Director of Curriculum and Instruction Monthly Report

August 2018

Purpose

The purpose of this report is to provide regular updates to the Education Committee regarding teaching and learning.

Staff Development

- New Teacher Orientation August 27th, 2018
- All-Staff Day August 28th, 2018
 - Letter and agenda sent out mid-August
 - Reaching all kids
 - Safe and secure schools
 - Morning Keynote: <u>Salome Thomas-El</u>
 - Guest Speaker on School Safety: Police Chief Tusken

Curriculum Adoption Process

- English Language Arts Text Selection Process
 - Learning history of process through conversations and document review
 - Initial meetings with impacted staff
 - Responses to letters of invitation received from community groups

Policy Review

- Goal: Establish regular review of curricular policy
 - Began process of reviewing curricular policies and regulations
 - Identify priority policy based on requirements and updates
 - Start formal readings this month



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