

# Momentum Academy Board Retreat 2025–26

**Dates:** Friday, Oct 3 (5:00–7:00 PM) & Saturday, Oct 4 (8:30 AM–2:30 PM)

**Location:** Fox Park Location (2617 Shenandoah Avenue, St. Louis, MO 63104)

## Retreat Outcomes

- Celebrate progress and align on vision
- Ground in current St. Louis education context
- Reaffirm/refine strategic priorities
- Strengthen culture, trust, and governance
- Clarify board composition needs and next steps

## Friday, October 3 (Dinner provided)

### 5:00 – 5:15 PM | Arrival & Welcome

Set the tone and focus for the retreat.

### 5:15 – 6:00 PM | St. Louis State of Education

Briefing on policy, funding, and charter landscape.

### 6:00 – 6:55 PM | Board Development & Recruitment Roadmap

Review current composition and define recruitment priorities.

### 6:55 – 7:00 PM | Close & Preview Saturday

Reflection prompt and flow for the next day.

## Saturday, October 4 (Breakfast and Lunch provided)

### 8:30 – 9:00 AM | Light Breakfast & Informal Connections

### 9:00 – 9:15 AM | Connection & Framing

Reconnect to Friday's insights and set decision targets.

### 9:15 – 10:15 AM | Celebration of Data & Vision for the Future

Celebrate wins, connect data to student stories, and align on leadership vision.

### 10:30 – 11:45 AM | Alignment on Strategic Plan & Board's Role

Review progress and refine 3–5 priorities under new leadership.

### 11:45 – 12:15 PM | Lunch

### 12:15 – 1:30 PM | Culture, Trust & Governance Alignment

Strengthen relationships, norms, and governance practices.

### 1:30 – 2:15 PM | External Engagement & Stakeholder Map

Identify priority stakeholders and stress-test with scenarios.

### 2:15 – 2:30 PM | Closing Circle

Reflect on retreat insights.

The Official Agenda was posted on Momentum Academy's Website and outside of Momentum Academy Fox Park on 2617 Shenandoah Avenue, St. Louis, MO 63104 on October 2, 2025 prior to 7 PM CT. Items may be withdrawn or modified during the public meeting at the discretion of the Board of Directors.