

**Stonington Public Schools  
Board of Education  
Teaching & Learning Committee  
April 23, 2015 Agenda - Minutes  
Stonington High School LMC  
6:00 PM**

I. Call to Order -  
Present:

II. Approval of March 23, 2015 Minutes

III. Discussion:

- A. Purpose of the Teaching & Learning Committee
- B. Function of the Teaching & Learning Committee

- Essential questions guiding committee discussion:
  - How do we measure (student) success?  
As a BOE committee, how can we shape the learning environment to positively impact learning outcomes?
  - How will we know when we are effective?

C. *Topics/ items relevant to the essential questions include but not limited to:*

- The Common Core Standards
- Curriculum Revision cycle
  - a) Assessment updates
    - (1) **2015 Smarter Balanced Assessment preparations**
- Program Evaluations
- Special topics:
- Other :
  - a) **Next Generation Science Standards (tentative June BOE)**
  - b) **Elementary Grade Re-configuration update (Tentative MAY BOE)**
    - (1) **K-4 Administration initial meeting April 7th**
  - c) **Elementary Report Card Revision update (tentative June BOE)**
    - (1) **Parent survey sent out via Survey Monkey, March 31 (closing April 10)**
    - (2) **Next meeting, April 27th**
  - d) **other BOE presentations:**
    - (1) **Teacher & Admin 2015-2016 Evaluation Plan (May BOE pending a state approved plan)**
    - (2) **Social Studies Curriculum (tentative May BOE)**

**April 23, 2015 BOE meeting reporter: Terry Stefanski**

IV. Adjournment:

**Next meeting: May 28, 2015 STONINGTON HIGH SCHOOL**

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