

**LIFE READINESS THROUGH COLLEGE & CAREER PREPARATION
BOARD COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES**

**July 8, 2024
5:00 PM**

1. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 5:00 p.m.

2. Roll Call

The Following were present at the meeting:

- Joe Becker, Committee Member
- Alyssa Burrage, Director of Leadership & Learning (Excused)
- Becky Gries, Coordinator of Student Supports
- Brian Keller, Committee Vice Chair
- Kristen Keyser, Committee Chair
- Laura Sage, Director of Student Services

3. Modifications to the Agenda

None

4. Approve Minutes from the Last Meeting

Motion by Brian Keller, second by Laura Sage to approve the minutes of the June 10th, 2024 meeting.

5. Early Literacy Plan

Becky Gries presented the WAWMSD response to Act 20. The response will be on the WAWMSD website. We are training all teachers through fifth grade. We are entering year four with Scholastic for our literacy, which is not suggested by DPI, but the pieces of three cueing systems within that program will not be used any longer. We have Scholastic's Scope and Sequence for phonics, which we will follow as part of the Act 20 requirement. Included in our program are three digital platforms that focus on the science of reading, vocabulary acquisition, and an e-book library. Teachers and principals will have professional development on Language Essentials for Teachers of Reading and Spelling (LETRS). We will be facilitating training within the district. Professional development will be dedicated to LETRS Volume 1 for the 2024-25 school year. Reading readiness screener will be Fastbridge Fastrack for K-5th, pre-K4 will continue with their current screener this Fall 2024. Pre-K4 thru grade three will begin the state reading screener in January 2025 using NCS Pearson. Our current reading diagnostic assessment will be administered to the students below the 25th percentile in Fall 2024, then switch over to the state recommended reading diagnostic in January 2025. We will continue our current monitoring process. The district will have personal reading plans for students below the 29th percentile on the reading readiness screener. A Personal Reading Plan template has been created for WAWMSD by Becky Gries which will begin in September 2024. (DPI has not sent out their sample plan yet.) DPI is requiring a Board policy regarding promotion of a student from third to fourth grade. WAWMSD will continue their personal growth plan goals through the next grade level and will remain on their plan until they are above the 29th percentile.

6. Community Feedback

None

7. Possible Suggestion(s) for Future Discussion

None

8. Adjournment

The meeting ended at 5:29 p.m. Moved by Brian Keller, seconded by Joe Becker.