

2011-2012 Riverview Board of Directors' Student Representatives



Kylie Leslie, Junior, and Austin Koons, Senior

The Student Representative position offers students an opportunity to develop and refine leadership and public speaking skills, to interact with community leaders, and to gain knowledge of school board issues and procedures, as well as respect for public service.

Student Representatives attend all regular Board meetings while school is in session, but not Executive Sessions. They participate in discussion at Board meetings; however, they may not make any motions or vote.

Each month, they provide reports to the Board during the agenda item entitled "Student Representative Report." The report includes student activities, and topics and concerns which the high school Student Council may choose to apprise the Board.

Student Representatives also participate in Board training sessions, when invited, such as the WSSDA Annual Conference and the WSSDA Legislative Conference in Olympia. In Olympia, they have the opportunity to meet with state legislators and advocate for education.

Students Representatives are nominated and chosen through an interview process and serve two years.