



BLOOMFIELD BOARD OF EDUCATION - BOARD OF EDUCATION CURRICULUM COMMITTEE MEETING

Board of Education Curriculum Committee Meeting AT Tuesday, January 23, 2024

Bloomfield Board of Education 1133 Blue Hills Avenue Board Room, 1133 Blue Hills Avenue ,
Bloomfield, CT 06002

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Board of Education – Curriculum Committee Meeting
Tuesday, October 24, 2023 at 6:30 P.M.
Bloomfield Board of Education, Board Room
1133 Blue Hills Avenue
Bloomfield, CT 06002

ATTENDANCE: R. Ike, Chair Present
K. Dunbar Present
F. Bogle-Assegai Present

ALSO PRESENT: W. Guzman D. Nesmith E. Pierce
A.M. Cullinan D. Moleti W. Shepard-Bannish
L. Lamenzo J. Titelbaum S. Shippee
S. Simpson D. Harris

1. Establishment of a Quorum and Call to Order

D. Harris called the meeting to order at 6:23 p.m. The roll was called and a quorum was present.

2. Consent Agenda

A. Approval of Minutes – Curriculum Committee – May 26, 2023

A motion was made by K. Dunbar and seconded by F. Bogle-Assegai for the Curriculum Committee to approve the meeting minutes from May 26, 2023, as presented.

R. Ike Aye
K. Dunbar Abstain
F. Bogle-Assegai Aye

The motion was passed unanimously 2-0-1.

3. New Business

A. English Learner/Multilingual Learner Update

Ms. Anne Marie Cullinan, Curriculum Specialist and Suzanne Shippee, provided a high-level overview of the English Language/Multilingual Learner (EL/ML) population enrolled in Bloomfield Public Schools. They discussed trends, services and resources to meet student needs and shared a PowerPoint presentation.

Like the state, the EL/ML enrollment in Bloomfield is trending upward. Ms. Shippee noted that 31% of the EL population also has an Individualized Education Program (IEP). The qualification for services was discussed. Currently there are over sixteen (16) languages represented in the district and the Bloomfield employs two certified teachers and tutors to work directly with EL/ML students. Ms. Shippee also shared information regarding professional development and family engagement.



A committee member requested clarification regarding a bilingual certified teacher. Ms. Cullinan noted that if the district has twenty (20) or more languages represented by the EL/ML population, it is required to hire a bilingual teacher.

4. Adjournment

At 6:49 p.m., a motion was made by K. Dunbar and seconded by R. Ike to adjourn.

The motion passed unanimously 3-0-0.

R. Ike, Chair

Graduates In Bloom



Board of Education Curriculum Committee
Professional Learning Update
January 23, 2024



Overview

Purpose

Provide Board of Education Curriculum Committee with an update on BPS Professional Learning System

Process

Presentation of Professional Learning Systems that have district wide impact

Payoff

Board of Education will be informed of Professional Learning Systems within Bloomfield Public Schools





PD WINS
and
Cohort
Opportunities

Principal
Conferences

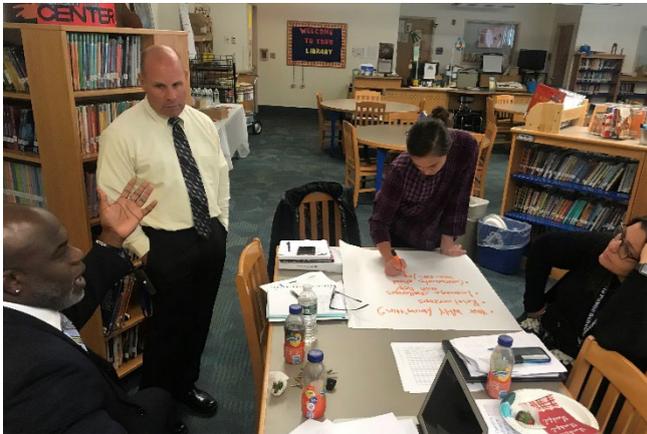
Focus Walks

Improving
Student
Outcomes

Central
Office
Learning

Site Visits

Family and
Community



Questions

