



**BOE MISSION**

*It is the mission of the Meeker School Board, with careful stewardship of community resources, to provide the best possible personnel, curriculum, and facilities that will give students maximum opportunities to learn.*

**CORE VALUES**

*Students First  
Respect  
Honesty  
Learning  
Excellence*

**BOE ROLES**

*Guide the district through the superintendent  
Engage constituents  
Ensure alignment of policy, resources and structure  
Measure and celebrate achievement  
Model excellence*

**BOE FOCUS**

*Increase student learning  
Sustain leadership excellence, classroom to boardroom  
Enhance constituent connections, understanding and trust  
Maximize finances*

**MEEKER SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-1**  
**Board of Education Special Board Meeting and Work Session**  
**555 Garfield Street**  
**Meeker, CO 81641**  
**June 6, 2017 - 7:00 p.m.**

1. Call to Order and Roll Call
2. Pledge of Allegiance: Mr. Shults will lead the Pledge of Allegiance
3. Welcome of Guests
4. Approval of Agenda

**Honoring of Meeker School District Retirees**

**General Public Comment Session:** (comments limited to three minutes)

**Action Item:**

1. Approval: Personnel Hire - Elementary Paraprofessional - Rebekah Cravens

**Special Meeting Adjournment**

**Work Session:**

1. Policy final edits - IKF
2. Master Plan Update
3. FY18 Preliminary Budget
4. Mill Levy Override vs. Bond Initiative
5. School Board professional development
  - a. Personnel roles and responsibilities
    - i. Governance vs. management
    - ii. Statute
    - iii. Policy
    - iv. Current processes
  - b. Curriculum
    - i. What is curriculum
    - ii. What does statute/policy require from the BOE
    - iii. What processes are in place
    - iv. What is on the horizon
  - c. Risk assessment from auditor
6. Items introduced by BOE members

## **Graduation Requirements**

In pursuit of its mission to ensure that all students reach their learning potential, the Board of Education has established the following graduation requirements based on state and district academic standards.

### **State standards and district academic standards**

The Meeker School District shall develop graduation criteria that meet or exceed the guidelines adopted by the state of Colorado. ~~Students wishing to earn a diploma from Meeker High School will be required to meet the guidelines established by the Meeker School District.~~ School district administration shall be responsible for developing the criteria for graduation ~~the development of the criteria develop the guidelines necessary for meeting or exceeding the state graduation guidelines minimums.~~ To receive a high school diploma from the district, students must meet or exceed the district's academic standards and measures required by this policy. Students with disabilities shall be provided access to all graduation pathways provided by this policy and shall have the opportunity to earn a high school diploma from the district.

~~All students must meet or exceed state standards and district academic standards prior to becoming eligible to graduate or complete the requirements and goals as listed on a student's Individualized Education Program (IEP), which may include modified standards.~~

Graduation from high school is a culminating event that results from the foundations built at the elementary and middle levels. Graduation is a collaborative effort among all levels in a student's public school career. Each level of school and each staff member or parent/guardian who instructs or counsels a student shares responsibility for the ultimate ability of that student to demonstrate proficiency in the academic standards and to meet the expectations for graduation.

### **Units of credit needed**

A total of 24 credits during grades nine through twelve are required for graduation. A credit is defined as the successful completion of a course which meets a minimum of four days per week for a minimum of 50 minutes daily for at least 36 weeks or the equivalent. Successful completion means that the student obtained a passing grade for the course.

### **Student course load**

The intention of the Board and Meeker High School is for students to be enrolled for eight semesters of high school and earn a minimum of 24 credits to graduate. All students must be enrolled in a full-time, seven-class Meeker High School schedule. Students who wish to take fewer credits in any given school year must obtain advance permission from the principal.

The following criteria shall entitle a student to a high school diploma:

- Achievement in district academic standards as demonstrated by mastery of the curriculum which may include, but is not limited to, daily classroom assignments, the state assessment program, the district assessment program, classroom assessments, and student participation in, and completion of, assigned projects.
- Completion of 24 credits in grades nine through twelve in the prescribed categories listed below.

