To: Dr. Mark Fredisdorf From: John A. Glimco RE: Staffing Request

Math/Science Support

Grade 5

Date: November 10, 2014

I am recommending the addition of a full-time aide to assist with the 5^{th} grade Math and Science classes.

In consultation with the instructors, additional support in the Math Classes would be welcomed to provide for additional direct assistance for the students due to the challenging Common Core Curriculum. Support for science classes would also be welcomed, specifically with lab activities.

The schedule for this position would be aligned to the 4 math/science periods and 2 math plus periods. The daily schedule will be coordinated with the math and science teachers, allowing for support in the science classes, as needed, for labs and class activities. A seventh period will be scheduled for additional daily support for the lunchroom and study hall/recess.

Specifically, the daily schedule would be:

Period 1 Math/Science

Period 2 Math Plus (additional alternating day math period)

Period 3 Math/Science

Period 4 Lunch

Period 5 Lunch/Study Hall Supervision

Period 6 Math/Science Period 7 Math Plus

Period 8 Plan

Period 9 Math/Science

Future staffing for the 5th grade will continue to be evaluated. Anticipating growth, additional sections of Math, Science, and Spanish classes will be recommended for the upcoming school year to allow for at least 5 sections of each, aligning with the current sectioning in English/Language Arts and Social Studies.