

*AMITY REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 5
Bethany Orange Woodbridge
25 Newton Road, Woodbridge, Connecticut 06525*

*Dr. Jennifer P. Byars
Superintendent of Schools*

**AMITY REGIONAL BOARD OF EDUCATION
CURRICULUM COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES
Monday, January 08, 2024, 4:45 pm**

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT

Carla Eichler, Andrea Hubbard and Donna Schuster (*joined at 5:15 p.m.*)

COMMITTEE MEMBERS ABSENT

Donna Schlank

STAFF MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE

Mr. Frank Purcaro and Andrea Drewry

1. CALL TO ORDER

Chairperson Eichler calls the meeting to order at 4:47p.m.

2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

a. Curriculum Committee Meeting – December 11, 2023

MOTION by Andrea Hubbard SECOND by Carla Eichler to approve December 11, 2023 minutes as submitted.

VOTES IN FAVOR, 2 (UNANIMOUS)

MOTION CARRIES

3. PUBLIC COMMENT

None

4. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION ON 7TH AND 8TH GRADE ENGLISH CURRICULUM REVISIONS

Presented by District Instructional Coach Andrea Drewry [Presentation Slides](#)

Middle School English Curriculum Work Timeline of Action

English Curriculum Work Training and Coaching

English Curriculum Writing in connection to the CT state standards for 7th and 8th Grade

Classroom Libraries- funding and set up

UBD Curriculum Training and Writing

Review of 7th Grade Unit on Characterization

Questions and Answers

5. ADJOURNMENT

Meeting was adjourned, without objection, at 5:29 p.m by Chairperson Eichler

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Respectfully submitted,

Lisa Zaleski

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BOE Recording Secretary