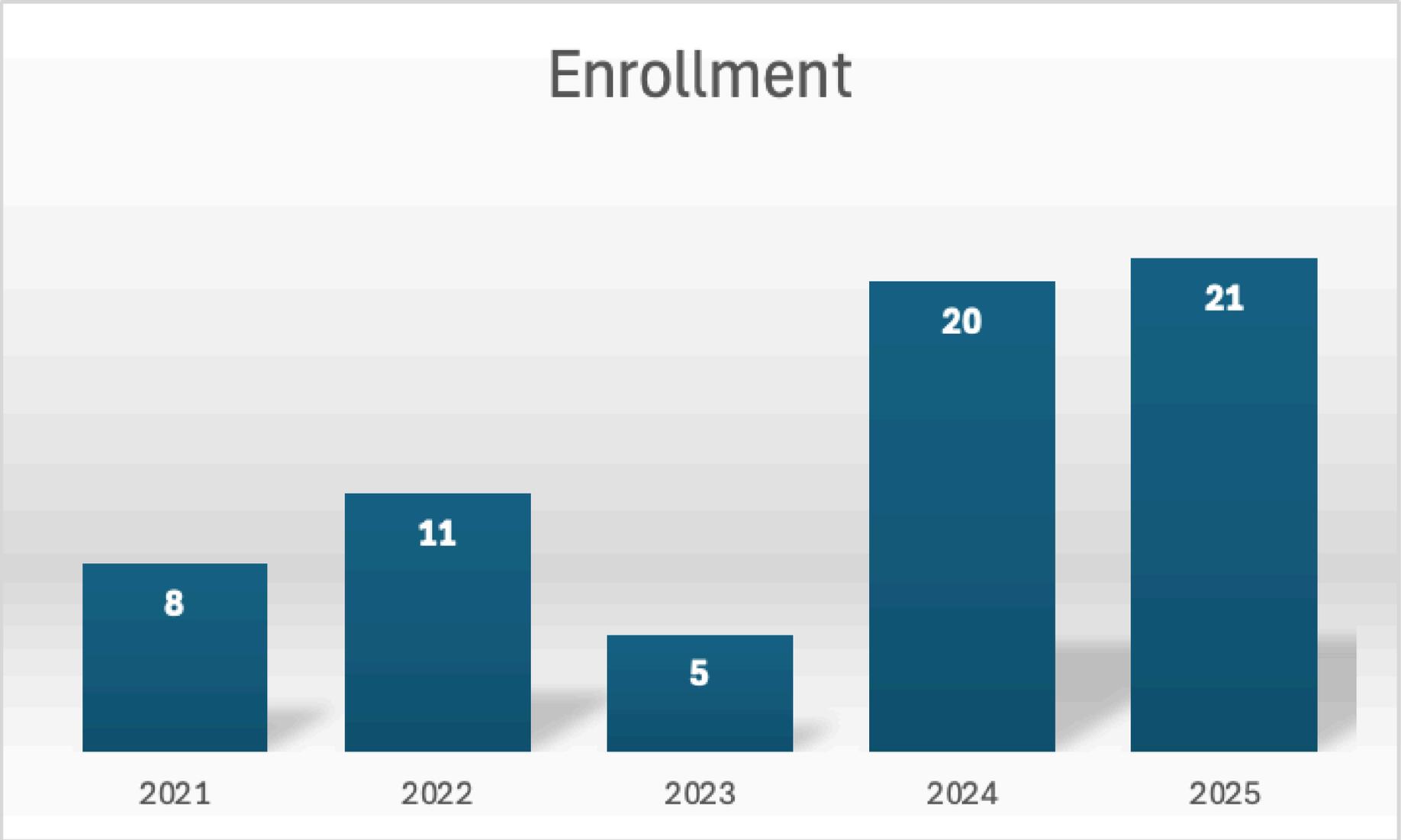
Length: 4 weeks, M-Th, Jul 7- July 31

Times: 8:30am - 12:30pm

Registration: Through ML Teachers, Annie Rients and support from the Welcome Center, including multilingual outreach
Coordinator: Eric Cameron /Michelle Edgeton



SHAKOPEE SUMMER NEWCOMER PROGRAM



SHAKOPEE HIGH SCHOOL SUMMER CREDIT RECOVERY PROGRAM

Location: Shakopee High School (SHS)

