Curriculum and Instruction Subcommittee Meeting Minutes 03/20/19

Attendees: Michelle Zawawi, Jim Blain, Patrick Brintle, Debra Dudack, Maureen Sattan, Jamie Drzyzga

I. Called to order at 5:05

II. Panorama Survey

a. Michelle Zawawi presented the options for our end of the year Panorama Survey. We can continue with the questions we have been using, modify our questions using the question bank or create our own questions. We have a contract at least through this coming school year but could consider switching to another survey modality beyond that time. We can also potentially create individual surveys for each school rather than using one for the entire district. The committee will evaluate our options.

III. Portrait of the Graduate

a. Patrick Brintle and Jim Blain presented the current graduation requirements for students and how those requirements will change beginning with the class of 2023 based on new state bill and CABE policy. We have choices of adopting the policy changes as is or infusing Suffield criteria into the requirements. Some of the larger changes include an increase in credit requirement and 1 credit in Mastery Based Diploma Assessment. Discussion included how to set requirements that meet the state standards while allowing for flexibility with a student's schedule so they can pursue their interests. Policy on graduation requirements will need to be adjusted to match the new state policy. Further discussion on policy will occur during the 04/01/19 Policy Sub-Committee meeting.

IV. Meeting Adjourned at 7:05