

Olean City School District
Curriculum Committee Meeting
Thursday, January 4, 2024
4:00 pm
Board Room

Present:	Jen Kless Genelle Morris Mary Hirsch-Schena Michael Irizarry	Jen Mahar Kelly Keller Ricky Bee
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Olean Intermediate Middle School Program Grades 4-7

- English Language Arts (ELA)
 - Reading - foundation skills, spelling and comprehension
 - Writing - genre, grammar, handwriting
- Math
 - Fluency
 - Spirals created with Suusan Rothwell and Jilian Putnam
- Social Studies
 - Studies Weekly
 - PNW BOCES Social Studies ELA
 - NYS Social Studies Practices
 - Unifying Themes
- Science
 - CA BOCES Advancing STEM kits
 - Lab Aids kits
 - Science Studies Weekly
 - NYS required Science investigations
- Art, Music, Physical Education
 - Art
 - NYS Standards
 - Physical Education
 - Lifelong practices, healthy lifestyles, positive impact of physical activity
- World Language – grade 7
 - Spanish
 - French
- Health - grade 7
 - Mental health
 - Muscular, skeletal, nervous, cardiovascular, digestive, drug, alcohol, human sexuality, etc. systems
- Family & Consumer Science - grade 6
 - Nutrition, wellness
 - Financial literacy
 - Food production
 - Human development and relationships
 - Apparel and textile
 - Environment design and management

- Studies Skills and Geography
 - Study Skills: Organization, planning, time management, flexibility, attention, task
 - Geography: Five Themes of Geography
 - Research project
 - World Fair
- Social Emotional Learning
 - The Pirate Muster
 - Monthly character trait assemblies
 - Sports and extra-curricular
 - Student Activities Club
- Update on ELA Needs Assessment
 - Administrators and teachers
 - Timeline

Policy Review:

Policy #8210 – Safety Conditions and Prevention Instruction – adopt BOCES

Policy #8220 – Career and Technical (Occupational) Education – keep OCSD, update citations

Policy #8240 – Instruction in Certain Subjects – will further discuss at the next meeting

Policy #8241 – Patriotism, Citizenship, and Human Rights Education – adopt BOCES

Next meeting: Thursday, March 7, 2024 at 4:00 pm