

BRISTOL PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Bristol, Connecticut

(Meeting Date)



Information Item



Decision Item

AGENDA REPORTING FORM

TOPIC: Barnes Foundation: CT Storytelling Center

BACKGROUND: Bristol Public Schools was awarded \$20,000 from the Barnes Foundation for the CT Storytelling Center program. This grant will fund 6–10 professional storyteller visits for students in grades K–1 during the school year. These literacy-focused workshops build essential skills in listening, speaking, vocabulary, and visualization while also promoting teamwork, self-confidence, and social-emotional development. The program reinforces and extends students' early experiences with storytelling, supporting foundational literacy and engagement through an interactive, developmentally appropriate approach.

COST: \$20,000 **FUNDING SOURCE:** 1065000 BARN6

RECOMMENDATIONS/COMMENTS:

ATTACHMENTS:

TOPIC PRESENTER: Jodi Bond

CONTACT NUMBER: _____

SUPERINTENDENT: *Iris White*
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