



February 28, 2018

TO: Members of the Educational Evaluation Committee
Town Clerk

**Educational Evaluation Committee Meeting
Tuesday, February 27, 2018, 5:30 p.m.
Superintendent's Large Conference Room**

Present: Sandra Berardy, Dan Boisvert, Dana Ladyga, Colleen Rix, Laurie Pallin
Guests: None

1. The meeting was called to order at 5:29 p.m. by Dan Boisvert
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Creative Technology Course for K-5 Students:

- Laurie presented to the committee a plan to change one of the elementary "special" blocks from library to "Creative Technology." This class would meet for 45 minutes each week for grades K-5 and would strive to incorporate digital and media literacy skills and technology education standards. Students would be involved in coding, maker space and breaker space activities, and design thinking as well as specific computer skills. Board members were very supportive of the concept and asked for more information at the March meeting on models used in other schools (especially Plainville) and clearer explanation of specific ways in which creativity would be fostered.

4. Future Agenda Items
 - Summer Reading Books
 - Continued discussion of Creative Technology Curriculum

5. Adjournment
 - Motion to Adjourn at 5:55pm
 - Proposed by:** Sandra Berardy
 - Seconded by:** Colleen Rix
 - Vote: All in Favor Carried: (vote 4-0)**