Dr. Davidheiser explained the two new course offerings that are being proposed Integrated Technology and Innovation and Creativity. If the schedule change is approved these new courses would be brought to the Curriculum Committee for approval but Dr. Davidheiser gave a description of each course. The Innovation and Creativity (InC) course would be a hands-on course that includes problem-based activities that will create exposure for the students to different career pathways and would follow the PA Academic Standards for Career and Work. The Integrated Technology course would be a project-based course that will enhance and digital citizenship using the Microsoft platform and would follow the Central Bucks Technology Standards.

Board members asked clarifying questions about specials and the option to elect a course. Dr. Davidheiser explained that the committee felt at the middle level exposure is more valuable than choice.

Mr. Schloeffel asked about the Innovation and Creativity course and questioned the career standards. Dr. Davidheiser explained that the hope is to expose students to different careers options and work with community experts. D000912064.55 Tm

writing is quite often completed over the summer months, so this would not be anything new for our teachers or supervisors.

Mrs. Darcy attended many of the middle school meetings and want to thank Dr. Davidheiser for his work and the work of the committee. Mrs. Darcy stated that the process was impressive, through and as a non-educator you provided so much information that I now feel more aware of middle school. Addressing the social emotional needs of our students was