

School Board Meeting:

February 11, 2013

Subject:

Course Proposals for 2013-14

Presenter:

Pam Miller & Matt Lubben
& Mark Mischke

SUGGESTED SCHOOL BOARD ACTION:

No recommended action at this time. Action will be taken at the February 25 school board meeting.

DESCRIPTION:

Four additional course proposals have been submitted for 2013-14, in addition to those approved at the January 28 board meeting.

BCMS Course Proposals

Three course proposals are being presented for your consideration for BCMS. One course is proposed as a course modification, and two courses are proposed as new courses.

BHS Course Proposal

One additional course proposal has been submitted for BHS. To plan appropriate and adequate programming for the Quest Grade 9 students for next year, a Quest English 9 course is being proposed.

The four course names are listed below, and detailed course proposal information for each proposal is included as an attachment.

<u>Course Name</u>	<u>Department</u>	<u>Proposed Action</u>
Set for Success (6 th grade skills)	Other	New Course
Pre-Taught Math	Math	New Course
Single Gender Physical Education	Phy Ed	Course Modification
Quest English 9	English	New Course

At the February 25 board meeting, I will recommend approval for each course proposal presented, and for all four course proposals to be added to Buffalo Community Middle School and Buffalo High School as additional opportunities for students.

Each course approved for implementation in 2013-2014 will be allotted up to twenty hours of further curriculum writing development if needed. These hours

are under the direction of the Department of Teaching and Learning, and will be completed during the summer months.

Matt Lubben, Mark Mischke, and I will be in attendance at the February 11 workshop to answer any questions you may have regarding the proposed courses.