

**Brunswick School Department**

**Content Area Review Cycle**

| Content Area                     | Phase 1<br>Research &<br>Review | Phase 2<br>Address | Phase 3<br>Implement &<br>Monitor |
|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------------|
| English Language Arts<br>Writing |                                 |                    | 2011-2012                         |
| English Language Arts<br>Reading | 2011-2012                       | 2012-2013          | 2013-2014                         |
| Health                           | 2011-2012                       | 2012-2013          | 2013-2014                         |
| Guidance                         | 2011-2012                       | 2012-2013          | 2013-2014                         |
| PE                               | 2011-2012                       | 2012-2013          | 2013-2014                         |
| Mathematics                      |                                 |                    | 2011-2012                         |
| Science                          |                                 |                    | 2011-2012                         |
| Music                            | 2012-2013                       | 2013-2014          | 2014-2015                         |
| Social Studies                   | 2012-2013                       | 2013-2014          | 2014-2015                         |
| Art                              | 2012-2013                       | 2013-2014          | 2014-2015                         |
| Foreign Language                 | 2012-2013                       | 2013-2014          | 2013-2014                         |

**Establish Content Area Committee:**

Prior to year 1 a content area committee comprised of a cross section of K-12 teachers will convene. Committee members will serve up to a four year term. Committee size will not exceed 14 members.

**Process:**

**Phase 1: Research, Review, and Recommend:**

How does what we are doing now correlate with the research?  
The content area committee will look at student data, current curriculum, research, and resources. This committee will recommend curriculum revisions and resources.

**Phase 2: Address Recommendations – What budgetary considerations are needed to address the recommendations of the content area committee?**

What professional development offerings are needed to support curriculum shifts?  
The content area committee will present curriculum revisions and budget considerations to the school board for approval and adoption.

**Phase 3: Implement & Monitor – What does the revised curriculum look like in the classroom and how is it working? This phase will last no longer than two years.**

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