Grades: Rising 10-12+ students, open to all

Length: 5 weeks, M-Th, July 7 - Jul 31

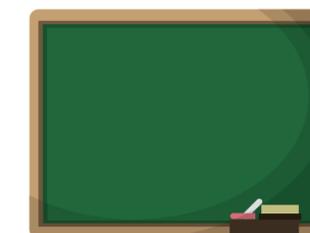
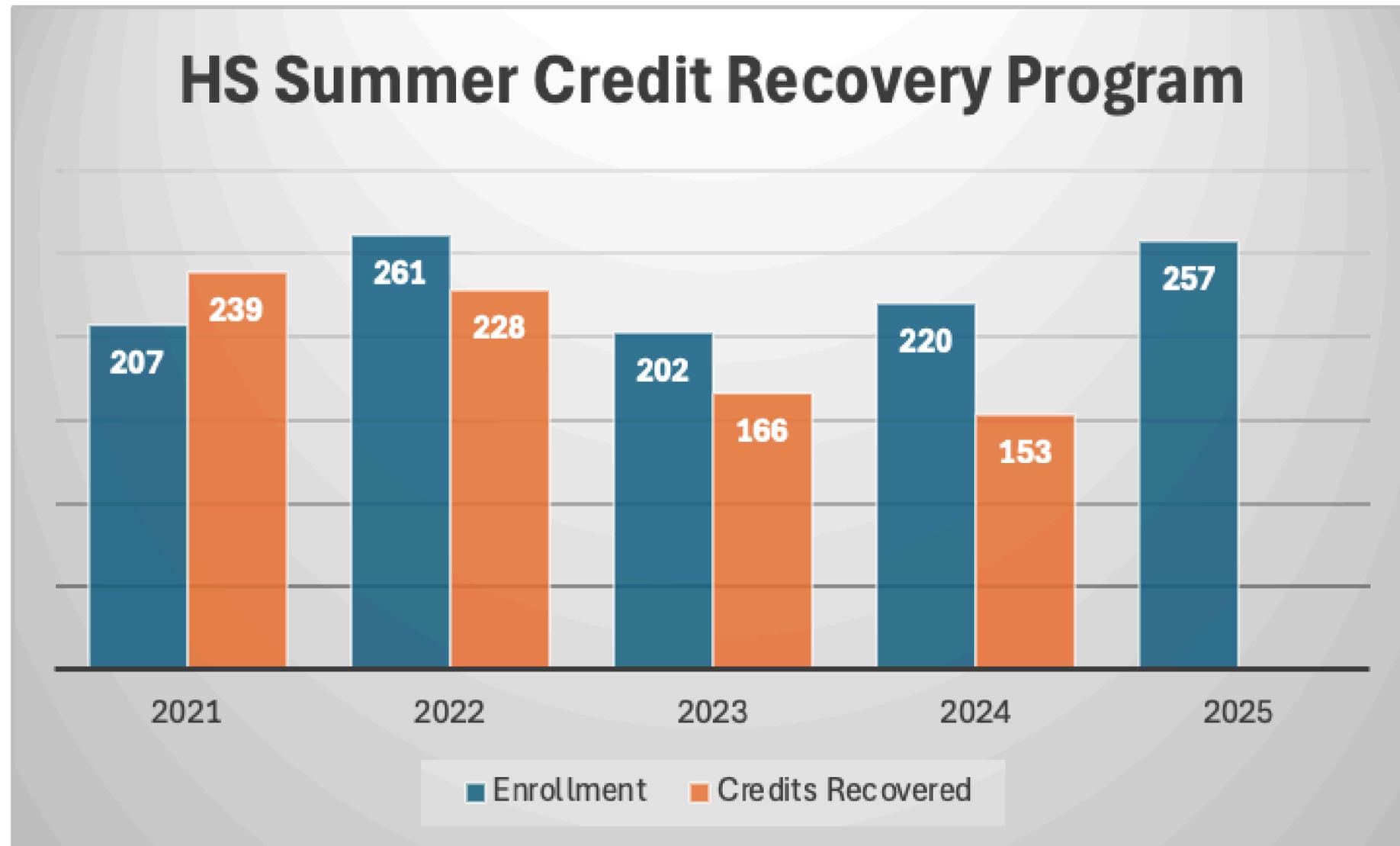
Times: 8:30 am - 12:30 pm

Registration Period: May 27 - June 5

Coordinator: Nickole Koep



SHAKOPEE HIGH SCHOOL SUMMER CREDIT RECOVERY PROGRAM





THANK
YOU

Thank you to our program partners:

- Palmer Bus Company
- Welcome Center
- Academy Champions
- Dichtomatik
- HEART
- Community Education
- Cultural Family Liaisons
- Food Services Team
- LTE Department
- Building Custodians
- Technology Department

...and numerous other staff members
and community partners!



SHAKOPEE SUMMER PROGRAMS 2025

QUESTIONS?



