

**Accelerated Programs
K-8 Highly Capable Program Review Committee 2023-24
Meeting Notes
Date: January 11, 2024
Time: 8a.m.-4p.m.
Notetaker: Erin Fleshman**

Action Item	Presenters: Myra Arnone, Damaly Soy, Pablo Ortega, Erin Fleshman, and Dr. Tamra Stambaugh	Time: 8 a.m.-4 p.m.
Welcome	Myra Arnone	
Notes: The K-8 Highly Capable Program Review Committee convened for the fourth meeting in Year 1 of the Review process. The full-day meeting focused on Equity, Courageous Conversations, and learning about different HiCap service models in preparation to make recommendations as part of the review.		
Equity	Damaly Soy, Pablo Ortega, and Erin Fleshman	
Notes: The Committee continued learning about Courageous Conversations. The Committee considered the lasting impacts of the educational laws presented at the December 5 meeting. The Committee learned more and participated in conversations about the Wheel of Privilege, discussing the impacts of privilege on program models, services, and identification for highly capable students.		
Service Models	Dr. Tamra Stambaugh	
Notes: Dr. Stambaugh clarified language around the terminology of highly capable models- differentiating among the terms programs, services, service delivery, and placement. Dr. Stambaugh introduced research on the efficacy of different service models through Rogers' study. The Committee learned about using ACCA (Alignment, Cost, Context, Access) as a process to consider and review the complexities of different models. The Committee worked in small groups to evaluate 6 different service model options through the lens of the ACCA process, presenting their findings through a group gallery walk. This informal evaluation was done strictly to better understand each of the service models presented, not for final evaluation or selection. Service models presented were reviewed in a general sense, and connections to LWSD's specific service models will be accomplished in future Committee meetings. Committee members asked questions and considerations of each group's findings.		
Closure	Myra Arnone	
Notes: Myra Arnone led the group through a brief closure. Meeting feedback forms will be sent to committee members in an upcoming email communication. Stakeholder input will likely be gathered via a Thought Exchange format in the upcoming weeks.		