

CONTOOCOOK VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT
Office of the Superintendent of Schools
106 Hancock Road, Peterborough, NH 03458-1197

EDUCATION COMMITTEE MEETING AGENDA

Monday, February 21, 2022

5:30 PM

Physical Location: SAU Boardroom

MINUTES

Education Committee Members: Tom Burgess, Rich Cahoon, Keira Christian, Richard Dunning, Liz Swan, and Stephen Ullman (Chair)

Present: Tom Burgess, Richard Dunning, Stephen Ullman, Dr. Ann Forrest

5:30 Approval of [January 10, 2022 Meeting Minutes](#)

Dick Dunning moved to approve the minutes of January 10, 2022. Tom Burgess second. Unanimous.

5:35 Recommendation for Middle School Health Program

Ann Forrest reported that Health Smart curriculum, already used K-4, will be implemented grades 5-8. It meets the fifteen characteristics of an effective health curriculum.

Dick Dunning recommended to move forward with this curriculum. Tom Burgess second. Unanimous.

Dick Dunning said that consistency in curriculum is important.

6:00 Review policies referred by the Policy Committee:

[Current Policy IHCD/LEB - Advanced Course Work](#)

[Current Policy IK - Earning Credit](#)

Ann Forrest referenced the NHSBA policy IK and highlighted pieces. In particular, Section B speaks about awarding of credit for similar courses and denial of awarding credit for courses from another school.

NHSBA Policy ILBAA - High School Graduation Competencies was also discussed.

[Current Policy IMBC - Alternative Credit Options](#)

Dick Dunning moved to bring forward policies IHCD/LEB, IK, and IMBC to the Policy Committee for their approval. Tom Burgess second. Unanimous.

NHSBA Policy ILBAA changes were made in the definition of mastery so that it is no longer master/proficient.

Tom Burgess asked how students who are being homeschooled might be evaluated if they enroll in ConVal. Discussion took place about how home school works in New Hampshire.

IHCD reflects a list of ten items with cross outs. It is not a required policy. The cross outs will not be incorporated. ConVal does not have a policy IKFG.

IMBC - NHSBA has a strikeout as well that does not need to be included in the ConVal policy. IMBC includes information that states that this will be available on the ConVal website and in the student handbook.

Dick Dunning moved to bring policy ILBAA forward to the policy committee. Tom Burgess second. Unanimous.

Dick Dunning moved to adjourn at 6:09 p.m. Tom Burgess second. Unanimous.

Next Education Committee Meeting

Date: March 21, 2022

Time: 5:30 PM

Respectfully submitted,

Brenda Marschok