TUITION AGREEMENT

This Tuition Agreement (“Agreement”) is entered into by and between Independent School District No. 720, Shakopee Public Schools (“Shakopee”), and Independent School District No. 272, Eden Prairie Schools (“Eden Prairie”).

WHEREAS, Eden Prairie currently operates an online school (“EP Online”) for students who reside in Eden Prairie and for students who open enroll in EP Online through the Enrollment Options Act, Minnesota Statutes section 124D.03;

WHEREAS, Eden Prairie has an interest in increasing enrollment in EP Online in order to take advantage of economies of scale and offer the most robust online program possible;

WHEREAS, Shakopee has an interest in providing online learning opportunities for students who reside in Shakopee without having its students open enroll in another public school district;

WHEREAS, Minnesota Statutes section 124D.094, subdivision 2, states that districts “may establish agreements to provide digital instruction, including blended instruction and online instruction, to students enrolled in the cooperating schools”;

WHEREAS, Minnesota Statutes section 123B.88, subdivision 4, and Minnesota Statutes section 123A.488, subdivisions 2 and 3, authorize school districts to enter into tuition agreements; and

WHEREAS, Shakopee and Eden Prairie are entering into this Agreement as cooperating school districts to establish the terms and conditions under which Eden Prairie will provide online instruction to Shakopee students who take supplemental online courses through EP Online during the 2025-2026 school year;

NOW, THEREFORE, IN CONSIDERATION OF the promises contained in this Agreement and other valuable consideration, the sufficiency of which is acknowledged, the Shakopee and Eden Prairie agree as follows:

1. **Term.** This Agreement will take effect on July 1, 2025, and will expire on June 30, 2026. This Agreement will not automatically renew.
2. **Definitions.** The following terms will have the following meanings:
 - a. “Eden Prairie student” means a student who is a resident of the Eden Prairie School District.
 - b. “Shakopee student” means a student who is a resident of the Shakopee School District and takes supplemental online courses through EP Online.
 - c. “Enrolling district” means the Shakopee School District for all purposes, regardless of the number of credits that a Shakopee student takes through EP Online.
 - d. “Supplemental online course” means an online course that a Shakopee student takes through EP Online in place of an in-person course provided by Shakopee. A

Shakopee student will receive one credit for each supplemental online course the student completes through EP Online.

3. **Scope and Coverage.** This Agreement applies to Shakopee students in kindergarten through grade twelve who take supplemental online courses through EP Online.
4. **Waiver of Fifty Percent Course Limit.** By entering into this Agreement, Shakopee waives the fifty percent course enrollment limit established in Minnesota Statutes section 124D.094, subdivision 3(b)(2).
5. **Billing.** Shakopee students may take up to four supplemental online courses per quarter through EP Online and, thus, receive up to four credits per quarter through EP Online. Shakopee students may take up to sixteen supplemental online courses per year through EP Online and, thus, may receive up to sixteen credits per year through EP online. Shakopee will pay Eden Prairie six hundred and fifty-three dollars and zero cents (\$653.00) for each credit that a Shakopee student earns through EP Online. Eden Prairie will bill Shakopee at the end of each semester.
6. **Reopener.** If the Minnesota Department of Education (“MDE”) asserts that Shakopee is not entitled to receive the full amount of pupil aid for Shakopee students who take supplemental online courses through EP Online, the parties agree to reopen this Agreement in order to negotiate a new billing arrangement that is acceptable to both parties. If the parties are unable to reach agreement on a new billing arrangement, either party may terminate this Agreement by providing written notice to the other party at least thirty calendar days before the effective date of termination.
7. **Eden Prairie’s Duties.** When a Shakopee student enrolls in EP Online to take supplemental online courses, Eden Prairie must comply with the requirements that are stated in this Agreement.
 - a. **State standards.** Eden Prairie must provide an online education program that meets all applicable state standards for online learning and graduation. Eden Prairie is solely responsible for ensuring that the online curriculum meets state standards.
 - b. **Equal programming.** Eden Prairie must provide Shakopee students who enroll at EP Online with access to the same online learning opportunities that Eden Prairie provides to Eden Prairie students.
 - c. **Appropriately licensed staff.** Eden Prairie must use appropriately licensed online teachers to deliver online instruction through EP Online.
 - d. **Online course syllabus.** Upon request, Eden Prairie must provide a Shakopee with a course syllabus that enable Shakopee to determine whether the academic standards in the online course meet or exceed the academic standards in the course it would replace at Shakopee.
 - e. **Attendance and progress.** Eden Prairie must track student attendance and monitor academic progress and communicate with the student, the student’s guardian if they

are age 17 or younger, and Shakopee's designated online learning liaison. Eden Prairie must send attendance reports to Shakopee.

