

HAMPTON BOARD OF EDUCATION
HAMPTON, CT 06247
Program Review Committee
March 2, 2012
Meeting Minutes

Present for the Board: Mark Becker, Maryellen Donnelly, Susan Lovegreen

Also Present: Sam Roberson, Principal; April Basch, Ann Folan, Christine Milton, Linda Sanchini, Wendy Timberman Teachers; and Candace Morell, Parent. Alan Cahill was the only audience member.

1. Call to Order:

The meeting was called to order at 4:30 pm.

2. Audience for Staff/Citizens:

Alan Cahill asked about the creation of the survey and who was involved.

3. Review May 19, 2016 Minutes:

No changes were recommended

4. Student / parent survey from last year 4 / 5 and 5 / 6 configuration:

The results of the student surveys was overviewed. Alan's question was answered in such that the Program Review Committee members had worked together last year to compose the questions and the survey was given to the 4th / 5th and 5th / 6th grader students and parents. Discussion included creation of a new survey for this year's configuration with updated questions to clarify any that were found to be confusing last year. Mark took action to send the survey out to those present as well as a copy of the results.

5. Discussion of 2016/2017 fall program:

The fall schedule was reviewed. Some of this challenges with the schedule were discussed including the number of students in the combined grade five and six homeroom, the disruptions created during students' transitions, and the difficulty closing the divider between two rooms, which does not block noise. In addition the combined classes did not work well with the social studies curriculum.

6. Discussion of 2016/2017 current program:

The current schedule was reviewed. Several issues with the current program were identified including the reduced time for SRBI, the division of grade 5 and grade 6 into three different groups for social studies and science, and the reduced time for math and ELA in the grade 2 and grade 3 program due to the morning grade three teacher moving to grades five and six in the afternoon.

Discussion of 2017/2018 planning:

At the time of the March 2nd meeting, the plan for 2017/2018 was not reviewed.

7. Review Actions and Next Agenda Planning including Date and Time:

There was a request to discuss the student / parent survey at the next meeting. The program for the remainder of 2017 will be discussed as well as the 2017/2018 program planning. The next meeting will be in April.

8. Adjournment:

The meeting adjourned at 5:50 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Mark Becker
Hampton Board of Education