



March 21, 2016

TO: Members of the Educational Evaluation Committee  
Town Clerk

**Minutes:**  
**Educational Evaluation Committee Meeting**  
**Tuesday, March 15, 2016, 5:15 p.m.**  
**Superintendent's Large Conference Room**

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Present: Colleen Rix, Dan Boisvert, Sandra Berardy, Carrie Baxter, MJ Dix, Laurie Pallin

1. The meeting was called to order at 5:16 p.m.
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Proposed Changes to Tyl Middle School Schedule-

M.J. Dix presented the current schedule with 43 minutes for each class and proposed replacing it with:

- 6 classes of 55 minutes in length
- 1 X block of 30 minutes

This would provide the instructional time required for the math program and would combine reading and writing into one course.

MJ also explained that we are exploring sending 8<sup>th</sup> grade students who are taking Algebra I to MHS for that class.

4. Proposed New Courses at Tyl Middle School  
M.J. described 3 courses proposed as new 20 day Exploratory courses
  - Developmental Guidance
  - Research
  - Enrichment

Carrie asked that we look into adding Study Skills into the curriculum for these new Exploratories

5. Adjournment  
Motion: To adjourn at 5: 55 p.m.  
Proposed by: Colleen Rix  
Seconded by: Dan Boisvert  
Vote: Carried unanimously (5-0)

Future Agenda Items:

- World Language beginning in grade 4
- Increase Tech Ed (e.g. Robotics)