~~– Completion of the requirements and goals as listed on a student's Individualized Education Plan (IEP) which may include modified academic standards.~~

**Beginning with the graduating class of 2019, the following courses/credits shall be required (total of 24 credits)**

**4 Credits**

**Language Arts**

**Required:**

Integrated Reading & Writing I (Freshmen)

Integrated Reading & Writing II (Sophomores)

US Literature (Juniors)

**4 Credits**

**Math**

**3 Credits**

**Social Studies**

**Required:**

US History (Juniors)

American Government (Seniors)

**3 Credits**

**Science**

**Required:**

Integrated Physical Science (Freshmen)

Integrated Biological Science (Sophomores)

**2 Credits**

**Career Technical Education (Vocational)**

<b>0.5 Credits</b>	<b>Teen Choices (Health)</b>
<b>1 Credits</b>	<b>Fine Arts</b>
<b>1 Credits</b>	<b>Physical Education (or participating in 3 sports seasons, excluding managing)</b>
<b>1 Credit</b>	<b>Foreign Language</b>
<b>4.5 Credits</b>	<b>Elective</b>

### **Repeating classes**

After a course has been passed, no future grade or credits earned in the same course shall be used to determine class rank or grade point average.

### **Classes with more than one level that are recognized as separate courses**

- Art 1, 2, 3, 4
- Band 1, 2, 3, 4
- Creative writing 1, 2, 3, 4
- Current events 1, 2, 3, 4
- Desktop publishing 1, 2, 3, 4
- Industrial arts 1, 2, 3, 4
- Journalism 1, 2, 3, 4
- PE 1, 2, 3, 4
- Welding and advanced welding

### **Credit from other institutions and home-based programs**

All students entering from outside the district must meet the district graduation requirements. The principal shall determine whether credit toward graduation requirements shall be granted for courses taken outside the district. Students who are currently enrolled in the district and wish to obtain credit from outside institutions, or through “online” programs, must have prior approval from the principal.

The district shall accept the transcripts from a home-based educational program **if it is determined that ~~-In order to determine whether~~** the courses and grades earned are

consistent with district requirements and district academic standards. The district shall require submission of the student's work or other proof of academic performance for each course for which credit toward graduation is sought. In addition, the district may administer testing to the student to verify the accuracy of the student's transcripts. The district may reject any transcripts that cannot be verified through such testing.

**Independent study**

Independent study, work experience and experienced-based programs approved in advance by the principal may be taken for high school credit. Administration shall develop guidelines for the acceptance of high school credit through institutions other than Meeker High School.

**Grade point average and class rank**

Percent grades submitted by the teaching staff shall be converted to a letter grade Letter grades shall have the following percent and numerical equivalents:

GRADE	PERCENT	POINTS
A	90-100	4
B	80-89	3
C	70-79	2
D	60-69	1
F	59-0	0
Pass/Fail	Not Calculated into GPA	

Grade point averages shall be calculated from the 4.0 scale above prior to the graduating class of 2021. , except, Beginning with the graduating class of 2021, grade point average calculations shall use be completed using the following 5.0 scale for specified Meeker High School courses. The 5.0 scale shall only be applied to letter grades earned in AP classes and certain concurrent enrollment classes. The specific list of classes for which the 5.0 scale applies shall be developed by district administration and published outlined annually in the Meeker High School Parent and Student Handbook. The 4.0 scale shall be used for all other classes.

GRADE	PERCENT	POINTS
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A	90-100	5
B	80-89	4
C	70-79	3
D	60-69	2
F	59-0	0
Pass/Fail	Not Calculated into GPA	

### **Valedictorian/salutatorian discussion**

1. The student(s) with the highest class rank, **based on GPA**, who was (were) in attendance the entire senior year at Meeker High School will be valedictorian. When more than one student holds the numerical “one rank,” all students holding the rank will be declared co-valedictorians.
2. The student(s) with the second highest class rank, **based on GPA**, who was (were) in attendance the entire senior year at Meeker High School will be declared salutatorian. When more than one student holds the numerical “two rank,” all students holding the rank will be declared co-salutatorian.
3. For a student to be considered for valedictorian or salutatorian, that student must also be enrolled in seven Meeker High School classes during **both semesters of** his or her senior year.

### **Years of attendance**

The Board of Education believes that most students benefit from four years of high school experience and are encouraged not to graduate early. However, in some cases, students need the challenge provided by postsecondary education or other opportunities at an earlier age. Therefore, the principal may grant permission to students wishing to graduate early, provided the student has met all district graduation requirements.

