

**ARLINGTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS**  
School Board Policy Subcommittee Meeting  
May 12, 2020

**Item C-1-a**

The Arlington School Board convened on Tuesday, May 12, 2020, at 2:04 PM. This meeting was held by electronic communications due to the Covid-19 Pandemic emergency, using Microsoft Teams.

**Present were:**

Tannia Talento, Member  
Barbara Kanninen, Member  
Nancy Van Doren, Member

**Also present were:**

Julia Burgos, Chief of Staff  
Bridget Loft, Assistant Superintendent, Teaching & Learning

The meeting was called to order at 2:04 PM.

The subcommittee discussed the newly proposed Policy E-5.1.2 School Start Times, as well as the accompanying policy implementation procedure that has been drafted. The group also continued discussion of the following policies, sharing some feedback. It was acknowledged that there is a need for a more in-depth statement of purpose for each of the policies, with more clarity on why the policies are being implemented.

I-7.2.5.30 Prevention, Intervention and Remediation  
I – 7.2.9.30 Program Differentiation  
    PIP-1 Program Differentiation (with destination notes)  
I – 11.5.2.31 Student Acceleration Opportunities  
    Proposed New PIP I-11.5.2 PIP-1 Acceleration  
I-1.34 Early Childhood Preschool Programs  
    PIP-1 Early Childhood Preschool Programs  
    PIP-2 Underage Grade One Placement  
I-7.2.8 Instructional Delivery  
    PIP-1 Alternative Delivery of Instruction  
    PIP-2 Virtual Instruction

In closing, the group briefly discussed next steps for the Policy Review Team and the Policy subcommittee, and agreed that the June meeting would focus on the structure and work of these two groups going forward.

The meeting adjourned at 3:32 PM.

**ATTEST:**

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Melanie Elliott, Clerk  
Arlington School Board

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Tannia Talento, Chair  
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