

Curriculum Forum Committee
Agenda
February 22nd, 2010 3:30-5:00
Piedmont Middle School Multipurpose Room

I. Introductions

II. Review Goals of the Curriculum Forum Committee

1. Foster a K-12 perspective.
2. Build upon the role of each site council as key contributors to the curriculum review process.
3. Support a vision of academic growth and achievement that continues to support high academic standards.
4. Promote reflection and inquiry that supports student learning and continuous improvement.
5. Support engaging and communicating with the educational community.
6. Foster respect for the expertise and perspective of all participants (teachers, administrators, board members, parents, community members, and students).
7. Collect input, not decide.

III. Establish Meeting Norms

1. Norms of the Committee
2. Norms for Engaging other Attendees

IV. Overview of District English Language Arts Program and Student Data

1. Program Overview
2. Site Needs Assessments
3. STAR (District and Comparable Schools)
4. UC Analytical Writing Proficiency
5. SAT Verbal

V. Inquiry Brainstorm

1. What English Language Arts program and curriculum topics would the Curriculum Forum like to inquire about in the coming year?