

FRANKLIN TOWNSHIP PUBLIC SCHOOLS

MISSION STATEMENT

Franklin Township Public Schools embraces its diversity, fosters excellent educational innovation and empowers all students to achieve their highest potential.

CURRICULUM & INSTRUCTION COMMITTEE MEETING

June 12, 2023

Zoom Meeting, 6:00 PM

Committee Members Present: Dr. Michael Smith, Chair
Mr. Walter Jackson, Member
Dr. Dennis Hopkins, Member
Ms. Nancy LaCorte, Ex-Officio

District Staff Members Present: Dr. Daniel Loughran, Assistant Superintendent for C & I
Dr. John Ravally, Superintendent
Mr. Orvyl Wilson, Director of School Management and Student Advocacy
Mr. Craig Lewis, Teacher/Administrator Intern

New Business:

The committee discussed the following proposals for Board consideration:

- A motion to approve a memorandum of agreement between FTPS and Seton Hall's Project Acceleration Dual Enrollment Program in the following math courses: Pre-Calculus CEP, Honors Calculus, Statistics, AP Calculus AB, AP Calculus BC, and AP Statistics.
- A motion to approve acceptance of a Perkins Loan in the amount of \$19,902. These funds are used to support the district's Career and Technical Education programs.
- A motion to approve Road to Success program adjustments to begin in September 2023.
- A motion to approve the IXL platform for use in Grades 6-8 Math and ELA, beginning in September 2023.
- A motion to approve Sheltered Instruction training dates and costs for the 2023-2024 school year. This training helps teachers utilize protocols that help current and former English learners to access curriculum content and English learning objectives effectively.

The committee discussed the following items:

- RTS Program Adjustments, scheduled to begin in the 2023-2024 School Year.
- IXL Pilot Results. The committee reviewed teacher and student feedback following the springtime pilot of IXL.