

UPPER PERKIOMEN SCHOOL DISTRICT
Education Center
2229 E. Buck Road
Pennsburg, PA 18073
Curriculum and Instruction Committee Meeting

June 5, 2019

6:00 pm – 7:00 pm

CHAIR: James Glackin

Ex-Officio: Dr. Kerry Drake, President

MEMBERS:

Stephen Cunningham

Judy Maginnis

Acting Superintendent – Dr. Andrea Farina

Interim Assistant Superintendent – Katherine Metrick

AGENDA

1. Approval of April 22, 2019 Meeting Minutes (Attachment A)
2. Social Studies Program Update
3. High School and Middle School Schedule Update
4. Link It Student/Parent Portal
5. A Look Back/ Look Ahead: Reflection on Committee Goals

Next Meeting: Enjoy the summer!

Committee Mission Statement:

To support and enable instructional opportunities that engage students at all levels to achieve at their highest potential ensuring success in both academics and in life after graduation; resulting in a district where students want to learn, teachers want to teach, and parents/guardians want to send their children.

In order to assist in keeping an accurate record of the proceeding of this meeting, the meeting is being videotaped by the District.

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MINUTES

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Superintendent – Dr. Alexis McGloin

Assistant Superintendent – Dr. Andrea Farina

Attendance: Dr. Kerry Drake, Judy Maginnis, James Glackin, Dr. Andrea Farina, Allison Stephens, Margaret Lerch, Dr. Mark Thomas, Andrew Graham, Rachel Schmeckenbecher, Kristina Olson, Michelle Burns, Lora Mayer

1. Approval of March 25, 2019 Meeting Minutes
 - a. Motion to approve meeting minutes from Judy Maginnis. James Glackin seconded the motion.

2. New Textbook Adoption- AP Environmental Science
 - a. Mr. Graham noted that he looked at 3 different textbooks for the course. He was impressed by the technology component and the selection of AP practice questions. UPSD will be replacing Honors Environmental Science with AP Environmental Science. Requests are healthy for the course. The textbook will be available in the district office for review.

3. Music & Art Department Curriculum Review Presentation
 - a. Dr. Farina explained the curriculum writing process.
 - b. Dr. Thomas and Margaret Lerch gave a presentation on the work of the music department from this school year.
 - c. Lora Mayer and Michelle Burns gave a presentation on the work of the art department from this school year.

4. Foreign Language Program Presentation
 - a. Rachel Schmeckenbecher gave a presentation on the work of the foreign language department from this school year.

5. Meeting adjourned at 7:15 pm.

Next Meeting is June 3, 2019