Curriculum, Instruction and Assessment May 17, 2022 board meeting report.

- An ESSER I, II and III spending report has been submitted to KDE through GMAP. This report meets federal government requirements. The district will continue to complete this report each year for the remainder of the funding. The addition of a full time CFO will make this work much more efficient. Having to complete GMAP without constant consultation with a CFO has been very difficult. GMAP and MUNIS must match. In other words, once we send in a plan through GMAP then our spending records in MUNIS need to match the plan. The new working relationship between the federal programs coordinator and chief financial officer will greatly enhance the effectiveness and efficiency of how we manage federal grants. We appreciate the BoE for making this possible! This single action will pay dividends for years to come.
- The district is in the middle of the Kentucky Summative Assessments, KSA, (formerly known as KPREP). We depend heavily on technology during state testing. Fortunately, our technology department has been up to the task and testing has been smooth. All technology personnel have been on site and have successfully resolved all issues.
- We have included a draft copy of the District Professional Development Plan. This is for your information. Our goal is to provide good information to you, our staff and the community. Sharing information will allow the BoE and the community to better support our district. We will post this plan online and distribute it to district staff after the plan has been reviewed, revised and edited. Hopefully, before the end of May. Principals are encouraging staff to attend summer professional development opportunities that are aligned with district goals. These opportunities are above and beyond the required 24 hours of PD.
- We are also providing a draft of our revised Certified Evaluation Plan. The 50/50 Committee has been focused on making our CEP more effective and user friendly. All forms are linked into the electronic document. The district is using Vector Solutions Evaluations + to manage certified and classified evaluations. This program will also help the district manage professional development documentation. This year was our first year and we experienced many bumps in the road. We are working out the bumps and plan to have a much improved process in place for the 2023 school year. The committee will meet on May 31st to vote on final approval and you can expect to see this on June agenda for BoE approval.
- We have developed a timeline for building a quality local ELA curriculum. Principals are currently
 nominating team members. Our goal is to have a representative from each grade level and an
 administrator from each school. We will build a completely integrated philosophy of learning
 that is aligned from Kindergarten to grade 12. This work will take at least a year to complete.
- Summer school plans are coming together. It will not be on the same scale as last year.
 Principals, teachers and other support staff are developing schedules and activities. We will continue to offer ESL Summer Camp as a part of ESS. It is a separate initiative but it also qualifies as an ESS activity. Our ESL students and families have greatly benefited from all the efforts of our ESL team. Data trends are showing improved student achievement.