

## **AMESBURY**

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## AMESBURY SCHOOL COMMITTEE CURRICULUM AND INCLUSION SUBCOMMITTEE MEETING May 9, 2024

Present was Maryann Welch (Chair), Brock Omohundro, Kate Slater, Director Lyn Jacques, and Superintendent McAndrews.

Ms. Welch called the meeting to order at 6:00pm.

- 1. Approve Minutes from April 11, 2024.
- 2. Improvement to Spotlight Process: Ms. Welch shared that she sent policy AGA recommendations to the policy subcommittee. The subcommittee reviewed the Google form Ms. Welch created and Ms. Welch will bring a new flyer image to the next meeting. The new nomination form can be seen at https://forms.gle/QvFRBbUVgBPARkL19 or



- 3. Teaching, Learning, and Equity Reports: Ms. Jacques updated the subcommittee on the Curriculum Review Cycle. Dr. Slater asked about pedagogy adoption and Ms. Jacques shared that pedagogy adoptions are often through grants and academies that are outside of the curriculum cycle and more of a professional development opportunity. Dr. Slater and Ms. Jacques discussed the benefits of a future opportunity repository. The subcommittee agreed that the curriculum cycle policy would benefit from a review.
  - Ms. Jacques confirmed that the district is finalizing their DCAP, and the subcommittee will see it at their next time.
- 4. Other: There was a brief discussion about the elementary math pilots. Ms. Jacques said the district is collecting staff recommendations, but the final discussion will be made by Superintendent McAndrews and herself.

Mr. Omohundro moved to adjourn at 6:55pm, seconded by Dr. Slater. Vote: unanimous

Next Meetings: June 13th, 2024, at 6:00pm