

Administrative & Leadership Updates

- **Staffing**
 - Several staffing positions have been filled pending board approval this month - Social Studies, PE/Health, and ADSIS.
 - Other open positions remain in progress.
- **State Reporting**
 - End of year state reporting has begun.
- **Transition Planning**
 - We have started transition planning for the incoming leadership.

Academic & Curriculum Developments

- **ELA Curriculum Resources**
 - Elementary Wonders Curriculum:
 - We just completed year 2 of a 3 year subscription. Will need to budget for renewal or version upgrade at the end of the 2026-27 school year.
 - Reduced number of consumable materials purchased this year which should reflect cost savings. We currently have sufficient materials in storage to use for this school year.
 - Secondary StudySync:
 - We just completed year 2 of a 3 year subscription. Will need to budget for renewal or a change at the end of the 2026-27 school year.
 - Reduction in the number of consumables purchased as there are excess from previous year, reflecting cost savings.
- **Math Curriculum Resources**
 - Elementary Math Expressions
 - Pilot planned for 2026-27 school year for PreK-grade 6. Materials ordered and free professional development scheduled for August and October.
 - Secondary Math
 - College in the Schools (CITS): Spring semester, we will offer College Algebra in person at Northome in partnership with Bemidji

State University. The need for this course was expressed through a student survey as well as through our math teacher. We are excited to offer this new opportunity for students!

- Textbook required through BSU: Larson's *College Algebra*, 11rd Edition Cengage, 2022

- **Science Curriculum Resources**

- Secondary: Inspire Science from McGraw Hill
 - Continuing with grades 7 and 8 of Inspire Science. We just completed year 2 of a 3 year subscription. Will need to budget for renewal at the end of the 2026-27 school year.
 - Earth Science textbook being purchased for the required 9th grade Earth Science course to be implemented the 2026-27 school year. Biology textbook being purchased for review this year, to be implemented in 2027-28. Unlike the 7th and 8th grade resources, these new books are hard copies thus do not require an ongoing subscription or consumables to implement.
- Elementary: Mystery Science
 - Continuing with Mystery Science K-5.
 - Exploring options for 6th grade, including the Inspire Science for grade 6.

- **Social Studies**

- Secondary
 - New Electives Anticipated:
 - Psychology
 - Ojibwe History/Culture/Language

- **Summer Curriculum Writing**

- Several staff are participating in curriculum writing this summer related to new curriculum resources and/or alignment to current MN state standards.

- **Budget Planning for Curriculum and Technology**

- Assigned or Committed Fund Recommendation: There is a need for an intentional set aside for curriculum materials and technology annually in order to help offset

Events & Activities

- **Summer School (Elementary and High School)**

- First session ran June 1-11 and will continue July 6-16