Brunswick School Department Content Area Review Cycle

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Content Area	Phase 1	Phase 2	Phase 3
	Research &	Address	Implement &
	Review		Monitor
English Language Arts	2009-2010	2010-2011	2011-2012
Health	2010-2011	2011-2012	2012-2013
Mathematics	2009-2010	2010-2011	2011-2012
Science	2009-2010	2010-2011	2011-2012
Music	2011-2012	2012-2013	2013-2014
Social Studies	2010-2011	2011-2012	2012-2013
PE	2010-2011	2011-2012	2012-2013
Art	2011-2012	2012-2013	2013-2014
Foreign Language	2011-2012	2012-2013	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.