

River Valley School Board – Policy Committee Meeting

Committee: Policy Date: Sept 8, 2020 Meeting Time: 5:00 pm Adjourn Time: 6:00
 Present: Kathy Jennings, Deb Nelson, Fred Iausly, Kiley Cates, Loren Glassbrenner

Agenda Item	Motion	2 nd	Discussion
Approval of minutes from Aug 3 and Aug 10, 2020	Deb	Kiley	Approved.
728 Mask Policy	Deb	Fred	<p>Policy will be on the agenda every month to address concerns or changes necessary. Dr. Furukawa put forth the idea of having an oversight group or compliance review group that would tour the campus each month to see how the social distancing, mask/face coverings, handwashing and outdoor use practices are going. The group could include a Board member, school nurse, Dr. Furukawa, principal and/or District Administrator. The consensus of the committee is this is a good idea. Loren Glassbrenner will put together a schedule to start doing a monthly walk thru with this group.</p> <p>Recommend to bring this language to the Board for a 2nd reading (skip the 1st reading). Revised language to more closely match the Governor’s order, and not allow students, employees, visitors and volunteers to un-mask when they feel they are socially distanced. The intent of RV’s policy is to be masked when indoors, and the policy points out exceptions (e.g. eating/drinking).</p>
411.1 Bullying/Harassment	Fred	Kathy	<p>Recommend to bring this language to the Board for a 2nd reading (skip the 1st reading).</p> <p>The District’s lawyer helped insert language into the policy to address “hate speech, which includes the use of language, behavior or images/symbols that express prejudice.</p>
751 Student Transportation Services	Kiley	Deb	<p>Recommend to bring this language to the Board for a 1st reading.</p> <p>Bus duties will be the responsibility of the District Administrator, not the Business Manager.</p>
431 Student Attendance	Kathy	Fred	<p>Recommend to bring this language to the Board for a 1st reading.</p> <p>Removed 1st paragraph, but did not change what the policy covers. The committee reviewed this policy to see if language would need to be updated to cover situations/education during Covid19. Loren Glassbrenner informed the committee that the waivers to the DPI will cover the different scenarios due to Covid19, and we do not need to adjust out regular policies.</p>

<p>110 Educational Policy Philosophy and Goals 210 Administration Goals 310 Educational Outcome Goals and Expectations 410 Student Policies Goals 510 Personnel Policies Goals 610 Fiscal Management Goals 710 Support Services Goals</p>			<p>Recommend to bring this language to the Board for a 1st reading.</p> <p>These policies have a lot more philosophy than actual policy. The committee recommends renaming Policy 110, and combining some of the statements and belief statment into just 1 policy, instead of so many policies.</p>
<p>Adjourn</p>	<p>Deb</p>	<p>Kiley</p>	<p>Next meeting scheduled for Oct 5, 2020 at 5:00.</p>