



Student Achievement Committee
January 19, 2022
MINUTES - DRAFT

Present: Catherine Carbone, Michael Dietter, Jennifer Dube, Carly Fortin, Molly Goodine, Sara Hale, Michael Higgins, Jaime Rechenberg, Azra Redzic, Kristy Ricciardone, Jillian Romann, Samantha Sarli, Todd Sturgeon, Dante Tagariello, Melanie Vetrano, Leszek Ward, Christopher Wilson

Call to Order:

Commissioner Sturgeon called the meeting to order at 6:30pm.

Approval of Minutes from December 15, 2021

On a motion made by Commissioner Wilson and seconded by Commissioner Sturgeon, Commissioner Tagariello abstained;

VOTED: To approve the Minutes of December 15, 2021.

Information: Program of Studies

Mike Higgins, Principal of Bristol Eastern High presented the Program of Studies, which catalogs all of the class offerings at Bristol Eastern High School and Bristol Central High School. Bristol Public Schools is in the process of identifying courses that are Mastery Based Credit opportunities, which will be piloted in the Spring for Juniors. Carly Fortin, Director of Teaching & Learning shared that the Mastery Credit Experience and the number of ways in which students can meet that requirement will be presented to the Student Achievement Committee during the May meeting.

Information: Dramatic Theater, curriculum preview:

Dr. Samantha Sarli, Supervisor of Fine Arts presented the Dramatic Theater curriculum. This new course will be exclusively offered at the Bristol Arts and Innovation Magnet School. Students will study contemporary and classic plays while learning performance skills and basic theater elements. This course will culminate in a performance of either a play or scenes from various plays.

Decision: Student Achievement Committee Meeting dates

On a motion made by Commissioner Tagariello and seconded by Commissioner Wilson, it was unanimously;

VOTED: To approve the Student Achievement Committee Meeting dates.

There being no further discussion, Commissioner Sturgeon adjourned the meeting at 6:45pm.

Respectfully submitted,

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