

BETHANY BOARD OF EDUCATION
Curriculum Committee Meeting Minutes
May 12, 2021

PRESENT

Doreen Fox, Chair
Dorothy Seaton
Lynette White

OTHERS PRESENT

Colleen Murray
Kai Byrd
Tom Reed-Swale

ABSENT

Namita Wijesekera

Call to Order

Mrs. Fox called the meeting to order at 3:47 pm.

New Business

Motion by Seaton, seconded by Fox to accept the March 10, 2021 meeting minutes as presented. *The motion carries 2 yes, 1 abstain (Seaton), 1 absent (Wijesekera).*

Mrs. Byrd gave the committee an update on curriculum development including after-hours collaborative work between staff and Dr. Alcock, and social and emotional learning. She reported that grades 3-6 are 97% done with the Smarter Balanced Assessments with a 95.7% participation rate.

Mrs. Byrd reported that Bethany, Orange, and Amity are working collaboratively to identify criteria and assessments for a sixth-grade math acceleration course.

Mrs. Byrd further reported that the staff's professional learning has not skipped a beat and they continue to build their capacity in the areas of curriculum development, instruction, and social and emotional learning.

Mr. Reed-Swale reported that the Equity Team continues to work on a mission statement, diversity and inclusion statements, and resource reviews.

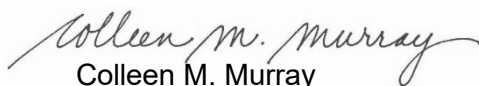
Mr. Reed-Swale reported that BCS remote learning continues.

Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 4:10 p.m.

Future Agenda Items

- Approval of the May 12, 2021 Meeting Minutes
- Curriculum Update
- Professional Learning Update
- Equity Update


Colleen M. Murray
Recorder

Approved August 25, 2021