Adopted: November 1986

Revised: February 20, 1990

Revised: August 7, 1990

Revised: July 23, 1991

Revised: May 18, 1993

Revised: April 6, 1995

Revised: April 4, 1996

Revised: September 19, 1996

Revised: April 23, 1997

Revised: February 3, 1998

Revised: June 5, 2001

Revised: September 11, 2013

Revised: April 1, 2014

Revised: March 15, 2016

Revised: June 20, 2017

LEGAL REFS.: C.R.S. [22-1-104](#) (teaching history, culture and civil government)

C.R.S. [22-32-109](#) (1)(kk) (board to establish graduation requirements that "meet or exceed" state graduation guidelines)

C.R.S. [22-32-132](#) (discretion to award diploma to honorably discharged veterans)

C.R.S. [22-33-104.5](#) (home-based education law)

C.R.S. [22-35-101](#) et seq. (Concurrent Enrollment Programs Act)

CROSS REFS.: [AE](#), Accountability/Commitment to Accomplishment

[AEA](#), Standards Based Education

[IHBG](#), Home Schooling

[IHBK\\*](#), Preparation for Postsecondary and Workforce Success

[IHCDA](#), Concurrent Enrollment

[IK](#), Academic Achievement

[IKA](#), Grading/Assessment Systems



# Prelim Presentation June 6,

Includes: Curriculum, bus, MS Interventionist, Chrome Book, 1.5% COLA, 8.1% hourly wage increase, HS updates.  
Meeker School District RE-1

GENERAL FUND 10		15/16 Final Budget	16/17 Final Budget	17/18 Prelim Budget
Prog	0000 Program 0000			
Description				
0010	General Elementary Education	1,459,995.00	1,662,935.00	1,700,945.00
0020	General Middle/Junior High School Education	585,055.37	619,387.00	705,437.00
0030	General High School Education	54,327.00	75,994.00	57,892.00
0060	Integrated Education	4,500.00	0.00	0.00
0090	Other General Education	819,458.00	955,472.90	889,331.00
0100	Agriculture	57,504.00	80,792.00	82,610.00
0200	Art	79,516.00	86,925.00	88,309.00
0300	Business	20,325.00	11,421.00	0.00
0500	English Language Arts	166,461.00	179,039.00	158,664.00
0600	Foreign Languages	55,388.00	59,898.00	71,085.00
0800	Physical Curriculum	13,767.00	14,197.00	13,619.00
0800	Family and Consumer Education	86,699.00	98,471.00	103,905.00
1000	Industrial Arts Education	36,468.00	42,196.00	43,633.00
1100	Mathematics	112,204.00	149,432.00	143,917.00
1200	Music	30,830.00	37,209.00	42,594.31
1300	Natural Science	61,761.00	67,890.00	69,197.00
1500	Social Sciences	73,194.00	79,603.00	105,368.00
1600	Technical Education/Computer	150,877.00	187,780.00	160,357.00
1800	Cocurricular Activities I - Athletic/Sport	150,122.00	166,097.00	184,117.00
1815	Girls Basketball	15,985.00	15,271.00	13,831.00
1827	Softball	15,813.00	12,627.00	14,907.00
1832	Volleyball	13,174.00	13,262.00	14,484.00
1844	Baseball	10,477.00	11,547.00	10,764.00

1845	Boys Basketball	15,235.00	15,301.00	15,467.00
1850	Football	14,147.00	14,611.00	15,887.00
1863	Wrestling	22,818.00	24,916.00	24,099.00
1877	Cheerleading	5,818.00	5,458.00	5,458.00
1878	Cross Country	4,534.00	5,221.00	5,221.00
1890	Track and Field	16,388.00	66,692.00	17,223.00
1900	Cocurricular Activities II	14,675.00	14,921.00	14,915.70
1902	Student Council	0.00	0.00	576.03
2120	Guidance Services	53,907.00	106,193.00	150,772.00
2130	Health Services	537.00	150.00	150.00
2210	Improvement of Instruction	9,000.00	121,000.00	90,000.00
2212	Instruction and Curriculum Development Services	111,985.00	96,778.00	82,604.00
2213	Instructional Staff Training Services	3,379.00	2,500.00	5,500.00
2222	School Library Services	32,339.00	27,600.00	34,969.00
2310	Board Services	100,470.00	117,550.00	68,450.00
2320	Executive Administration Services	161,593.00	166,798.00	187,156.00
2400	School Administration	507,718.00	525,350.00	547,453.00
2500	Business Services	109,790.00	112,436.00	119,030.00
2600	Operation and Maintenance of Plant	749,527.00	669,446.00	701,981.00
2640	Equipment Care/Upkeep	2,500.00	700.00	0.00
2700	Student Transportation Services	259,748.00	359,307.00	278,585.00
2720	Vehicle Operation Services	16,385.00	28,805.00	701.00
2800	Support Services	9,590.00	4,590.00	4,050.00
2830	Staff Services	3,500.00	3,500.00	3,200.00
2850	Risk Management Services	0.00	0.00	117,000.00
10	GENERAL FUND	<u>6,299,484.37</u>	<u>7,117,230.90</u>	<u>7,165,414.04</u>

