

Regional Meeting in Three Parts:

ISACS Update Data Discussion

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ISACS Update

Accreditation

**Professional
Development**

**Equity
&
Justice**

Communication

Governance

3 Major Association Governance Changes

Adjust the Member Vote

For issues requiring a member vote (e.g. election of board members and officers, changes in bylaws), there will be one vote per member school to be cast by the head after consultation with the teacher representative.

This is a change from the long-standing two-vote system that designated one vote for the head and one for the teacher representative. With the school as the member, this change moves the school's voice in an ISACS vote to a unified opinion.

Reconfigure Committees

Processes will be put in place for consistent board involvement in establishing committee charges, goals, evaluation, and composition.

Chairs of standing committees will serve on the Executive Committee.

We expect this to mean more coordination and collaboration, better alignment with association strategic direction, and less autonomy for committees.

Open Access to Leadership

Board leadership positions and committee participation will be open to individuals in roles other than head of school in all cases.

This will allow the board greater flexibility to recruit individuals who have the attributes needed at any given time, rather than being limited by school role.

Data

Is primary grade enrollment management...

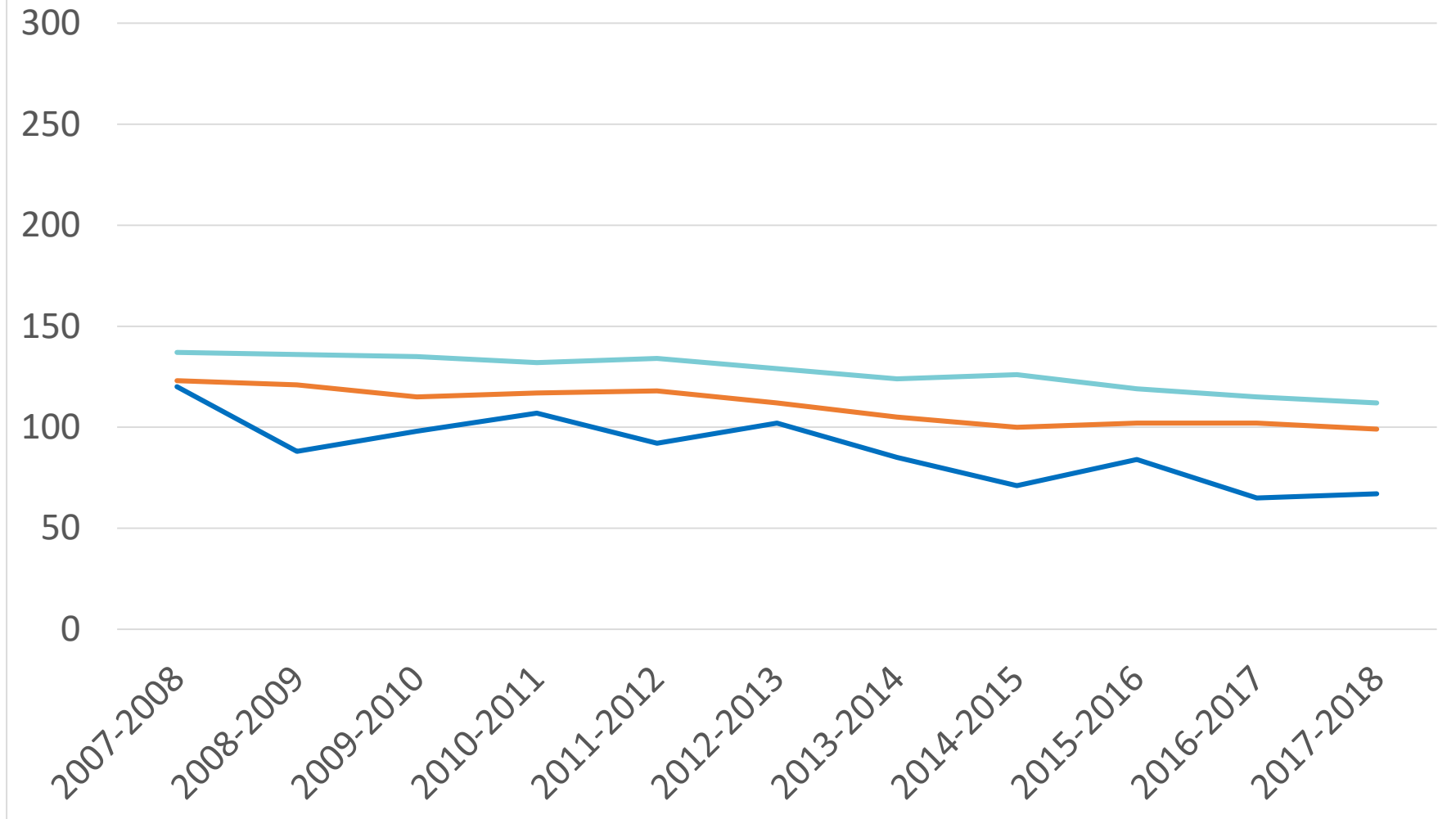
... more problematic than other grades?

