

SOCIAL STUDIES STANDARDS REVIEW STEERING COMMITTEE

Saturday, March 27, 2021

9:00 a.m.

Minutes

The Social Studies Standards Review Steering Committee met on Saturday, March 27, 2021, in the Thomas Jefferson Room, located in the Claiborne Building in Baton Rouge, Louisiana. The meeting was called to order at 9:13 a.m. by Ms. Laurie Carlton, Committee Facilitator. Members present were Ms. Pat Arnould; Ms. Amanda Austin; Mr. Reginald J. Batiste, III; Ms. Belinda Cambre; Mr. Joseph David; Ms. Erin Greenwald; Mr. Woody Jenkins; Ms. Kira Orange Jones; Ms. Kayla Joseph; Mr. Aaron Jura; Ms. Samantha LaFleur; Ms. Julianne Louis; Ms. Nicole Means; Ms. Nikki C. Patterson; Ms. Chandra Phillips; Ms. Carla Powell; Ms. Eloise Pruitt; Ms. Lynn Walters-Rauenhorst; Ms. Lori Sebren; Ms. Crystal Stone; Ms. Ardala Wigman; Mr. Justin Winder; Dr. Danielle Williams; and Mr. Jason Willis.

Members not in attendance were Ms. Hope Bridger; Ms. Ashley Ellis; Dr. Susan Khan; and Ms. Emily Provencher.

Representing the LDE staff were _____.

Representing the Board staff was Ms. Shannon Rawson, who recorded the minutes.

Public comments were received from Ms. Kathy Louper and Mr. Brett Smith, concerned citizens.

Dr. Cade Brumley, State Superintendent of Education, provided a welcome and introductory presentation including LDE priorities and beliefs. **Agenda Item I**

1 On motion of Mr. David, seconded by Ms. Arnould, the Steering Committee received the overview of the standards revision process. **Agenda Item III**

2 On motion of Ms. Louis, seconded by Mr. David, the Steering Committee received information regarding inquiry standards and directed the workgroups to use an inquiry approach when creating standards. **Agenda Item IV**

Discussion followed.

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The Committee members recessed briefly at 10:37 a.m.

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Item V**

The Committee members reconvened at 10:50 a.m.

- 3 On motion of Ms. Powell, seconded by Ms. Louis, the Steering Committee received information regarding course progression.

**Agenda
Item VI**

Discussion followed.

- 4 On motion of Ms. Greenwell, seconded by Mr. David, the Steering Committee directed the workgroups to revise standards using the sample course progression, as presented by the LDE.

**Agenda
Item VI**

A roll call vote was taken.

Yeas: Mr. Batiste, III; Ms. Cambre; Mr. David; Ms. Greenwald; Ms. Jones; Ms. Joseph; Mr. Jura; Ms. LaFleur; Ms. Means; Ms. Patterson; Ms. Phillips; Ms. Powell; Ms. Pruitt; Ms. Walters-Rauenhorst; Ms. Stone; Dr. Williams; and Mr. Willis.

Nays: Ms. Austin; Mr. Jenkins; Ms. Louis; Ms. Sebren; Ms. Wigman; and Mr. Winder.

Abstentions: Ms. Arnould.

Absences: Ms. Bridger; Ms. Ellis; Dr. Khan; and Ms. Provencher.

The motion passed.

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Ms. Carlton, Committee Facilitator, reviewed information regarding next steps.

With no further business to come before the Social Studies Standards Review Steering Committee, the meeting was adjourned at 12:29 p.m.