



**School Board Work Session**  
**Monday, December 11, 2023; 5:00 PM**  
**ECC Room 350**

**I. Determination of Quorum and Call to Order**

**II. Approval of Agenda**

**III. Discussion**

**A. Social Studies Guiding Change**

**Description:** The guiding change information, related to K-12 academic standards in Social Studies, was co-created by elementary and secondary design teams. The purpose of the information is to define the current reality and the intended results, and it also articulates the unacceptable means that the teams will aim to avoid in order to achieve the intended results.

**Presenter(s):** Bethany Van Osdel, Assistant Director of Teaching and Learning; and Jamie Hawkinson, Administrative Dean, Creek Valley Elementary

**B. 2024-2025 International Travel Recommendations**

**Description:** Extended travel is a long standing component of the excellence in the Edina educational experience. Unfortunately, many of these experiences had to either be canceled or adjusted during and after 2020 due to COVID. The recent accessibility to travel again has prompted a review of travel policy and practices. While the extended travel policies and practices have been reviewed, additional questions have surfaced focused on travel purpose and equity. In order to stay tight to policy timelines for international travel the decision was made to move forward with international travel proposals, while at the same time finding space for further conversation on travel purpose and equity. This conversation will be further discussed at the January work session.

**Presenter(s):** Jody De St. Hubert, Director of Teaching and Learning; and Jenn Carter, EHS Assistant Principal

**IV. Leadership and Committee Updates**

**V. Superintendent Updates**

**VI. Adjournment**