

## Kansas school enrollment inches up

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KANSAS — Kansas schools are up 9 students in enrollment this year. The high school's enrollment is at 69 students, one more student than last year.

In total, according to principal Dwight Stricklin, there are 243 students enrolled in K-12.

Stricklin went on to say that their Tri-County sports teams (co-oping with Oakland) have a large amount of Kansas student representation.

For the football team, out of 39 players, there are 12 Kansas players.

For the junior high baseball team, there are 14 total players, 11 of which are from Kansas.

There are 12 players in total for the Tri-County golf team, 7 players from Kansas.

And for the volleyball team, 11 out of 23 players are from Kansas.

Kansas is also hoping to provide a new website for students, parents and teachers this year. The board is still unsure of the website's launch date.

There will also be another program online, where students and parents will be able to log on and check grades. This program, called **TeacherEase**, has a goal of completion by the end of the first quarter.

In other business, the board:

- Approved Cindy Sheppard as a bus driver.
- Approved Suzanna Tomshack as a one-on-one aid.
- Approved Mary Walker, who is currently a retired teacher, as a Title I instructor for 100 days contingent to the Title I grant.
- Made a motion to hire a roving aide for a first grade classroom and special education students.
- Approved the financial reports and payment of bills.
- Approved the 2011-2012 budget to be put on display for the next 29 days.