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January 23, 2012

DRAFT MINUTES CURRICULUM COMMITTEE

A Curriculum Committee meeting of the Vernon Board of Education was held at the Administration Building on Monday, January 23, 2012.

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 PM. Present when the meeting was called to order were Mrs. Laura Bush, Mr. Kyle Percy, and Ms. Michele Arn. Also present were Deborah Murasso, Jerry Griffin, Judy Latonie, Jill Goldberg, Jaya Vijayasekar, and Troy Hopkins (Superintendent Intern).

Assistant Superintendent Deborah Murasso provided a status report on the work to increase the achievement of every student through high quality curriculum, instruction, and assessment. Proposals to adopt revised curriculum; approve new courses, course changes, and course drops; and approve new text adoptions were discussed as follows:

- (1) In Applied Sciences,
 - Textbook Adoption: ***Introduction to Computer Programming*** (\$932.16 Carl Perkins)
 - Curriculum Adoption: ***Technology Education Grade 6***
- (2) In English/Language Arts,
 - New Course Adoption: ***Young Adult Literature II***
- (3) In Fine Arts,
 - Course Weight Change Adoption (***Foundations of Art Design I & II, Digital Art I & II, Music Theory, Basic Piano Keyboard, Intermediate Piano Keyboard, Marching Band/Color Guard I & II, Music Technology***)
 - Course Drop Proposal: ***Chorus I & II General***
 - Course Name Change Adoption: from Chorus I College/Honors to ***Rockville Vocalistas College/Honors***
 - Course Name Change Adoption: from Chorus II College/Honors to ***Rockville Vocal Motion College/Honors***
- (4) In Science,
 - New Course Adoption: ***ECE Biology***

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(5) In World Languages,

- New Textbook Adoption: **German II** (\$1905 LEA budget)

The meeting adjourned at 6:55 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Laura Bush
Secretary