

FY 2027

Kendrick Jt. School District No. 283

Executive Summary



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Dear Kendrick Jt. School District No. 283 Board Members:

I am writing to provide you with the Fiscal Year 2027 School Operating Budget. This includes a General Fund Budget of \$5,135,532 with an overall District Budget of \$7,508,696.

This budget provides the necessary support needed for our School District; with more than half of our General Fund Budget allocated towards staff salaries and benefits.

We continue to increase staff salaries to keep up with the rising cost of living, and we are pleased to say that our salary schedule is comparable, if not better than, the area school districts around us. Due to the new minimums required by the State of Idaho in 2026, and staffing changes, we saw an overall increase in certified staff salaries of 5.6%.

After reading through this Executive Summary and our FY 2027 District Budget, we hope you feel as confident as we do in where we are choosing to budget our federal, state and local funds.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kendall McWilliams".

Kendall McWilliams

Business Manager, Kendrick Jt. School District No. 283

School Board



Chad Heimgartner, Chairman
Zone 3
Term Ends 2030



Ryan Lawrence, Vice-Chair
Zone 4
Term Ends 2028



Ron Ireland
Zone 1
Term Ends 2028



Debbie Marker
Zone 2
Term Ends 2030



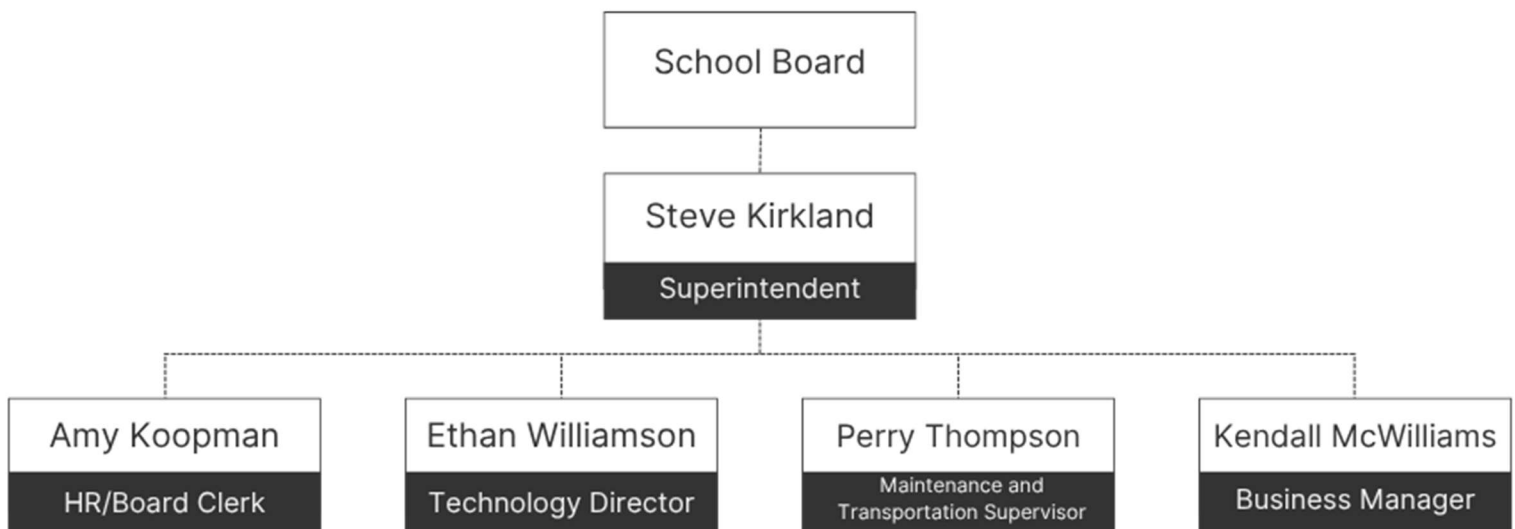
Shelby Silflow
Zone 5
Term Ends 2030

District Organization

Kendrick Jt. School District is organized to focus on the needs of more than 250 students and 55 full-time and part-time staff members. It is a rapidly growing, changing, well-managed and efficient organization.

