



EDUCATION/TECHNOLOGY COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

September 22, 2025

Virtual Meeting - 8:30 A.M.

Committee Members: Beth Fiore, Chair

Ellen DePinto, Paulo Lopes, Richard Pieros

Administrative Staff: Dr. Jonathan Hart, Superintendent of Schools

Jason Bohm, SBA/Board Secretary

Rebecca Burns, Director of Pupil Services

Dr. Stacey Brown, Humanities Supervisor

Sarah Pauch, Math, Science, Tech Supervisor

Anthony Tumolo, Special Projects Supervisor

Jim Belske, Technology Coordinator

Agenda

1. Curriculum Revisions

K-3 Computer Science

This is a new document based on changes to the K-3 schedules, our pilot last year, and teacher feedback. This document contains the NJSLs Computer Science Standards and the NJSLs K-3 Engineering Standards.

Math - Honors Grade 5 through Alg 1

Middle school math curriculum documents reflect changes to the scope and sequence. The content has remained the same, but the order in which it is taught has been updated to be more compatible with the new primary resource of EdGems.

2. NAEP Assessment Selection - NAEP is a federal assessment that districts are required to administer if selected. Readington was selected for 8th Graders. The test will be on Reading and Math. 50 students will sit for the assessment, these students are selected by the federal government, they will be notified the day of the test that they were selected. The test will be administered in Jan or Feb. All 8th Grade parents will be notified through Genesis that their student may be selected to participate.
3. NJSLA-Adaptive Assessment & Field Test - NJ is updating the NJSLA test to an adaptive assessment, and will test sample text items using a Field Test this Fall. All districts are required to participate. The test will be Math (60 min), Reading (60 min), Writing (120 min). Pearson has been the digital platform used for NJSLA for the past 10 years. The Field Test will be administered through Tide, a new platform, which will require staff training during October In-Service days. The District Test Schedule, listing this and others, will be sent to parents by Oct 1.
4. Professional Development Plan- Dr. Brown presented the Professional Development Plan, it is required to be updated and approved annually.

5. Mentoring Plan - Mr. Tumolo presented the Mentoring Plan, it is required to be updated and approved annually.
6. Establish Special Education Programs - RMS - Mrs. Burns reported on the opening of an LLD classroom and Autism Program now established at the Middle School.
7. Curriculum Renewal Plan 2025-2030 - Dr. Hart presented a timeline for reviewing and refining curricular documents over the next five years.

Agenda items: Curriculum revisions, establishing new special ed programs (last BOE meeting), other typical agenda items

Next Meeting: Oct 6, 2025 (Assessment Results) and Nov 17, 2025.