

# HULL PUBLIC SCHOOLS

## Professional Development Overview 2019-2020

Curriculum and Instruction		
Description	Participants	Timeline
<b>AP Calculus Institute at Bridgewater State University</b>	Samantha Kaplan	Three days, Summer 2019
<b>New grade 8 Civics curriculum map</b>	Siobhan Gearty & Brian Mullen	July 2019 three days; Ongoing during school year
<b>Update Science curriculum Maps as shift is made to STEMscopes in grades 6-8</b>	John Whittle, Joanna Frazier, Heather Weber	August 21 and 22 2019
<b>Grades 5-8 ELA articulation</b>	Lauren Lombardi, Meg King, Siobhan Gearty, Jennifer Reardon, Lisa Dillon	August 5 and 12 2019
<b>Cultural Proficiency with Dr. Kalise Wornum</b>	PreK- grade 12 staff	August 29, 2019 8:00am-11:00am
<b>Continue to update/revise curriculum maps to include opportunities for diversity, personalized learning, and real world connections to prepare for NEASC; Unpack MCAS data and incorporate strategies into action plans</b>	Grade 9-12 teachers; MCAS content subject teachers	Ongoing during school year Early release days Principal hours
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<b>MCAS analysis and action plans facilitated by Christine Cappadona and Mary Merrigan</b>	Grade K-5 teachers	Grade 3: Oct 7, 2019 Grades 4 & 5 Math and Science: Oct 15, 2019 Grades 4 & 5 ELA: Oct 21, 2019 Grades K-2: Date TBD
<b>Early Literacy curriculum maps</b> <b>ELA Curriculum maps</b> <b>Science curriculum maps</b> <b>Math Curriculum maps</b> <b>All maps to include opportunities for diversity, personalized learning, and real world connections</b>	PreK-2 teachers Grades 3-5 Grades 4-5 Grades 4-5	Ongoing during school year Principal hours Early release days Hours during school day
<b>Teachers meet in Professional Learning Communities to investigate a problem of practice</b>	Grade 6-12 teachers	Ongoing during school year within the school day

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<b>Elementary Phonemic Awareness</b>	Speech and Language Pathologists Speech and Language Assistant Preschool Teachers TBL teacher K-2 Kindergarten teachers First grade teachers Reading specialists Kristin Smith	October 8, 2019 3:00pm – 4:00pm Ongoing during school year Principal hours
<b>Math Intervention program in special education and K-1 facilitated by Dr. Christine Moynihan</b>	K-8 Special Education teachers and K-1 teachers	September 27, 2019 Half day session for each grade span
<b>Math K-1 lesson design, math games, assessing students, increasing engagement, math journals, and challenging higher level students, facilitated by Dr. Christine Moynihan</b>	K-1 teachers	October 4, 2019
<b>Math articulation facilitated by Dr. Christine Moynihan</b>	Grades 4-8 and grades 9-12 math teachers	November 1, 2019 Half day session for each grade span
<b>Continue implementation of Botkins Lifeskills curriculum in grades 6-8 and Lets Talk About It workshop series for students</b>	Middle School Physical Education teacher	Ongoing during school year
<b>Creating an Arts Spirit</b>	K-12 Music Teachers	October 11, 2019 Foxboro High School
<b>Music, art, and physical/health education vertical collaboration</b>	K-12 music, art, and physical/health education teachers	Early release days
<b>Annual Massachusetts Reading Association Conference</b>	Reading Specialists	April 2 & 3 2020

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Technology		
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Google Docs 101 and Intermediate facilitated by Greg Kolowski	25 participants	June 18, 2019
MassCUE Conference Empowering Teaching and Learning		October 2019
EdPrivacy to ensure software and websites for students are compliant with the Children's Online Privacy Protection Act (COPPA), FERPA, and other student data privacy regulations		Ongoing during school year
One to One Chromebook Platform	Grades 9-11	Ongoing during the school year
One to One iPad Platform	Grades 6-8	Ongoing during the school year
Chromebook carts	Jacobs elementary staff	Ongoing during school year
G Suite for Education to expand student's use of digital skills and improve their collaboration skills		Ongoing during the school year