Five elected School Board members govern KJSD. The members are elected to four-year terms, with each member representing a zone within our District. The School Board runs under Idaho law and the regulations of the Idaho State Department of Education to establish policies, guidelines, and rules that will ensure the proper administration of the district's school programs.

The Superintendent works closely with other School District employees to oversee the day-to-day operations of the schools and support services. Building principals and other District staff report directly to the Superintendent.



Budget Calendar

2026 BUDGET CALENDAR														IMPORTANT DATES											
JANUARY							FEBRUARY							APRIL 15TH											
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	REGULAR APRIL BOARD MEETING											
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MARCH							APRIL							APRIL 30TH											
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	BUDGET HEARING NOTICE DUE TO COUNTY CLERKS											
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MAY							JUNE							MAY 18TH											
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JULY							AUGUST							JUNE 15TH											
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SEPTEMBER							OCTOBER							JUNE 15TH											
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NOVEMBER							DECEMBER							JUNE 16TH											
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														JULY 13TH											
														REGULAR JULY BOARD MEETING											

Kendrick Jt. School District

Board Mission Statement and Goals

“Preparing Today’s Students for the Challenges of Tomorrow”

Kendrick School District, in partnership with the parents, students and communities of Kendrick and Juliaetta, envisions every student will grow to be a healthy, well-educated, and productive member of society.



Overview of Five-Year Strategic Plan

Focus Area #1:

College and Career-Ready
Students

Focus Area #2:

School and Community
Communication

Focus Area #3:

Safety and Facilities

Focus Area #4:

Highly Qualified Staff and
Curriculum

Focus Area #5:

Financial Responsibility*

Focus Area #6:

Extra-Curricular Activities

*Please see in-depth focus on next page.

Focus Area #5 – Financial Responsibility

The Kendrick Joint School District will be responsible and accountable for district resources while providing transparency and community engagement to support the district's needs and strategic plan.

Strategies:

- Post budget online for transparency to stakeholders
- Develop and implement communication plan to share budget decisions and their alignment to district needs and strategic plan
- Investigate the option of expanding district lines including the legal requirements and positive and negative implications

Key Performance Indicators:

- Website
- Financial Audit Report
- Financial Reports Monthly

Four-Year Summary Statement

SUMMARY STATEMENT 2026 - 2027 SCHOOL BUDGET								
ALL FUNDS								
School District <u>Kendrick Jt. School District No. 283</u>								
REVENUES	GENERAL M & O FUND				ALL OTHER FUNDS			
	Prior Year Actual 2023-2024	Prior Year Actual 2024-2025	Prior Year Actual/Budget 2025-2026	Proposed Budget 2026-2027	Prior Year Actual 2023-2024	Prior Year Actual 2024-2025	Prior Year Actual/Budget 2025-2026	Proposed Budget 2026-2027
Beginning Balances	\$1,450,000.00	\$1,425,000.00	\$1,485,000.00	\$1,868,900.00	\$724,472.00	\$452,106.00	\$1,541,323.00	\$1,480,076.00
Local Tax Revenue	\$750,000.00	\$750,000.00	\$750,000.00	\$795,000.00	\$174,345.00	\$153,460.00	\$153,460.00	\$153,460.00
Other Local	\$8,000.00	\$56,700.00	\$73,300.00	\$72,680.00	\$0.00	\$93,250.00	\$73,250.00	\$35,973.00
County Revenue	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$123,769.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
State Revenue	\$2,048,328.00	\$2,335,065.00	\$2,351,798.00	\$2,398,952.00	\$465,488.00	\$143,112.00	\$153,997.00	\$154,171.00
Federal Revenue	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$492,432.00	\$430,809.00	\$509,484.00
Other Sources	\$165,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$40,000.00
Totals	\$4,421,328.00	\$4,566,765.00	\$4,660,098.00	\$5,135,532.00	\$1,488,074.00	\$1,334,360.00	\$2,352,839.00	\$2,373,164.00
EXPENDITURES	Prior Year Actual 2023-2024	Prior Year Actual 2024-2025	Prior Year Actual/Budget 2025-2026	Proposed Budget 2026-2027	Prior Year Actual 2023-2024	Prior Year Actual 2024-2025	Prior Year Actual/Budget 2025-2026	Proposed Budget 2026-2027
Salaries	\$1,816,799.00	\$2,087,421.00	\$2,213,694.58	\$2,199,533.00	\$286,648.00	\$260,168.00	\$271,706.75	\$287,955.00
Benefits	\$907,023.00	\$872,703.00	\$902,200.98	\$964,373.00	\$149,300.00	\$65,397.00	\$71,521.00	\$71,513.00
Purchased Services	\$433,517.00	\$130,000.00	\$295,000.00	\$85,000.00	\$288,673.00	\$133,153.00	\$67,480.00	\$64,018.00
Supplies & Materials	\$225,082.00	\$165,000.00	\$200,000.00	\$180,000.00	\$233,105.00	\$214,959.00	\$183,925.25	\$190,445.00
Capital Outlay	\$11,526.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$194,960.00	\$189,470.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Debt Retirement	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$236,738.00	\$142,000.00	\$142,000.00	\$142,000.00
Insurance & Judgments	\$35,700.00	\$45,000.00	\$45,000.00	\$45,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Transfers (net)	\$165,000.00	\$140,000.00	\$140,000.00	\$40,000.00	\$0.00	\$140,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Contingency Reserve	\$179,732.00	\$172,006.00	\$179,794.78	\$175,695.00				
Unappropriated Balances	\$647,249.00	\$954,635.00	\$684,407.66	\$1,445,931.00	\$98,650.00	\$189,213.00	\$1,616,206.00	\$1,617,233.00
Totals	\$4,421,628.00	\$4,566,765.00	\$4,660,098.00	\$5,135,532.00	\$1,488,074.00	\$1,334,360.00	\$2,352,839.00	\$2,373,164.00

A copy of the School District Budget is available for public inspection at the District's Administrative or Clerk's Office.

Golden Gate Business Manager\Budget\2026-2027\2027-Publication-Four-Year-Summary.xls\Four Year Summary

(This form may be used to meet the requirements of 33-801 - Effective July 1, 1997)

Budget Preparation

Following the post-legislative session each Spring (usually in April), we are given more of an idea of what our revenue sources, and their amounts, will be for the following school year. Once these amounts are relatively known, we start our budget process. We have twenty (20) separate “budgets” that all fall under our operating budget. The largest of these is the General Fund (Fund 100). Below is a list of each fund and their corresponding IFARMS number:

FUND	DESCRIPTION
100	General Fund
220	Federal Forest Reserve
238	Student Activity
241	Driver’s Education
243	State Professional Technical
245	State Technology
246	State Substance Abuse
251	Title 1-A Improving Basic Programs
257	IDEA Part B School Age
258	IDEA Part B Preschool
260	School Based Medicaid
261	Title IV-A Student Support & Academic Enrichment
262	Title V Rural Education Initiative
271	Title II-A Supporting Effective Instruction
273	Title IV 21 st Century Community Learning Centers
290	Child Nutrition
310	Bond Redemption & Interest
420	Plant Facilities
424	School Bus Reserve Fund
436	School District Modernization Facilities Fund

The SDE provides all budget forms for our school district to use, found on their site here: <https://www.sde.idaho.gov/finance/>. These are the only forms the SDE will accept when the budget is turned in upon board approval.