- f. **Grades and transcripts.** Eden Prairie must issue grade reports and transcripts for Shakopee students who enroll in EP Online to take supplemental online courses. Eden Prairie must send the grade reports and transcripts to Shakopee.
 - g. **Mandatory testing.** Eden Prairie must coordinate and administer all mandatory state-wide and district-wide testing to Shakopee students who take supplemental online courses for more than fifty percent of their scheduled course load.
 - h. **Equal access.** Eden Prairie must provide instruction that is accessible to students with disabilities under Sections 504 and 508 of the Rehabilitation Act and Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act.
8. **Shakopee Duties.** Shakopee has the following responsibilities under this Agreement:
- a. **Online learning liaison.** Shakopee will appoint an online learning liaison who: (1) provides information to Shakopee students and families about supplemental online courses offered through EP Online; (2) provides academic support information to EP Online, including IEPs, EL support plans, and Section 504 plans; (3) monitors attendance and academic progress reports that are sent by Eden Prairie; (4) communicates with EP Online; and (5) communicates with Shakopee students attending EP Online and with the parents of students are under the age of eighteen.
 - b. **Reduction in course schedule.** When a Shakopee student enrolls in EP Online to take supplemental online courses, Shakopee may reduce the student's course schedule in proportion to the number of supplemental courses the student takes at EP Online.
 - c. **Academic credit.** Shakopee will grant academic credit to Shakopee students for supplemental online courses that are completed through EP Online, provided that the academic standards in the online course meet or exceed the academic standards in the course it replaces at Shakopee.
 - d. **Support services.** Shakopee must continue to provide the same support services to Shakopee students taking supplemental online courses through EP Online that Shakopee would provide to any other enrolled student, including support for English learners, case management of an IEP, and meal and nutrition services for eligible students.
 - e. **Graduation planning.** Shakopee will provide graduation planning support, including assistance with reviewing transcripts and credits, tracking progress toward graduation, and selecting courses to help Shakopee students meet Shakopee's graduation requirements. Shakopee will apply the same graduation requirements to all students, including students taking supplemental online courses through EP Online.

- f. **Postsecondary guidance.** Shakopee will provide Shakopee students with postsecondary and career guidance, such as college application support, general assistance in applying for financial aid, and access to Shakopee’s college and career planning resources.
 - g. **Extracurricular activities.** As the enrolling district, Shakopee will provide Shakopee students access to extracurricular activities for students taking supplemental online courses on the same basis as any other enrolled student.
 - h. **Discipline.** Shakopee students who take supplemental online courses through EP Online are subject to Shakopee’s policies and procedures related to student conduct and discipline. Eden Prairie will investigate allegations of misconduct that occur in the EP Online learning environment and will notify Shakopee of the outcome. To the extent permitted by law and Shakopee’s policies, Shakopee may prohibit Shakopee students from taking supplemental online courses through EP Online if they engage in misconduct in the EP Online learning environment.
 - i. **Senior year activities.** Shakopee will provide graduating Shakopee students with equal access to senior year activities.
 - j. **Shakopee diploma.** Shakopee will issue a Shakopee diploma to Shakopee students who enroll in EP Online to take supplemental online courses and meet the requirements for a diploma. Shakopee will allow such students to participate in Shakopee’s graduation ceremony on the same basis as other Shakopee students. Shakopee retains full responsibility for verifying that students meet all graduation requirements.
9. **Special Education Services.** The delivery of specialized instruction and related services is at the core of the special education experience. Special education teachers and related service providers use data to differentiate instruction based on the student’s unique need. Differentiation of curriculum as outlined in an IEP for students with disabilities is necessary. When a Shakopee student has an IEP, the IEP team is responsible for determining the student’s placement. If the parent of a Shakopee student with an IEP requests that he student be placed at EP Online, the student’s IEP team will meet to determine whether an online placement at EP Online would be appropriate and the least restrictive environment (“LRE”) for the student. If the IEP team determines that an online placement at EP Online is appropriate and the LRE, Shakopee and Eden Prairie will collaborate to provide special education and related services to the student through EP Online in compliance with the student’s IEP. Shakopee will bear any excess costs associated with providing special education services through EP Online.
10. **Data Sharing.** Shakopee and Eden Prairie agree that in order to implement this Agreement they must be able to access and share educational data on Shakopee students who enroll at EP Online to take supplemental online courses on a full-time basis. Eden Prairie, and specifically EP Online, will be performing an institutional function for which the District would otherwise use its own employees. As a result, the teachers and administrators who operate EP Online are considered to be “school officials” as that term is used in FERPA’s implementing regulations at 34 C.F.R. § 99.31(a)(1). Shakopee and Eden Prairie also agree that school officials in both districts have a legitimate educational interest in accessing and

