

LNSU/LNEMUUSD CURRICULUM COMMITTEE MEETING
MONDAY, DECEMBER 13, 2021, 5:30 PM

Call to order: 5:33 pm

Members present: Wendy Savery, Allan Audette, Tina Lowe

Others present: Melinda Mascolino, Diane Reilly

Wendy went over Restorative Process, Trauma Informed, and DEI Committee updates: Maria Davies and the Clarina Howard Nichols Center hosted a training on healthy relationships. Maria is also working with LUHS on discussing Racial Harm with students. The Lamoille Restorative Center is working with LUHS and multiple students on improving student engagement. The middle and high school have had Zoom meetings with Joe Brummer about concepts outlined in his book, "Building a Trauma-Informed Restorative School". They have started training new Educators and Paras on Restorative Practices. Maria is also working with LUHS to form a Racial Equity Cohort and include them in the DEI Leadership Team that is in the works. Mark and Maria have been working with individual schools to meet their RP and DEI implementation and training needs. Other great opportunities are in the works!

Wendy gave the group a handout, "Restorative Practices Lesson Plan Guide Table of Contents and Trauma-Informed Restorative Practices Checklist". The group will take home to look over further. Wendy also handed out the VTCAP School Test Coordinator Training agenda. This is training Wendy will do across the district K-12. Topics include AOE Requirements, Smarter Balanced Literacy and Math Test Administration, Vermont Science Assessment Test Administration, and Usability, Accessibility and Accommodations Guidelines.

Wendy advised the group there are 17 students within our district who speak another language and may have translation difficulties with report cards, meetings, etc. Wendy, Maria Davies, and Jen Hulse are looking for resources to help bridge the gap. Languages include Spanish, Portuguese, and Mandarin Chinese.

Next meeting we will discuss Multi-Tier Systems of Support.

Adjourn 5:55pm

Minutes submitted by Tina Lowe