



Cherry Hill Public Schools

Middle Level Committee Talking Points

Meeting Date:	Thursday, October 22, 2015
Agenda:	<i>Inspiration and Growth with relation to characteristics of all middle level students. . .</i> The fifth meeting of the committee
Talking Points:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The meeting of the Middle Level Committee took place in the board room at the Malberg Administration Building • The agenda for the meeting included: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Reviewing presentations for the October Curriculum & Instruction committee as well as a review of the four October community forum presentations. ➤ The committee worked to categorize community forum feedback into five categories (Middle level practices, Middle level curricula, Scheduling, Advisory, and Examining extracurricular and co-curricular practices). ➤ The committee then looked at diverse research related to the five aforementioned focal categories. ➤ The committee synthesized three things (similarities and differences between the three middle schools, the community forum feedback and the diverse research on middle level education). This was done in order to develop questions that would be used when the Middle Level Committee would visit all three middle schools (November 17th). ➤ The committee talked about the purpose, outcomes and logistics associated with visiting all three middle schools on November 17th. • The committee meetings are scheduled for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ November 17th, December 9th, January 12th(14th snow day), February 25th ➤ The next report to the Curriculum & Instruction Committee are scheduled for February 1st