

Meeting Date: October 16, 2014

Members Present: Marybeth Slane, Ryan Dent, Micheal Hoffman, Michelle Newbanck, Kelly Wise, Jean Verrell

Protocols

Ryan Dent : Agenda

Micheal Hoffman: Minutes

Michelle Newbanck: Meeting Invites

Calendar of Meetings:

12/9/2104

3/9/2014

4/13/2014

Meetings will start at 2:45 at Instructional Services/ District Office.

Math Sub-Committee Goal

Professional development recommendations/ determine training needs for common core Student progression K-12 in the area of math skills.

Mission

To provide opportunities for all teachers to participate in the process of developing recommendations that support students learning mathematics.

Professional Development-CCSS

Ryan Dent is open to providing more training on Standards in Mathematical Practices based on several requests he has received from teachers and principals in the district. Cost is approximately \$5,000 per training. Three more Standards in Mathematical Practices trainings are recommended for this year. Teachers piloting the modules will train other teachers on how to use them.

Sharing of demystifying the common core standards

The standards do not dictate how teachers are supposed to teach. The gap between the teachers and the standards needs to be addresses. NCTM is the leader in the area of guiding teachers in teaching the standards. There are 8 teacher practices that all teachers should be using. Their document was recommended as the tool for evaluation.

Evaluation of pilot program

Teachers are piloting "Go Math" and "Math Modules" and are required to follow the state guild lines for adopting curriculum. Districts don't have to adopt any new curriculum but can continue to use their current materials and math modules. Math modules are meant to be a work in progress and be revised throughout their use.