Fund

# Prelim Revenue Presentation June 6, 2017

## Meeker School District RE-1

GENERAL FUND 10

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Description

15/16 Final Budget

16/17 Final Budget

17/18 Prelim Budget

State Account Number

Description	15/16 Final Budget	16/17 Final Budget	17/18 Prelim Budget	State Account Number
Transfer to Insurance Reserve	107,000.00	111,000.00	0.00	10-000-00-5218-000-0000
Local Property Tax	(4,415,994.00)	(3,997,982.55)	(3,740,923.54)	10-0-1110
Specific Ownership	(142,460.00)	(134,181.46)	(138,206.90)	10-0-1120
Delinquent Taxes	0.00	0.00	0.00	10-0-1140
Abatements and Credits	0.00	(11,839.00)	0.00	10-0-1141
Interest-FNB MM 093-173	(300.00)	(350.00)	(400.00)	10-0-1511
Interest-Colofrust	(2,200.00)	(20,000.00)	(25,000.00)	10-0-1512
Interest-RBC Treasurer	(1,000.00)	(1,000.00)	(1,000.00)	10-0-1519
Rental Income	(19,800.00)	(14,400.00)	(14,400.00)	10-0-1910
Sales	(500.00)	(500.00)	(500.00)	10-0-1930
Other Local Revenue	(15,800.00)	(27,261.93)	(25,000.00)	10-0-1990
Other Local - RBC	(11,229.63)	(1,100.00)	0.00	10-0-1991
Mineral Lease Funds	(215,647.15)	(117,677.47)	(115,000.00)	10-0-2010
DOW	(2,000.00)	(2,000.00)	(2,000.00)	10-0-2030-0000
ELPA	(19,496.00)	(6,715.00)	(6,700.00)	10-0-3000-3140
Transportation	(60,000.00)	(46,137.91)	(45,000.00)	10-0-3000-3160
READ Act Revenue	(33,517.40)	(30,000.00)	(30,000.00)	10-0-3000-3206
Library Grant	(3,500.00)	(3,500.00)	(3,500.00)	10-0-3000-3207
Vocational Education	(15,000.00)	(15,690.00)	(40,000.00)	10-0-3010-3120
Equalization	(719,238.00)	(1,521,857.98)	(1,943,187.07)	10-0-3110
Title I	(45,628.00)	(115,144.00)	(45,000.00)	10-0-4000-4010
Title II	(25,085.00)	(25,626.00)	(22,000.00)	10-0-4000-4367
RTTT Early Childhood	(492.25)	(492.00)	(492.00)	10-0-4000-5412
Forest Lands	(60,000.00)	(80,000.00)	(80,000.00)	10-0-4010-7665
REAP	(34,091.00)	(34,918.00)	(35,000.00)	10-0-4020-4358
Bond Fund - S.O.	0.00	(50,000.00)	(50,000.00)	10-0-46-1120
Carl Perkins	(14,498.00)	(14,000.00)	(8,000.00)	10-0-4951-4048
Title III - ELA Enhancement	(3,545.00)	(2,894.00)	(2,894.00)	10-0-4951-4365
Transfer to FS	65,000.00	65,000.00	65,000.00	10-0-5221
Transfer to Capital Reserve	0.00	275,000.00	0.00	10-0-5243
Gate Receipts	(15,000.00)	(22,700.00)	(22,700.00)	10-000-00-0000-1710
Student Fees	(15,000.00)	(13,363.00)	(13,000.00)	10-000-00-0000-1740-000-0000
Local Grants	0.00	(80,000.00)	0.00	10-000-00-0000-1920-000-0001
MEF Grants	0.00	(55,000.00)	(55,000.00)	10-000-00-0000-1920-000-0002

0000	WREA Grants	0.00	(423.90)	0.00	10-000-00-0000-1920-000-0004
	Chevron Grants	0.00	(10,000.00)	0.00	10-000-00-0000-1920-000-0005
	Cemetery Grants	0.00	(50,000.00)	0.00	10-000-00-0000-1920-000-0006
	Small Rural Schools Dist	(169,439.48)	(169,439.48)	(246,115.91)	10-000-00-0000-3000-000-3230
	Additional At-Risk Funding	0.00	0.00	0.00	10-000-00-0000-3000-3235
	ELPA - PD	(10,495.00)	(9,650.00)	(9,600.00)	10-0-0000-3000-3139
	Program 0000	<u>(209,934.48)</u>	<u>(410,576.38)</u>	<u>(346,415.91)</u>	
10	GENERAL FUND	<u>(5,898,955.91)</u>	<u>(6,234,843.68)</u>	<u>(6,655,619.42)</u>	