exchanging educational data on Shakopee students who enroll at EP Online to take supplemental online courses. The parties recognize that educational data are classified as “private” under the Minnesota Government Data Practices Act (“MGDPA”), Minnesota Statutes section 13.32, and education records are classified as “confidential” under the Family Educational Rights Privacy Act (“FERPA”), 20 U.S.C. § 1232g. Shakopee and Eden Prairie agree to safeguard all educational data and education records in compliance with the MGDPA and FERPA. Additionally, Eden Prairie agrees that the application for enrollment at EP Online will require the parent or guardian, or student if 18 or older, to provide written consent for Shakopee and Eden Prairie to share educational data on the student.

11. **Notice of Complaints.** If a Shakopee student, or the parent or guardian of a Shakopee, makes a complaint about the services the student is receiving through EP Online, the school district that receives the complaint will notify the other school district about the complaint within 48 hours. Shakopee and Eden Prairie will then collaborate to determine which district’s policies apply and the response, if any, that is required under the circumstances.
12. **Relationship of the Parties.** Nothing in this Agreement may be construed to create a partnership or joint venture between the parties. The parties have no authority or power to take any action that could legally bind the other party, except as explicitly stated in this Agreement.
13. **Employment Status.** The parties recognize that Eden Prairie maintains full control over all Eden Prairie employees, agents, and representatives, and those individuals have no contractual relationship with Shakopee and must not be considered to be employees, agents, or representatives of Shakopee for any reason, including, but not limited to, supervision and evaluation, labor disputes or grievances, employment disputes, earned sick and safe time, payroll taxes and deductions, or maintenance of required insurance, including, but not limited to, workers’ compensation insurance, unemployment insurance, medical insurance, and liability insurance. Likewise, Shakopee maintains full control over all Shakopee employees, agents, and representatives, and those individuals have no contractual relationship with Eden Prairie and must not be considered to be employees, agents, or representatives of Eden Prairie for any reason, including, but not limited to, supervision and evaluation, labor disputes or grievances, employment disputes, earned sick and safe time, payroll taxes and deductions, or maintenance of required insurance, including, but not limited to, workers’ compensation insurance, unemployment insurance, medical insurance, and liability insurance.
14. **Liability for Own Acts and Omissions.** Each party is responsible for the acts and omissions of its own officers, agents, and employees while they are acting within the scope of their employment.
15. **Notices.** Any notice or demand under this Agreement must be sent by email, U.S. Mail, or personal delivery to the other party at the address listed below. Notice that is sent by U.S. Mail is effective upon mailing, as evidenced by the official U.S. Post Mark. Notice that is sent by email or personal delivery is effective upon receipt.

To Shakopee
Dr. Mike Redmond, Ed.D.

To Eden Prairie
Dr. Josh Swanson, Ed.D.

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16. **Equal Employment Opportunity.** Shakopee and Eden Prairie each agree to provide equal opportunities to all employees and applicants for employment in accordance with all applicable federal, state, and local laws. No person may be excluded from full employment rights in, participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination in any program, service, or activity on the grounds of race, color, religion, age, sex, disability, marital status, sexual orientation, HIV status, public assistance status, creed, or national origin.
17. **Choice of Law and Forum.** This Agreement is governed by the laws of the State of Minnesota. Any legal proceedings arising out of this Agreement, including any alleged breach of this Agreement, must be brought in Minnesota state or federal court.
18. **Severability.** If any provision of this Agreement is held unenforceable by a court of law, the remaining provisions of the Agreement will remain in full force and effect unless the remaining provisions would not serve the original purpose of the Agreement.
19. **Equal Drafting and Copies.** In the event either party asserts that a provision of this Agreement is ambiguous, this Agreement must be construed to have been drafted equally by the parties. A signed copy of this Agreement will have the same legal effect as the original.
20. **Entire Agreement.** This Agreement reflects the entire agreement between Shakopee and Eden Prairie regarding online instruction for Shakopee students. This Agreement supersedes any and all prior statements and agreements between Eden Prairie and Shakopee regarding online services for Shakopee students. No modification or waiver of any provision of this Agreement will be valid unless both parties agree to the change in writing as evidenced by a signed addendum to this Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have entered into this Agreement on the dates recorded by their signatures.

Independent School District No. 720

Independent School District No. 272

School Board Chair

School Board Chair

Date: _____

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School Board Clerk

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