

Curriculum Committee Meeting
Monday, June 3, 2013 12:00 PM
Central Office Curriculum Room, 4 Vision Boulevard, Somers, CT 06071

1. Warning of Meeting

Curriculum Committee meeting

June 2, 2013

Present: K. Pezza, A. Kirkpatrick, J. Formeister, B. Capuano

Info presented on various middle school books for LA, including non-fiction works to supplement students' fiction readings, supplemental poetry anthologies, materials to supplement writing, workbooks.

Recommended purchase Of 50 (2 classroom sets) Literature Anthologies for Grade 6, 7, 8; books will not be taken home.

Discussion of Common Core, future testing—full implementation will take 3-4 years because standards are so different from current ones and there is no phase-in period of the CC. Generally the level of the LA books is a grade level beyond where we are now.

Math workbooks for Grades 6, 7, 8, CCSS aligned, focusing on summative assessments.

All of the proposals total about \$26,000 and money is in this year's budget to purchase.

Curriculum Committee recommends Board approval and first warning at 6/10/13 meeting. Written proposals will be available for Board members to read.

Joan Formeister, Chair

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To: Curriculum Committee
Anne Kirkpatrick
Bob Schmidt

From: Joan Formeister, Chairman

Re: Meeting Date/Agenda

Date: May 31, 2013

A meeting is scheduled for Monday, 6/3/2013 at 12:00 p.m. in the Central Office Curriculum Room. The agenda is as follows:

1. Supplemental Works, MBA Math
2. Supplemental Reading Resources, Grades 6 and 7
3. Literature Anthology, Grade 8

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