

BELCHERTOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT CURRICULUM & INSTRUCTION SUBCOMMITTEE MEETING March 8, 2016

PLACE: Swift River Elementary School Library

TIME: 6:30 p.m.

SUBCOMMITTEE: Dr. Michael Knapp, Chair; Dr. Thomas Laughner, Member

ADMINISTRATION: Ms. Karol Coffin, Superintendent of Schools; Dr. Shawn Fortin, Director of

Teaching & Learning; Mr. Brian Cameron, Assistant Superintendent/Director

of Student Support Services

VISITORS:

AGENDA

- I. Call Subcommittee Meeting to order
- II. Acceptance of Minutes
 - A. November 10, 2015
- III. Public comment regarding items on the agenda
- IV. Items for action/Discussion
 - A. Curriculum review cycle
 - 1. Science & Technology/Engineering
 - 2. Digital Literacy & Computer Science
 - B. MA Math & ELA Frameworks
 - C. Assessment
 - 1. DDM Update
 - 2. PARCC/MCAS update
 - D. Goals/Future direction
 - E. Expanding membership
- V. Unfinished Business
- VI. Subcommittee correspondence
 - A. Agenda, March 8, 2016
 - B. Minutes, November 10, 2015
- VII. Adjourn

The mission of the Belchertown Public Schools is to ensure that every student meets with success every day. To that end, we pledge to ensure that we have rigorous, standards-based curriculum; instruction designed to meet the needs of diverse learners in every classroom; and access to the global learning community via state-of-the-art technology in schools that are communities of respect and civility for all.

The Belchertown Personnel & Policy Subcommittee conducts its business in open session pursuant to Chapter 30A, Section 21 of the Massachusetts General Laws. The public is welcome to comment only on items on the agenda for this meeting as noted above. If you wish to address the School Committee regarding an item not on the agenda for this meeting, please contact the Superintendent of Schools, at 413.323.0423 or via email at superintendent@belchertown.org to determine the best way to address your concerns.