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To start this process, we calculate out all federal, state and local revenue sources. Most revenues are based on ADA, and for these calculations, we use a 93% attendance rate. Other revenue sources are based on need (i.e. SPED funding is based on the number of students in the program). It is important to know both what attendance you are expected to have, as well as projected enrollment for these special programs. Below is a list of projected new revenue by fund source:

FUND	DESCRIPTION	PROJECTED 2027 REVENUE
100	General Fund	\$3,266,632*
220	Federal Forest Reserve	\$9,615*
238	Student Activity	\$0*
241	Driver's Education	\$6,235
243	State Professional Technical	\$39,243
245	State Technology	\$57,470
246	State Substance Abuse	\$4,933*
251	Title 1-A Improving Basic Programs	\$54,203
257	IDEA Part B School Age	\$63,041
258	IDEA Part B Preschool	\$5,911
260	School Based Medicaid	\$63,618
261	Title IV-A Student Support & Academic Enrichment	\$10,000*
262	Title V Rural Education Initiative	\$29,871*
271	Title II-A Supporting Effective Instruction	\$10,703*
273	Title IV 21 st Century Community Learning Centers	\$131,696
290	Child Nutrition	\$130,826
310	Bond Redemption & Interest	\$142,000
420	Plant Facilities	\$128,391*
424	School Bus Reserve Fund	\$40,000*
436	School District Modernization Facilities Fund	\$0*

*Denotes funds that had a carryover from the FY 2026 budget.

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Once we know how much money we are expected to receive, the next step is to budget out how we plan to spend the money. The biggest expense in our District are salaries and benefits. Right now, they make up 62% of our overall general fund budget. It is important to note that while the cost of living in our area tends to rise every year, the amount of money the state gives us for salaries and benefits does not always correlate to that amount.

Because it is such large part of our overall budget, knowing the amounts of salaries and benefits projected to be paid for the following year is a huge step in solidifying our expenditures. Once open positions are filled, negotiations are completed and classified salaries are decided, we place all employees within the proper funding categories for their salaries. We do this as well for health benefits and PERSI retirement. Once we know what the rates for these items are, we can calculate out all deductions for each employee and place them into the same funding category that their salaries are paid out of. This process proves to be difficult when positions are still open and/or negotiations are not yet complete.

Once salaries and benefit amounts are allocated, we then move on to purchase services and supplies for each fund. We start by looking at how much we spent in these categories for the current year and then add a safety “cushion” to cover unexpected expenses. General fund purchase services and supplies add up to 9% of the overall budget.

A small portion of our budget goes towards Insurance Judgments each year. This covers our premiums for buildings, buses, district vehicles and liability insurance. All insurance is paid out of the general fund; and makes up roughly 2% of the overall budget.

We started using transfers three years ago in the FY24 budget. The purpose of transfers are to essentially “transfer” money from the general fund into another fund. This year, we have \$40,000 being transferred to Fund 424 (School Bus Reserve Fund). As a District, we are planning to purchase a new school bus every three (3) years. By transferring \$40,000/year into the School Bus Reserve Fund, we will have \$120,000 to go towards the purchase of a new bus. The most recent bus we purchased in April of 2023 was \$124,000.

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Below is a list of projected expenditures by fund source:

FUND	DESCRIPTION	PROJECTED EXPENDITURES
100	General Fund	\$3,513,906
220	Federal Forest Reserve	\$0
238	Student Activity	\$0
241	Driver's Education	\$6,235
243	State Professional Technical	\$39,243
245	State Technology	\$57,470
246	State Substance Abuse	\$0
251	Title 1-A Improving Basic Programs	\$54,203
257	IDEA Part B School Age	\$63,041
258	IDEA Part B Preschool	\$5,911
260	School Based Medicaid	\$63,618
261	Title IV-A Student Support & Academic Enrichment	\$18,707
262	Title V Rural Education Initiative	\$0
271	Title II-A Supporting Effective Instruction	\$17,965
273	Title IV 21 st Century Community Learning Centers	\$131,696
290	Child Nutrition	\$164,594
310	Bond Redemption & Interest	\$142,000
420	Plant Facilities	\$0
424	School Bus Reserve Fund	\$0
436	School District Modernization Facilities Fund	\$0

