

School Board Meeting:

December 9, 2024

Subject:

BHS Course Proposals

Presenter:

**Pam Miller, Director
Teaching and Learning**

SUGGESTED SCHOOL BOARD ACTION:

Recommend board approval of the proposed course modifications/additions for the Buffalo High School courses as listed below.

DESCRIPTION:

At the November 25 board meeting, the course proposal process was reviewed, as well as the course proposals submitted by Buffalo High School.

The proposed courses have met the criteria of the course proposal process: review by the department chair, the building principal, the BHS Department Chairs, and the Community Teaching & Learning Council.

Approval is recommended for the following course modifications/additions:

Department	Course Modification
Ag/Tech Ed	Ag Construction/Construction Trades Exploration

Department	Course Addition
Tech Ed	Intro to Construction
English	Debate
FCS	Fashion Design
Math	Math for the Trades
Ag/SpEd	Unified Companion Animal Science
English/SpEd	Unified Stage Acting

NEXT STEPS:

Once approved, the course additions and course modifications are included in the BHS registration process as appropriate. Administration and staff will determine if the new courses have sufficient student registration and adequate resources to

offer the courses for next year within the available budgets and staffing allocations awarded.

Each new course approved for implementation in 2025-2026 will be eligible for curriculum development hours. These hours are under the direction of the Department of Teaching and Learning.

ATTACHMENTS:

- BHS New Course Proposal Outlines – 2024-25