

EPLC

Educational Programs Leadership Council - The Grosse Pointe Public School System

Meeting Minutes
Date: February 7th, 2024
1:00 pm- 4:00 pm
Barnes PLS

Call to Order 1:05pm

Present:

John Kernan, Katy Vernier, Cindy Parravano, Sara Dirske, Courtney Dykstra, Pamela Albrect, Joanne Truza, Andrea Gruenwald, Lisa Khoury, Brian Levinson, Ryan Boyd, Gina Gabel, Ruta Hailu, Keith Howell, Emily Rennpage, Taylor Barczyk, Chris Stanley, Christine Robinson, Jessica Bryan, Julie Bourke

Absent:

Andrea Tuttle, Taryn Loughlin, Bethany Derringer, Omar Siddiqui, Roy Bishop, Lillie Loder

I. INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

Michelle Stackpoole, MaryBeth Coffey, Amanda Pata-Library

Brian Livinson proposed culinary arts students/classes from North and South provide snacks

II. ACTION ITEMS

A. Approval of Agenda for February 7, 2024

Taylor Barczyk approved, seconded by Ryan Boyd. Motion carried-all in favor

B. Review of Minutes from [December 6, 2023](#)

Sara Dirkse approved, seconded by Katy Vernier. Motion carried-all in favor

C. Library Presentation

- [Feb 7 Memo to EPLC - Library Media Curriculum](#)

Discussion that there is no expected cost, grants are being looked at to apply to any technology and resource expenses in the future.

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- [Grosse Pointe Library Media Curriculum Guide](#)

- [EPLC/BOE Presentation](#)

Presentation by Michelle Stackpoole, MaryBeth Coffey, Amanda Pata
Discussion and questions on the proposal. Further discussion on Exit skills for Middle and H.S. students.

Vote paused until the end of the meeting.

Taylor Barczyk made the motion to approve, Andrea Gruenwald seconded the motion.
Discussion on resources, equitable availability across the district and curriculum scope and sequence.

Vote in favor 6, opposed 12

- Keith Howell made a motion to approve the aligning curriculum resources and develop a more comprehensive scope and sequence through a Phase IV maintenance review, contingent upon the forthcoming board's approval of the GPPSS Library Media Curriculum Guide 2024.
- Seconded by Sara Dirkse.
- All approved and vote carried.

III. INFORMATION AND DISCUSSION

A. BOE Curriculum Committee Update

Discussion on information same to EPLC and Curriculum Committee. Keith Howell provided a presentation to the EPLC committee on pasty BOE Curriculum Committee agenda items consisted for the following:

- Information and Discussion

Discussion on what was done at the Curriculum Committee meeting.

- K-12 Social Studies Update

Discuss Social Studies and share the presentation of the process.

- Dual Enrollment Presentation

Discussion of post secondary classes @ High School to get college credit. Only a handful of students, standards must be met.

- Narrow Focus Activity: Brainstorming Session

Shared what was discussed. Planning process, digital contend, budget, cycle

- New Business

- Future meeting times and dates

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- Grading
 - 50% credit for zeros
 - 20% exam weighting at high school
- Keith Howell developed the following to have conversations regarding grading practices that were requested to be on the agenda. Keith stated during meeting that he would provide document to EPLC committee to review:
 - [Pros and Cons to current system](#)

C. Continue MICIP activities

- Activity: [Rapid Data Insight Session](#)

Introduce info/collection of data from Gina Gabel.
EPLC to review info for next meeting

IV. **ADJOURNMENT**

[Adjourn 3:17pm](#)