

JOHNSON CREEK SCHOOL DISTRICT
CURRICULUM COMMITTEE MEETING
Wednesday, May 8, 2013
Elementary Principal's Office
9:00 a.m.

Chair Kellie Loeb called the meeting to order.

Members Present were: Kellie Loeb, Andrew Swanson, Carol O'Neil, Superintendent Michael Garvey, Principal Kris Blakeley, Principal Eric Ranzen (arrived 9:30) and Director of Teaching & Learning Lisa Krohn.

Motion by Swanson/Loeb to approve the agenda switching items 5 and 6. Motion carried.

Dr. Garvey and Mrs. Krohn presented the near-final version of the new curricular pathways and new course offerings at the Middle School/High School.

Mrs. Krohn shared the instructional changes proposed for the Middle School classes. Students will be in 90 minute blocks for the core areas. The Personnel Committee endorsed the addition of 2 additional teaching positions.

Motion by O'Neil/Swanson to recommend to the Board the curricular changes and the addition of two Middle School positions. Motion carried.

The Committee reviewed the policy changes.

Motion by Swanson/Loeb to recommend changes to:

- Policy 345.11 Add Laude recognition to replace class rank
- Policy 345.4 Replace current language with new K-8 and 9-12 promotion policy and eliminate 345.41
- Policy 345.41 Eliminate
- Policy 345.6 Update graduation requirements to current requirements for class of 2017 and beyond -
 - Increase Math requirements to 4 credits
 - Decrease Social Studies to 3 credits
 - Increase Science to 3 credits
 - The total required credits will remain at 27

AND:

“Beginning with the class of 2017, students will be required to participate in an exit interview and presentation. Students will also present evidence of completing a pre-approved community service project.”

- Policy 462 Add Laude recognition to replace Valedictorian and Salutatorian recognition

Motion carried.

Motion by Swanson/Loeb to adjourn. Motion carried.

Respectfully Submitted By:

Dr. Michael P. Garvey,
Superintendent