



Curriculum Council October 18, 2011 Meeting Minutes

- Present:** Jill Bialek, Tammy Barrientos, Molly Bruzewski, Deb Dunbar, Brian Johnson, Steve Kennedy, Darren Kroczaleski, Dana McGrew, Suzanne Monaghan, Charles Negro, Arnae Sajdak, Pam Sook, Doug Trombley, Don Vernon, Lisa Zettle
- Absent:** Adair Aumock, Anne Doriean, Linda Engelhardt, Diane Hurley, David Hurst, Deb Kadish, Michael Knoff, Ron Kraft, Ted Matuszak, Becky Neitzke, Allen Pauly, Mike Vieau
- Guests:** Salle O'Neill, Darcy McMahon, Larry Casler, Melissa Wing, Krista Price

1. **Seat Time Waiver** - Salle O'Neill gave an update on Seat Time Waivers. For the fall semester, 13 students are using the seat time waiver process. The districts utilizing seat time waivers are: Essexville-Hampton, Garber High School, Arenac-Eastern High School, Standish-Sterling, Central High School, Bay-Arenac Community High School, and Bay City Central High School. BAISD Seat Time Waiver school district participants will find the new GISD enrollment very "user friendly". More updates in regard to Seat Time Waivers and Pupil Accounting will be coming soon. Please contact Salle O'Neill with any questions you may have at oneills@baisd.net.

2. **Curriculum**

- **Timeline** – Molly Bruzewski provided Council with a timeline of the Curriculum Process as follows:

November 2011- Adjust ELA district documents to reflect CCR (CCSS)
December 2011- Adjust Math district documents to reflect CCR (CCSS)
2012 – Begin to work with districts on CCSS transition in alignment and implementation
2013 – Transition completely to CCSS
2014 – Full implementation of CCSS

- **Math & Science Center** – Programming is now focused on getting students interested in Math and Science careers. The Center is still up and running. The SMEK (Science Mathematical Extravaganza for Kids) is scheduled for December 3, 2011. This program is designed for 2nd through 8th grade. For more information visit www.svsu.edu/mathsci-center or call 989.964.4114. Tammy Barrientos is the Center Director and can be contacted at tarizola@svsu.edu.
- **Health Assessment Education Project (HEAP)** - Pam Sook provided information regarding the HEAP. The HEAP is a national consortium with the mission to improvement students' health literacy through improved health instruction. Council was shown the website and what is available for teachers. If your district would like to be trained in HEAP, please contact Pam Sook at sookp@baisd.net or 989.667.3262 to schedule training.
- **Health Resources in the Bay-Arenac ISD Intranet** – If a student would like to opt out of the Physical Education requirement, there is an opt out exam on the Bay-Arenac ISD Intranet. The BAISD Intranet is a log-in and password secured site. If you do not have a log-in or password to the Intranet, please contact Erika Rupert at ruperte@baisd.net or 989.667.3280. Intranet link is as follows: <http://www.baisd.net/curriculum/teacheropportunities/intranet/>
- **MAISA Career & College – ELA Units/Argument** – Melissa Wing from Genesee discussed the MAISA K-12 Career College Readiness Project that is being facilitated by MAISA with units being written by Oakland ISD. These items are being written in the Writer's Workshop format. Visit <http://gomaisa.org/ela-ccrs-materials> to view current ELA CCRS materials. BAISD will provide professional development on implementation of the units. (MAISA Collaboration Project)

3. **Assessment** – State, Regional, Local

- **Michigan Assessment Consortium** – A written update was provided by Ed Roeber, professor at Michigan State University. He encouraged districts to continue to develop assessments and to continue to match the GLCEs and HSCEs to the Common Core State Standards (CCSS).
- **High Stakes Evaluation D4SS** – Video resources are available on “Data Conferencing” between teacher & principal at the Data for Student Success web site <http://data4ss.org> This is a good independent learning set of resources for both principals and teachers around the topic of student growth.
- **Survey of Enacted Curriculum** – Larry Casler from Genesee ISD discussed the Survey of Enacted Curriculum which is an online data collection tool in Mathematics, ELA, Science and Social Studies. This tool allows teachers and schools to get a “picture” of curriculum and instruction of their district. Through this survey, districts could learn how well aligned their content currently is to Common Core, how instructional time is allocated in relation to the content topics, and where focus has been in terms of cognitive expectations for students. The SSOS Survey is available at a cost of \$12/teacher/area. For more information visit: [http://www.ccsso.org/Resources/Programs/Surveys_of_Enacted_Curriculum_\(SEC\).html](http://www.ccsso.org/Resources/Programs/Surveys_of_Enacted_Curriculum_(SEC).html)

Data Warehouse – Lisa Zettle distributed an updated progress report to each district which listed where their students tested compared to the new cut scores. These reports are now available in Pinnacle/Data Warehouse.

4. **Professional Development** –

- **Flipping Instruction** – Krista Price from Oxford Public Schools described the process of Flipped Instruction. Flipped instruction is flipping how instruction and homework are done. Content (lectures/scenarios) are available 24/7 on YouTube. Homework is done in class where the teacher can actively support student learning and provide individualized instruction. Krista Price mainly uses YouTube to supplement instruction; if the “perfect” video is not out there, she creates it. All of her content is on YouTube which students watch at home. Curious? Visit: www.youtube.com/kristadawnprice, or www.kristaprice.com
- **K-12 Principal Meetings** – Great Lakes Bay principal meetings will take place on Wednesday, November 16, 2011 at SVSU. Administrators will be provided with tools to use at staff meetings and other events. Council members are welcome to attend. Middle School and High School Principals attend from 8:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. and Elementary Principals attend from 12:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. To register <http://www.solutionwhere.com/baisd/cw/CourseByAlpha.asp>

5. **MDE/News/Other** –

- **Fall 2011 School Improvement Conference** – This year’s event to be held on November 28 & 29 at the Lansing Center. Title is Effective School Improvement Practices to Create an Atmosphere of Change. To register for this event visit www.gomiem.org
- **ED YES** – Deb provided council with the ED YES Timeline and Report Due Dates.

NEXT MEETING DATE: November 15, 2011

cc: Superintendents