



West Windsor-Plainsboro Board of Education
 Board Curriculum Committee Meeting
 Central Office Conference Room
 December 11, 2017 7:00 PM

SUMMARY NOTES

BOE Attendance:

Dana Krug 主席
 Anthony Fleres
 Yingchao Zhang

Administrative Liaison:

Martin Smith
 David Aderhold

Guests:

DISCUSSION (●) / DECISION (*)

I. (●) H&A Math Program Redesign

The CC discussed the new criteria for eligibility into the 6th grade Honors & Accelerated Math Program. Fifth grade parents will have access to InView, PARCC & MAP scores within the next week so that they will know if their child is eligible. The Data Services Office has worked to develop a data view in Genesis that provides all of these data points in a simple chart that will include a link to the Parent presentation PowerPoint. The CC discussed the plan to have one H&A class on each 6th grade team in the middle schools and a Teacher Resource Specialist to work with them to support the transition in the program next year. The funding for this position will be cost neutral by using the current A&E budget line for staff to fund this position.

II. (●) Research Project

- **Harvard-Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics - NGSS Assessment Field Tests**

The CC reviewed the Superintendent's recommendation and allow this research project to proceed. All IRB protocols will be followed.

III. (*) HS Program of Studies

To recommend approval of the 2018-2019 High School Program of Studies.
 The CC recommends approval of the 18-19 POS.

IV. (*) Donation

To recommend acceptance of the donation of the following items from the Lin Family, residents of Plainsboro:

- Menzel Violin, Anno 2003 全尺寸小提琴 valued at \$500
- Euro Basic Viola, Model #067N, Serial #94937 - 16½ sized-Viola valued at \$500
- Hans Kroger Bavarian, Model #790v16½, Serial #JH7183 16½-sized Viola valued at \$500

The CC recommends acceptance of the donation.

V. (*) Professional Development-Consultant

To recommend approval for Trevor Bryan to provide a works associated is \$250.

The CC recommends approval of the consultant.

VI. (*) Non-public Technology Expenditure

To recommend approval for expenditures of the FY 2018 NJ Nonpublic School Technology Initiative as follows:

Montessori Country Day
The CC recommends approval of the expenditure.

\$ 181.40

VII. (*) Overnight Field Trips

High School North

To recommend approval of the revised location for the Model United Nations to University of Pennsylvania in Philadelphia, PA from January 25, 2018 to January 28, 2018. Originally approved on September 12, 2017 to Boston, MA. The cost of the trip is approximately \$450 per student.

The CC recommends approval of the revised itinerary.

Next Meeting Date: Thursday, January 11, 2018

Future Topics

Program Review Updates

2018 Curriculum Committee meeting dates