
Grapevine-Colleyville Independent School District

Board Information Item

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Consent

06/20/2022

Subject:

Curriculum Writing Update

Contact Person:

Dr. Brad Schnautz, Deputy Superintendent
Dr. Shiela Shiver, Executive Director of Leadership
Dr. Julie Leslie, Director of Advanced Academics

Policy/Code:

Board Goal:

Summary:

Staff will provide an update on the curriculum writing work.

Attachments:

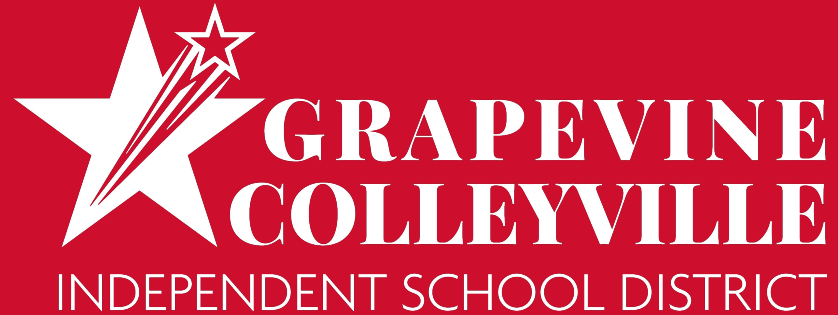
Curriculum Writing Update Presentation

Recommendation:

Action not required. This item is for information purposes only.

Curriculum Writing Update

June 20, 2022



Curriculum Revision Work

The Team

- ★ C&I Directors
- ★ Campus administrators
- ★ Instructional coaches
- ★ Digital learning coaches
- ★ Learning liaisons
- ★ Teachers



Curriculum Revision Work

The Work

- ★ Curriculum revision
 - Utilizing TEKS Resource System (TRS)
 - Will include teacher-facing documents that help them design their lessons (TEKS Clarifiers and Lesson Guides)
 - Re-establishing community-facing documents (Year at a Glance and unit summaries)

The Scope

- ★ Over 4,000 new curriculum documents created by August 2022



Curriculum Overview

Curriculum Includes:

- ★ Year-at-a-Glance (YAG):
 - Community/Parent Facing Item
- ★ Unit Guides
- ★ Lesson Guides
- ★ TEKS Clarifiers
- ★ Instructional Frameworks
- ★ Assessment Item Updates



Timeline

August

- ★ Year-at-a-Glance
- ★ Unit Guides
- ★ August PD will include information about new curriculum documents and how to use them



Future Work

2022-23

- ★ More unit and lesson guides
- ★ Assessments to include new item types from STAAR re-design
- ★ Community-facing documents

2023-24

- ★ Continued revision as new TEKS are implemented
- ★ Exemplar lessons
- ★ Continued work on updating assessments
- ★ Community-facing documents



Curriculum & Instruction



Curriculum Design

- Written
- Aligned
- Begins with TEKS / state standards
- Vocabulary
- Success criteria
- “Guaranteed and viable”



Current Curriculum Work

- Re-design our curriculum to include resources available in TEKS Resource System
 - Tightened alignment
 - Informs GCISD scope and sequence
 - Assessment items



Thank you

