

Physical Education Curriculum Revision Meeting

Dec. 16, 2013

Kenai Pubic Library Conference Room

9:00 – 3:30

Present: Gretchen Bagley, K-Beach El.; Keri Syth, West Homer El., Lisa Juliussen, Soldotna EL.; Mark Fraad, Seward El.; Melissa Linton, KPBSD; Carolyn Hitzler, KPBSD; Richard Kelso, Nikiski North Star; Matt Fisher, SMS; Ted Ridall, Nikiski MS/HS; Bill Withrow, Redoubt El.; Sylvia Reynolds, Community Member

Agenda:

Revise Focus Statements for grade levels

Review format for curriculum document

Identify resources to be included in the curriculum guide

Modify basic equipment lists for cross-fit/SST and SPARK programs

Make recommendations for PD for the following year

Review K-5 Standards Referenced Report Card Scale

Minutes:

During the morning the committee revised focus statements for Elementary and Secondary Curriculum Documents.

We reviewed sample formats for the curriculum and choose to blend the format and resources section from the 2005 Curriculum Document with the standards of the 2010 document. Melissa will draft the rest of the curriculum using the notes from previous meetings.

PE teachers review the supply catalog for the purchase of equipment. This basic catalog will be distributed to teacher/administrators.

We discussed the addition of common assessments for the 6 National PE standards and will continue to discuss this during meeting in January and February.

The committee suggests professional development opportunities be offered to all PE teacher in the district – especially SPARK and SST and Crossfit training. On January 22, the PE teachers will have the opportunity to communicate with each other remotely. It has been suggested that they discuss the curriculum revision, share what programs they are using and brainstorm ideas for professional development, support to non-certified PE teachers. It might also be helpful to review the supply list together if there is time. The high school teachers have offered to have others come and learn about the SST program.

In February, there is an opportunity again for PE teachers to come together and meet. This agenda will be partially developed at the January meeting depending on the needs of the teachers attending. Location has not yet been determined.

K-5 teachers discussed the history of the 2013 standards referenced scoring rubric. Adding a score for specific standards was discussed, but there was apprehension about adding another score due to the fact the assessments were not in place, nor is every PE teacher certified. However, in the future, with the development of Common Formative

Assessments, they would like to revisit the report card reporting with Dr. Ermold. The committee recommended to keep the scoring descriptors as is until CFA were developed.

Next steps:

Melissa Linton will continue working on the formatting and send to the committee in the first week of January, if not sooner.

Committee will continue to add resources and suggested activities that align with the curriculum.

Next meeting will be held on January 22, 2014. This is remote meeting held on the early release day.

February 21 is the tentative date for the district PE collaboration meeting. Location and time TBA