

Minutes of CURRICULUM COMMITTEE

The Board of Trustees

Gull Lake Community Schools

A Curriculum Committee meeting of the Board of Trustees of Gull Lake Community Schools was held on Friday, June 12, 2026, beginning at 8:01 AM in the Christopher L. Rundle Administration Building.

Roll Call: Chair and Board Secretary Mini Paulose-Murphy, Acting Superintendent Drew Bordner, Board President Carole Mendez

1. Public Comments: None

2. Draft Minutes: The meeting minutes of May 8, 2026, were approved.

3. Course Catalogs

Acting Superintendent Bordner presented the 2026-2027 Course Catalogs for 1) Gull Lake Middle School; 2) Gull Lake High School; 3) Gateway Academy; and 4) Gull Lake Virtual Partnership. The course catalogs were reviewed by the Committee. The Course Catalogs will be presented to the Board for formal approval.

4. GLHS AP Stats Curriculum Proposal

Acting Superintendent Bordner presented the GLHS AP Stats Curriculum Proposal to the Committee. The proposal is to utilize *Math Medic AP Statistics* by Luke Wilcox and Linsey Gallas. The curriculum uses an Experience First, Formalize Later (EFFL) approach, in which students engage in activities and analyze data before teachers introduce and formalize statistical concepts. The proposal will be presented to the Board for formal approval.

5. GLMS Reading Lab Read 180 Curriculum Proposal

Acting Superintendent Bordner presented the GLMS Reading Lab Read 180 Curriculum Proposal to the Committee. Read 180 is an intensive, evidence-based reading intervention by Houghton Mifflin Harcourt (HMH) for students reading below grade level. The program provides individualized reading support and intervention materials for students in grades 6-8. The proposal will be presented to the Board for formal approval.

6. GLMS 6-8 ELA Into Literature Curriculum Materials Proposal

Acting Superintendent Bordner presented the proposal to adopt *Into Literature* by Houghton Mifflin Harcourt (HMH) as the English Language Arts curriculum for students in grades 6-8. The comprehensive curriculum is designed to develop students' reading, writing, and speaking, and communication skills and aligns with District's commitment to Reading, Writing, and Speaking with Purpose. The curriculum materials proposal will be presented to the Board for formal approval.

7. GLMS Health Curriculum Materials Proposal

Acting Superintendent Bordner presented GLMS Health Curriculum Proposal to the Committee. The Committee was informed that two public hearings were held to provide opportunities for public review and input. He shared a PowerPoint presentation outlining the proposed adoption of the *G-W Comprehensive Health Skills for Middle*

School, 4th Edition online textbook. The GLMS Health Curriculum Materials Proposal will be presented to the Board for formal approval.

8. Curriculum Purchases 2026-27

Acting Superintendent Bordner presented the 2026-27 Curriculum Purchases in the amount of \$389,118 to the Committee. As a separate purchase, the Band Department will select and acquire band uniforms with student input.

The Committee reviewed a detailed spreadsheet outlining the planned purchases, which will take place after July 1st. The Committee will present the curriculum purchases to the Board for formal approval.

9. Committee Goals

This agenda item was tabled until next committee meeting.

10. Next Meeting: July 10, 2026 @ 8:00 a.m.