... becoming more difficult?

Is international enrollment in decline?

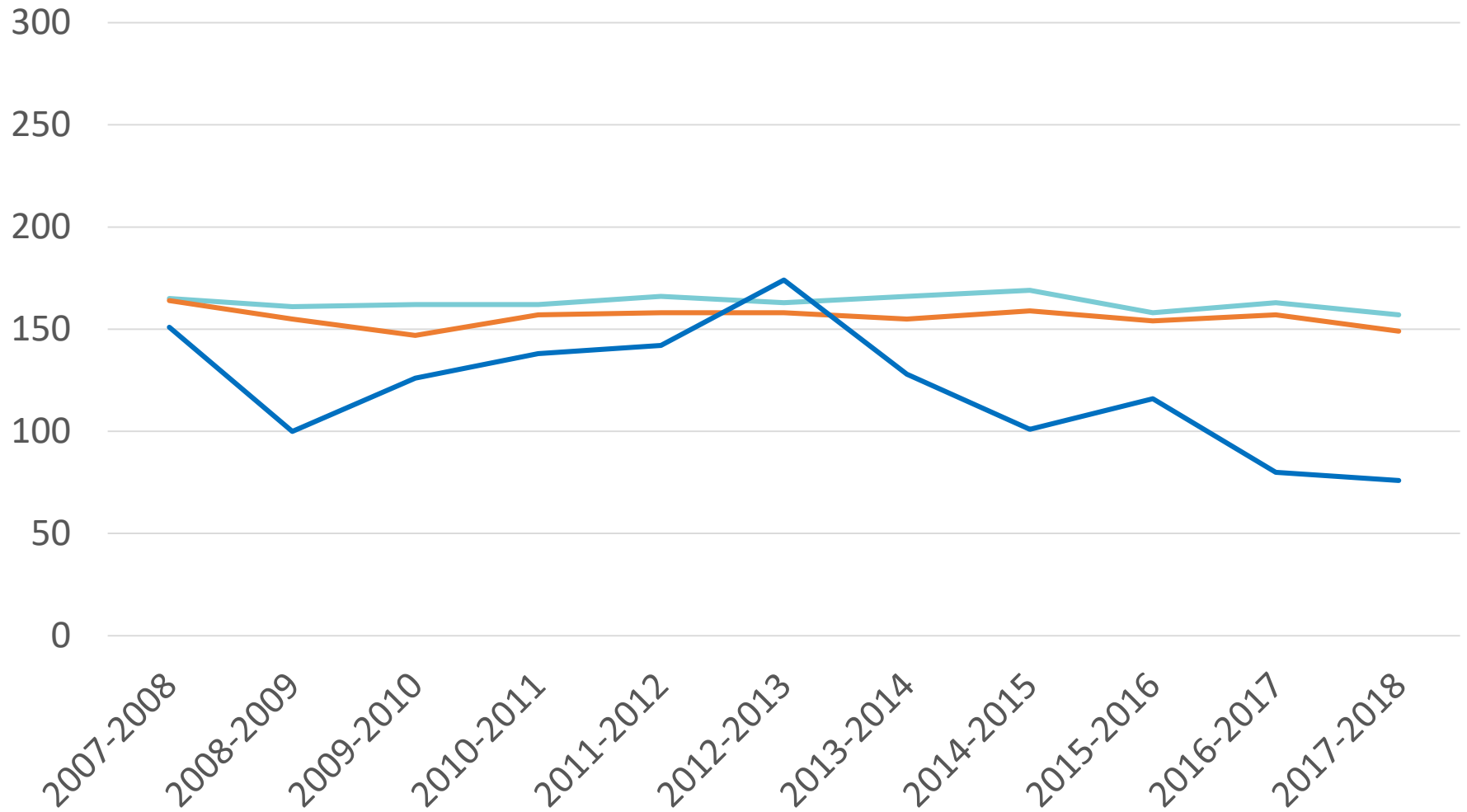
Median Enrollment, Grades K-3 Combined

NAIS, ISACS, Iowa/Kansas/Nebraska



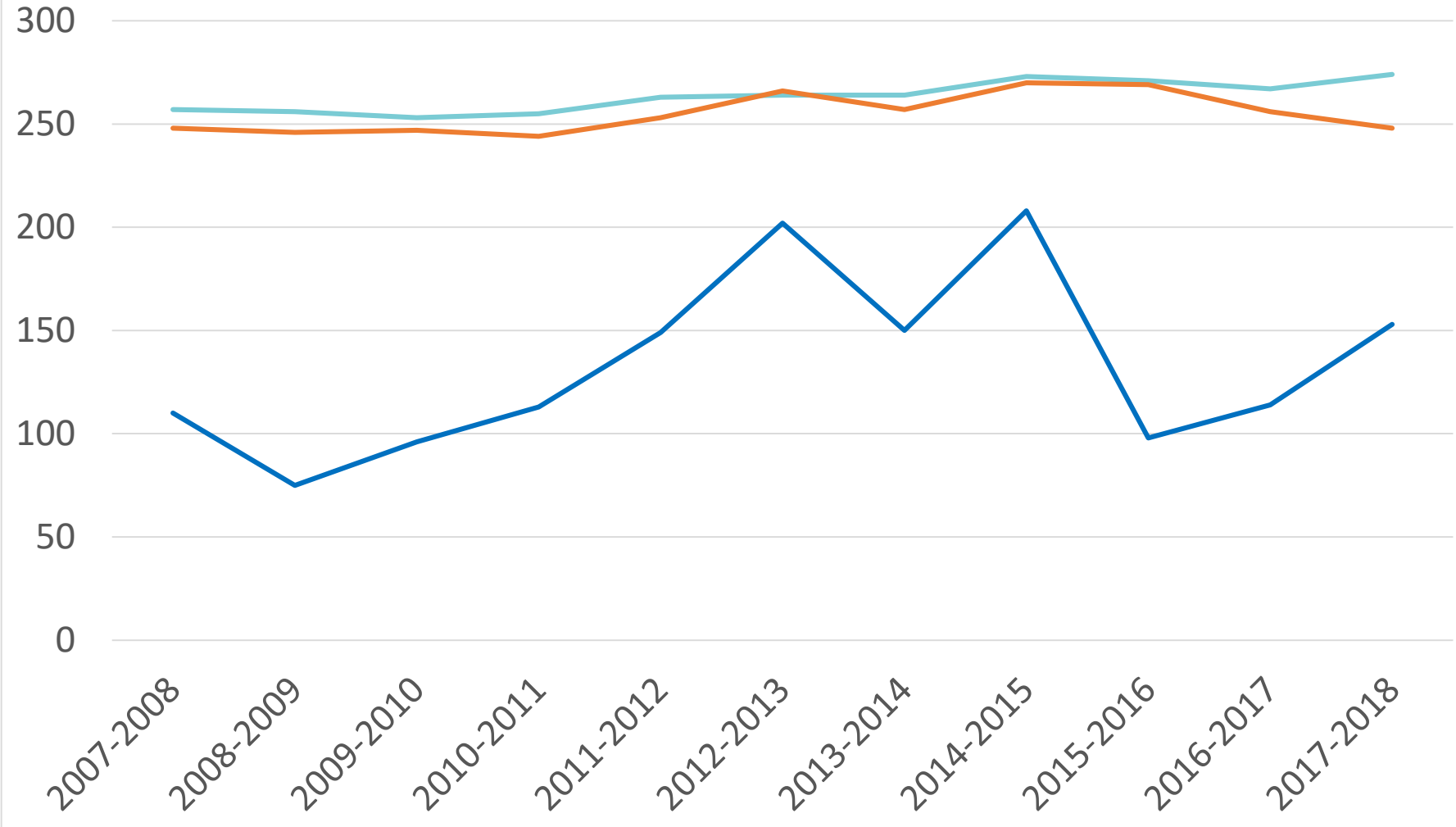
Median Enrollment, Grades 4-8 Combined

NAIS, ISACS, Iowa/Kansas/Nebraska



Median Enrollment, Grades 9-12 Combined

NAIS, ISACS, Iowa/Kansas/Nebraska



International Enrollment

NAIS & ISACS Member Schools

Fall 2016 and Fall 2017

	2016-2017		2017-2018	
	Schools reporting international enrollment	% of total school enrollment, median	Schools reporting international enrollment	% of total school enrollment, median
ISACS	51	3.5	61	2.8
NAIS	495	3.5	507	3.3

Discussion

What's on your minds?

Resources

Baker, C. (Ed.) [*NAIS enrollment management handbook: A comprehensive guide for independent schools*](#). NAIS, 2012.

[International student enrollment is in decline](#). *The Source*, ISM, February 2018.

[NAIS Data and Analysis for School Leadership \(DASL\)](#)

