

District Curriculum and Instruction Notes

1/11/19

Attendees: Mary H, Allison L, Joyce B, Nate G, Jay L, Brian h, Mary S, Deirdre G, Yajayra C, Erin T, Lynette F, Bruce H, Patti R, Heidi H

1. Review Budget
2. Refresh Request
 - a. RHS Refresh Request
Requesting an addition set of Vocab Roots vocabulary keys and one set of student copies–
About \$400.

Purchasing one additional set of Vocab Keys and Student Copy of Vocab Roots
G-15 Y-0 R-0

Purchase Approved
3. Updates
 - a. Science Updates
6-12: Still looking at samples. Hoping to have a consensus at the end of the month.
Sub-committee meeting Monday. Online access to books would have an impact on
technology request
Elementary-: Teachers have been granted hours to look through curriculum. Next sub
meeting on Monday. Wonders Curriculum has science aspects. Teachers are looking to build
upon what Wonders already has in place. Looking for hands on.
 - b. World Languages Update
Working in PLC to write curriculum for World Language classes.
 - c. Industrial Tech Update
Industrial Tech would like to expand Robotics class is one area that would nice.
Orange Lab needs to be updated.
Prioritize the departments list of needs. There are more funds that can be looked into
beside curriculum (Technology).
 - d. Character Education/SEL
Postponed. It will be Wednesday after school.
 - e. Curriculum Writing Process
This will be brought to the next meeting due to presenter.
4. Discussion
 - a. Handwriting – Val Hommerding presentation on Handwriting.
K-5 administration is on board with handwriting/cursive as decided by the CI committee.