

February 11, 2015

MEMBERS PRESENT OTHER BOARD MEMBERS AND ADMINISTRATORS PRESENT

John Gannac, Chairman, Governor, Dr. David Holtzman
Kelly Unger, Member, James Duffy, Dr. David Bolton
John Walsh, Member, Paul Gannac, Dr. Nancy Grayson
Geri McMullin

Name:

study. These items may be presented to the public if the items require school board approval.

PREVIOUS MEETING NOTES

There were no changes.

presented the course of study for the Study Abroad France executive course. Approved students will

The estimated cost of Study Abroad is approximately \$4100 and students will receive

process and these students must be enrolled in French class. Students will be selected for Study Abroad

accommodations. Travel is planned for July 25 to August 2, 2016. Students in the course will meet for

four months prior to departure and will also present their final project in September 2016. Board

...cancellations due to world events. Dr. Silveira and Mr. ... explained that if world events created a ... insurance would cover other kinds of contributions. This course was recommended by the committee for approval by the Board at a future meeting.

DDE Requirements for DSSA / Kentucky Evaluations—Deed Deltz provided an NCLD and State testing update, specifically addressing its mandates for students who are not assessed. Parents may request to

...parents must write a letter to the Superintendent stating the request for evaluation due to religious belief, they must write a letter to the Superintendent stating the request for evaluation due to conflict with their religious beliefs. A Board member asked for clarification as to how the test could be in conflict with religious beliefs.

If parents submit a child out of Kentucky where the resident based assessment must be completed.

Elementary Reading Instruction Using iPads—Mr. Paul Beltz, district Reading Supervisor, presented

Mr. Beltz commented that all elementary grades kindergarten through second will have four students

Superintendent Student Advisory where he shared results of the PA Youth Survey. Students talked about the stress they feel coming from getting into “first tier” colleges and from themselves not feeling satisfied with their personal best rather than “the best”.

Dr. Weitzel also reported that Board meetings will be streamed live as well as podcasted.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The next scheduled meeting is March 11, 2015.