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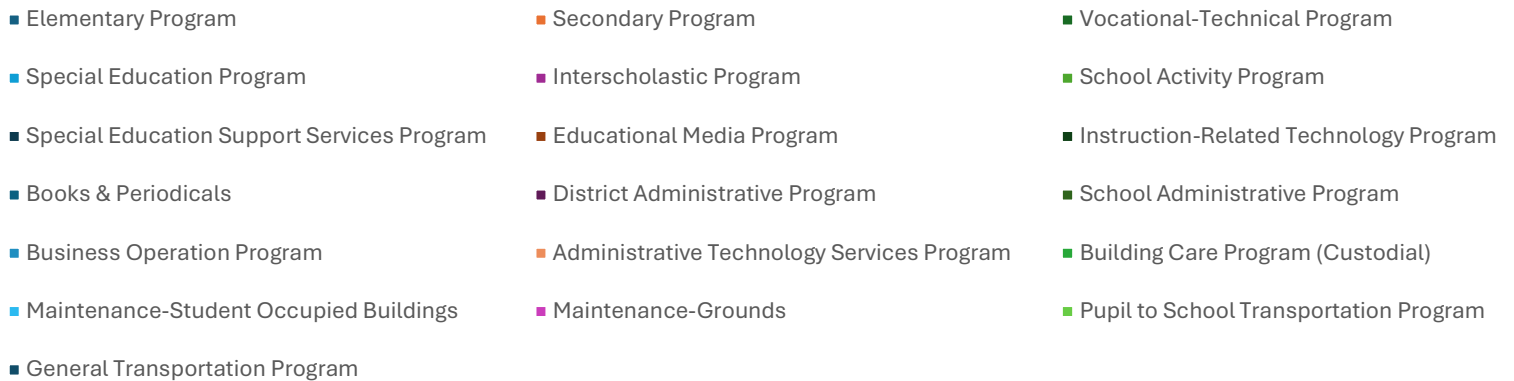
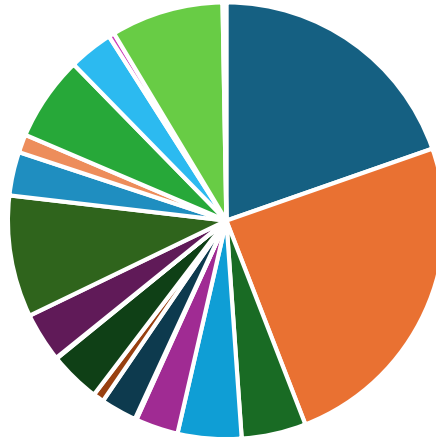
Not every dollar has to be “spent”; each fund is allowed to have money unappropriated for unexpected expenses that may come up throughout the year, or money that can then be rolled over to the next fiscal year. Below is a list of unappropriated money by fund source:

FUND	DESCRIPTION	UNAPPROPRIATED
100	General Fund	\$1,445,931
220	Federal Forest Reserve	\$86,808
238	Student Activity	\$26,435
246	State Substance Abuse	\$12,733
262	Title V Rural Education Initiative	\$78,042
420	Plant Facilities	\$128,391
424	School Bus Reserve Fund	\$120,000
436	School District Modernization Facilities Fund	\$1,146,117

It is important to note that while all of these separate funds run under our district operating budget; each fund has parameters as to what can and can't be purchased with these dollars. For example, Fund 241-Driver's Education. Money that goes into Driver's Education can only be used to pay for the instructor's salary and benefits, class supplies, and any expenses related to the vehicle used for the class. Each fund has reporting that is done at some point during the year, and our expense and revenue reports must reflect allowable purchases. To wrap up the budget process, we ensure that all revenues and expenditures match, and are confident that what we have budgeted best fits the needs of the District. The budget is then presented to the School Board at the regular board meeting (typically in June) for board discussion and approval.

Comparison Graphics

Expenditures-General Fund By Expense Program or Department



Expenditures-All Funds by Expense Type

