

Curriculum Committee Meeting

August 10, 2021

3:00 pm

Present: Shinall, Robison, Albritton, Bell, Updyke, Coyle

Visitors: Marilyn Eberle, Jennifer, Doug, Christy, Peter, Amanda, Josh M, Aimee Frank

Meeting came to order at 3:06 pm.

Mr. Robison presented a possible change with the computation of valedictorian. Currently, the wording allows for a multitude of valedictorians. The proposal will allow for the student with the highest grade point average to be the valedictorian.

The second possible change involves making all ELA courses writing intensive. Currently, there is a social studies writing intensive course, but not all of the ELA courses qualify. The propose changes would make all ELA course our writing intensive courses.

Mrs. Albritton talked about elective offerings for 5-8th grade courses. We would be able to offer students more possibilities for their elective time. This approach would allow students to be in either band/chorus or an elective.

There is an Open House at the public library next Thursday just for teachers.

The next BGS initiative is a new math curriculum. Mrs. Albritton explained the difference between curriculum and standards. Professional development has been presented for teachers.

ELA curriculum needs to be looked at for years to come. ELA teacher and Mrs. Albritton will be looking for options for next year throughout this year.

Christy asked about the 5th grade electives and expressed her support of math and ELA daily.

Aimee Frank asked about what would be sent home to parents regarding the math curriculum. Mrs. Albritton spoke about communication that may be sent home by teachers.

Meeting adjourned at 3:27 pm.


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