

Board Committee Report

Committee Name: Academic Excellence

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Date of Last Meeting: 4/19/2022

Next Meeting Date: May 2022 - TBD

Motions/Action Items for the Board Meeting:

Motion	Description	Goal
Move to “Approve the Academic Excellence Committee conducting a survey, on behalf of the Board, with graduating seniors and alumni to validate the “Profile of a Nova Classical Academy Graduate” (see attached final draft “Profile”)	The introduction to the survey for graduating seniors will read “As you get ready to move on to the next stage of your life, the goal of the following survey is to understand whether you have gained the qualities that Nova Classical Academy is seeking to help our graduates develop.”	2

2021-2022 Committee Goals

Goal	Update on Progress	Complete
1. Ensure high academic standards (first part of AEC meetings). Review and provide feedback on: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- WBWF (World’s Best Workforce) goals (most set in our current and FY23 Friends contract)- WBWF summary- Academic components of the Annual Report- K-12 nationally normed data (FastBridge)- 3-11 state-normed data (MCA)- K-12 Nova internal assessment trends (DDI)	- Students are in the process of taking MCAs	
2. Assist with articulating useful common language around the impact of Nova’s approach to Academic Excellence through the Classical Tradition (second part of AEC meetings): <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Develop a Profile of a Nova Graduate at Graduation- Validate the Profile in an exit survey with seniors	- Developed final draft of “Profile of a Nova Classical Academy” – (attached) - Putting finishing touches on graduate survey – will request help from Mr. Pelofske to conduct survey with graduating seniors - Determining approach to survey alumni – consideration of combining “Profile” validation	

	questions with strategic planning input questions	
<p>3. Consolidate materials and train committee members on how AEC keeps its material archived on Google Drive:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Document process and approach for ongoing AEC materials management - Train committee members on system usage 	- Still in the early stages	