



**MINUTES OF  
AP EUROPEAN HISTORY CURRICULUM ADOPTION  
SCOTTSDALE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 48  
MOHAVE DISTRICT ACCESS (MDA)  
8500 E. Jackrabbit Rd. Scottsdale, AZ 85250**

**Date: May 8, 2023 Time: 3:30 - 5:30 PM**

**Call to Order**

Meeting was called to order at 3:26 PM by Jill Scott.

**Attendance**

Present: Cort Alcott, Arianna Fiandaca, Dede Johnston, Dr. Kim Dodds Keran, Jon Massimino (via Zoom), Adrienne Schiffner, Jill Scott.

Absent:

**Information/Discussion and Possible Action**

**1. Welcome and Introductions -**

Jill Scott - Social Studies Curriculum Coach

**2. Review and Approval of Minutes from April 24, 2023 -**

Jill Scott - Social Studies Curriculum Coach

- A Motion was made by Adrianna Fiandaca and seconded by Adrienne Schiffner to approve the minutes as written from April 24, 2023. Motion passed, minutes approved.

**3. Review of Agenda, Purpose and Norms -**

Jill Scott - Social Studies Curriculum Coach

- The purpose of the committee is to review, evaluate, and recommend materials to be used for the teaching of the AP European History Curriculum. The committee will recommend materials for approval by the Governing Board.
- Consensus Decision Making was reviewed. All points of view have been heard, the will of the group is evident even to those who most oppose it.

**4. Cengage Formal Presentation, via Zoom**

Beth Samuels & Taryn Wallis representatives from Cengage

- Presentation began at 3:35 PM and ended at 4:12 PM.



5. Review and Feedback after Presentation

Kim Dodds Keran - Director of Teaching and Learning

- The committee discussed the presentation. A few questions still need to be answered before a decision to move forward can be made. Jill Scott will reach out to Cengage for clarification on some items and report back to the committee.

6. Next Meeting -

Kim Dodds Keran - Director of Teaching and Learning

- TBD - Team's meeting to approve the recommendation of curriculum for AP European History.
- Governing Board meeting June 6, 2023 at 6:00 PM at Mohave District Annex. (First read, presentation, information and discussion)
- Governing Board Meeting June 20, 2023 at 6:00 PM at Coronado High School (second read, possible action item).

**Adjournment**

Meeting was adjourned at 4:45 PM.

Dated this day, Monday, May 8, 2023.