



**West Windsor-Plainsboro Board of Education**  
Board Curriculum Committee Meeting  
Central Office Conference Room  
September 5, 2017 7:00 PM

**AGENDA**

**BOE Attendance:**

Dana Krug – Chair  
Anthony Fleres  
Yingchao Zhang

**Administrative Liaison:**

Martin Smith  
David Aderhold

**Guests:**

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**DISCUSSION (●) / DECISION (\*)**

**I. (●) Fine & Performing Arts Program Review Action Plan**

**II. (●) 2017-18 NJSmart Evaluation Data Review**

**III. (●) Summer Financial Literacy course**

**IV. (●) Research Project**

- **Weinmann, Jeanne-** “Effect of Self-Regulation Prompts on Middle School Science Content and Transfer”

**V. (\*) Curriculum**

To recommend approval of the following new curricula:

1. Grade 2 Media
2. Grade 3 Media
3. Job Skills
4. AP Microeconomics
5. Transitions Mathematics

To recommend approval of the following revised curricula:

6. Art Foundation
7. Grade 4 Orchestra
8. Grade 5 Orchestra
9. Grade 6 Orchestra
10. Grade 7 Orchestra
11. Grade 8 Orchestra
12. Grade 5 Band
13. Grade 6 Band
14. Grade 7 Band
15. Grade 8 Band
16. Theatre Arts
17. Grade 6 Computer Cycle
18. AP Computer Science Principles

19. Grade 6 IRLA
20. Grade 7 IRLA
21. Grade 8 IRLA
22. Language Arts I CP
23. Language Arts II CP
24. Language Arts I Honors
25. Language Arts II Honors
26. Advanced Algebra II Honors
27. Grade 8 Math
28. Grade 6 Science
29. Grade 7 Science
30. Grade 8 Science
31. Biology
32. Biology Honors
33. Chemistry
34. Chemistry Honors
35. Genetics
36. Physics
37. Physics Honors
38. Descriptive Astronomy
39. Environmental Science
40. Forensic Sciences
41. Human Anatomy and Physiology
42. Social Studies Grade 6
43. Social Studies Grade 7
44. Science I ESL
45. Science II ESL
46. AP Psychology
47. Grade 6 Chinese
48. Grade 7 Chinese
49. Chinese 4 Honors
50. Chinese 5 Honors
51. Grade 2 Spanish
52. Grade 3 Spanish
53. Spanish 7-1
54. Spanish 1
55. Elementary School Guidance
56. Middle School Guidance
57. High School Guidance

**VI. (\*) Disposal of Instructional Materials**

To approve the disposal of the following obsolete items in accordance with R7300.1:

- 435 books from the Millstone River Media Center
- Foresman, S. *Middle School MATH*.
- Foresman, Addison, Wesley. *envisionMATH*.

All items meet the below criteria:

Are so outdated they no longer serve as worthy instructional tools

**VII. (\*) Professional Educational Services**

To recommend approval for Camp Fire New Jersey to provide “Count On Me Kids” character education program for 10 2<sup>nd</sup> grade classes for 6 sessions during the 2017-2018 school year, at a total district cost not to exceed \$5,000.

**VIII. (\*) Professional Development.**

Entering into a contract with Flemington-Raritan Regional School District to provide 2017-2018 Reading Recovery professional development and technical support for eleven (11) reading recovery teachers at a cost of \$9,900 plus travel.

**IX. (\*) Educational Resources**

To recommend approval of EdGems mathematical educational resources for Grades 4-7 for the 2017-2018 school year, at a cost of \$2,000.

**X. (\*) Community Education Programs**

To recommend approval of the following Community Education programs:

- Halloween Kids Night Out with Bricks 4 Kidz
- Community Education Walking Club

**XI. (\*) Field Trips**

To recommend approval of the following overnight field trips:

Grover Middle School

- a. Grover Middle School Choir students to Music in the Parks festival at the University of Delaware and in Williamsburg Virginia, from May 4, 2018 to May 6, 2018. The cost of this trip is approximately \$395 per student.

High School North

- b. Yearbook Committee to Washington D.C., from October 13, 2017 to October 15, 2017. There is no cost associated with this trip.
- c. Model United Nations to East Brunswick, NJ, from November 16, 2017, to November 19, 2017. The cost of the trip is approximately \$450 per student.
- d. Model Congress to Washington, D.C., from November 17, 2017, to November 18, 2017. The cost of the trip is approximately \$500 per student.
- e. Junior Statesmen of America to Woodbridge, New Jersey, from November 18, 2017, to November 19, 2017. The cost of the trip is approximately \$300 per student.
- f. Model Congress to Yale University, New Haven, Connecticut, from December 1, 2017, to December 2, 2017. The cost of the trip is approximately \$500 per student.
- g. Model United Nations to Boston, MA, from January 25, 2018 to January 28, 2018. The cost of the trip is approximately \$450 per student.

- h. Model United Nations to Washington D.C. from February 15, 2018 to February 18, 2018. The cost of the trip is approximately \$450 per student.
- i. Junior Statesmen of America to Washington D.C., from February 23, 2018 to February 25, 2018. The cost of the trip is approximately \$450 per student.
- j. FRC Robotics Team to Mount Olive High School, Mount Olive, NJ, from March 9, 2018 to March 11, 2018. The cost of the trip is approximately \$175 per student.
- k. FTC Robotics Team to University of Scranton in Scranton, PA from March 16, 2018 to March 18, 2018. The total cost of the trip is approximately \$400 per student.
- l. FRC Robotics Team to Lehigh University in Bethlehem, PA, from March 23, 2018 to March 25, 2018. The cost of the trip is approximately \$400 per student.
- m. Model United Nations to Cornell University, Ithaca, New York, from April 19, 2018, to April 22, 2018. The cost of the trip is approximately \$450 per student.
- n. Junior Statesmen of America to Woodbridge, NJ, from April 21, 2018 to April 22, 2018. The cost of the trip is approximately \$300 per student.
- o. FTC and FRC Robotics Teams to St. Louis, MO from April 25, 2018 to April 28, 2018. The total cost is approximately \$700 per student.

#### Athletics

- p. High School North Cheerleaders to Orlando FL from February 8, 2018 to February 12, 2018. The cost of the trip is approximately \$975 per student.

**Next Meeting Date: October 11, 2017 – 7:00 pm**

#### Future Topics

Field Trip Approvals

Program Review Updates