[ISACS Strategic Plan, October 2016](#)

[What every head needs to know about enrollment management](#). Enrollment Management Association, 2017.



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	K-3	2007-2008	2008-2009	2009-2010	2010-2011	2011-2012	2012-2013	2013-2014	2014-2015	2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018
NAIS	Maximum	688	649	648	654	657	647	647	647	654	648	627
	Median	137	136	135	132	134	129	124	126	119	115	112
	Minimum	4	1	1	1	2	2	5	2	1	1	1
ISACS	Maximum	466	465	466	474	478	465	495	545	555	569	564
	Median	123	121	115	117	118	112	105	100	102	102	99
	Minimum	13	14	11	13	15	7	11	14	4	10	2
IA/KS/NE	Maximum	218	255	237	232	226	186	186	197	218	189	195
	Median	120	88	98	107	92	102	85	71	84	65	67
	Minimum	18	22	29	42	41	69	36	56	41	32	30

	4-8	2007-2008	2008-2009	2009-2010	2010-2011	2011-2012	2012-2013	2013-2014	2014-2015	2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018
NAIS	Maximum	1,875	1,889	1,898	1,911	1,909	1,908	1,914	1,906	1,913	1,912	1,426
	Median	165	161	162	162	166	163	166	169	158	163	157
	Minimum	3	3	2	3	1	4	2	3	2	2	2
ISACS	Maximum	591	592	596	597	603	595	613	610	629	684	730
	Median	164	155	147	157	158	158	155	159	154	157	149
	Minimum	4	2	13	10	13	13	15	15	13	11	8
IA/KS/NE	Maximum	306	312	321	317	317	306	311	296	285	299	296
	Median	151	100	126	138	142	174	128	101	116	80	76
	Minimum	4	2	72	64	57	94	54	23	58	54	30

	9-12	2007-2008	2008-2009	2009-2010	2010-2011	2011-2012	2012-2013	2013-2014	2014-2015	2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018
NAIS	Maximum	2,850	2,822	2,824	2,839	2,832	2,853	2,855	2,866	2,857	2,869	1,717
	Median	257	256	253	255	263	264	264	273	271	267	274
	Minimum	5	1	1	2	4	1	1	1	1	1	2
ISACS	Maximum	1,263	1,302	824	814	801	807	798	837	801	819	790
	Median	248	246	247	244	253	266	257	270	269	256	248
	Minimum	8	1	3	2	5	6	1	1	1	3	2
IA/KS/NE	Maximum	247	221	256	273	247	269	267	253	284	272	286
	Median	110	75	96	113	149	202	150	208	98	114	153
	Minimum	27	37	28	68	88	135	76	163	36	40	55

Enrollment for Grade Span