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Afterschool program participants top 500
By Michelle Dumas
TOPEKA, Kan. — The number of students participating in afterschool programs in Topeka has increased significantly since the start of the school year, according to a report released by the Topeka Public Schools district.

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Lindsey Miller, 14, and
Caleb Miller, 13, of
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Character a Ward
winners. They were
chosen for their
dedication to
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and leadership.



Charges amended in Kansas sex trafficking case
By Michelle Dumas
TOPEKA, Kan. — A federal grand jury in Topeka has amended charges in a sex trafficking case involving a woman and a man. The woman, who is a resident of Topeka, was charged with sex trafficking of a minor. The man, who is a resident of Topeka, was charged with sex trafficking of a minor. The charges were amended to reflect the grand jury's findings.

Three defendants convicted in \$28.5 million drug conspiracy
By Michelle Dumas
TOPEKA, Kan. — A federal grand jury in Topeka has convicted three defendants in a \$28.5 million drug conspiracy. The defendants were charged with conspiracy to distribute controlled substances. The grand jury found the defendants guilty of the charges. The defendants are currently in custody and will be sentenced at a later date.

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