

Curriculum Advisory Committee Meeting

Meeting Date:	February 5, 2024
Meeting Start/EndTime:	4 pm - 5:30pm
Meeting Location:	WAPS District Office, 903 Gilmore Ave, Winona, MN
Members Present:	
Other Attendees:	
Members Absent:	



<p><i>Our Vision:</i> A safe and inclusive community of compassionate, curious and resilient lifelong learners.</p>	<p><i>Our Mission:</i> Inspire, curiosity, empower resiliency, engage community.</p>
<p><i>District Belief Statements:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We believe that public schools should serve and engage students, families, staff and the community. • We believe learning and teaching is maximized in a safe, respectful and inclusive environment. • We believe every individual's diversity and experience is valued. • We believe healthy relationships are crucial for the success of our schools. • We believe that every student can achieve to the best of their ability. • We believe all decisions should be focused on students and their success 	<p><i>Core Values:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Safety: Everyone's physical and emotional well-being is a priority. • Integrity: Everyone does the right thing and makes positive choices, even if it is difficult. • Inclusivity: Everyone belongs, is valued and is heard. • Equity: Everyone has the opportunities, access, information and support provided in the individual way they need it. • Respect: Everyone's differences are recognized, acknowledged and celebrated.
<p><i>Committee Purpose and Collective Commitments:</i></p> <p>A. Starting/Ending on time. B. Focus on agenda items and be prepared for discussion. C. Be prepared and respect the time schedule.</p> <p>D. Be respectful of others' ideas and make sure all voices are heard. E. Clarifying questions as needed.</p>	

<u>Agenda Item:</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Type:</u> (Procedural, Information, Briefing, Action)	<u>Discussion/Action:</u> <u>(Minutes)</u>	<u>Person Responsible:</u> <u>(Reports to Superintendent)</u>
Call to Order	4:00	Procedural	Took a moment to look at the collective commitments.	
Grounding	4:00-4:15	Procedural	Think quick: What was one of your most impactful high school classes? What are 1-2 reasons why it was so impactful?	
Approval of November Minutes	Until 4:20	Action	Minutes approved by unanimous consent.	
News and Announcements:	4:10-4:30	Information	<p>Still in need of a CAC Chair:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● If interested, please self-nominate and be prepared to answer what skills, experience, characteristics, etc. would you bring to enhance the CAC’s work to further the WAPS’ mission to Inspire curiosity, empower resiliency, and engage the community. <p>WAPS Updates from May 2023 Legislative Session:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Ethnic Studies class: By 2026-2027 (course proposal Fall of 2024 or 2025) ● Personal Finance: Graduation requirement beginning with G9 students in 2024-2025 cohort (course proposal Fall 2024) ● READ Act Updates: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Curriculum Resource: HMH Intro Reading & Arriba La Lectura ○ Update WAPS READ Act Plans: PD 	
Revising the WAPS Curriculum Review Cycle <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Timeline ● Process 	4:30-5:20	Dialogue	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Work Session: Provide critical feedback on the content and process of the WAPS Curriculum Review Cycle Framework draft. CAC members will follow a feedback process with hard copies of the materials. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Curriculum Review Cycle Timeline 	

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CAC Calendar 2023-2024			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Nov 20 ● Dec 11 ● Feb 5 ● April 15 ● May 13, 2024 	
Adjournment	End:	Procedural		