Executive Director of Finance Ty Bergstrom gave the Board an update about 2021-2022 budget planning and levy renewals in February 2022 consistent with Board Policy 1800 OE-6. A few highlights:

- Even though the District needed to make staffing reductions due to enrollment, class sizes remain within the 17:1 guidelines from OSPI.
- The District has assigned ESSER funds to support class sizes, add intervention supports and social-emotional learning options.
- As part of the response to the pandemic, the District used a portion of its reserves to maintain operations. The District will be working to rebuild fund balance to policy levels over the next several years.

The Learning Services team gave the Board a detailed update on Delivering HiCap Services in an Inclusive Classroom consistent with the District value of Inclusive and Equitable Learning Settings for All Students. The Board also held a session on Inclusive School with consultants Dr. Julie Causton and Dr. Kristie Prettí-Frontczak.