Safe Supportive School Climate		
Description	Participants	Timeline
Training in the implementation of Dovetail TOOLBOX which supports children in understanding and managing their social-emotional learning	PreK-grade 5 teachers and specialists	October 8, 2019 1:10pm - 3:00pm Implementation during school year
Social-Emotional Learning in the Classroom book study facilitated by author Jane Hardin	PreK-grade 12 paraprofessionals	October 8, 2019 Early Release March 11, 2020 Early Release March 18, 2020 Early Release May 18, 2020 Early Release

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<b>Calm classroom training on strategies that promote self awareness, emotional resilience, and mental focus</b>	New teachers	August 21, 2019
<b>Student intervention meetings facilitated by Mary Merrigan to maintain a responsive tiered system of support</b>	Grades K-8 staff	Ongoing during the school year
<b>Building based student assistance team weekly meetings</b>	Attended by leadership, nurse, school psychologist, adjustment counselor, guidance counselor	Weekly during the school year
<b>Crisis Prevention Intervention Training facilitated by Katie Perniola</b>	PreK-12 paraprofessionals and members of building crisis teams	Trainings for new staff September 13, 2019 Crisis teams by buildings
<b>Annual bullying prevention and special education training for school bus drivers and van drivers facilitated by adjustment counselors</b>	School bus drivers and van drivers	Fall 2019
<b>School Resource Officer</b>	Teachers, students, families, and administration	Daily availability
<b>Review procedures and protocols annually</b>	Building crisis teams	Start of school year in each building
<b>Update of building emergency and crisis management manuals</b>	Reviewed with staff by principals	Start of school year

Special Education/Regular Education/English Learner Education		
Effective schooling for students with disabilities and instruction of students with diverse and challenging learning styles		
Description	Participants	Timeline
<b>Memorial School Team Based Learning Program (TBL) WAVES collaboration and planning for new adjustment counselor positions; Waves and TBL collaboration with BCBA and clinical psychologist</b>	Sarah DelVecchio and Hannah Dillis	Two days, August 2019; ongoing during the school year
<b>Collaboration and planning for new adjustment counselor position; TBL collaboration with BCBA and clinical psychologist</b>	Elizabeth Sypek, Amanda Remmel, Joanne Pearson, Jenny Sheflin, Maureen Rosenplanter, & BCBA Dylan Hall	August 14 & 15 2019; ongoing during school year
<b>English Language learners low-incidence meeting focused on instructional strategies and curriculum</b>	Staff and ELL Teacher Fran Maloney	October 2019

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<b>Building based special education meetings to support individual students and programs</b>	Program staff, Assistant Superintendent, and building leadership	Ongoing during the school year
<b>Observation of Weymouth High School's alternative learning program</b>	Team Based Learning, Satellite, and TIDES special education teachers and paraprofessionals	October 8, 2019 Early Release
<b>Training in assessment and report writing facilitated by Dr. Turk</b>	PreK-grade 12 Psychologists	October 8, 2019 Early Release
<b>IEP Boot camp: Using data to Improve Teaching and Learning</b>	Assistant Superintendent	South Shore Educational Collaborative October 9 & 10 2019 November 7 & 8 2019
<b>Instructional Strategies for the Special Education Paraprofessional in the General Education Setting</b>	A paraprofessional and special education teacher from each building and Assistant Superintendent	North River Collaborative November 5, 2019
<b>Access to coaching with board-certified behavior analyst for implementation of behavior intervention plans and strategies to assist with classroom management</b>	K-8 special education teachers, content teachers, paraprofessionals and service providers	Ongoing during the school year
<b>District-wide 504 collaboration</b>	Adjustment counselors and guidance counselors	Ongoing during the school year
<b>School Mental Health Harvard Medical School</b>	School Adjustment Counselors and School Psychologists	Winter 2020
<b>Collaboration to coordinate services of special education students</b>	Jacobs teachers and special education teachers	Ongoing during the school day
<b>K-5 reading data collection, analysis of data, and recommendations made for reading intervention services</b>	Instructional coach, principals, assistant principals, and Assistant Superintendent	Ongoing during the school year
<b>Collaboration on evaluations, team meeting procedures, and case management</b>	District-wide school psychologists and Assistant Superintendent	Monthly during the school year

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Medicaid Billing	PreK-12 Nurses	October 8, 2019

Induction Programs		
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Superintendents Induction/Mentor Program Year Three	Superintendent Devine	Ongoing during the school year
<b>Staff Induction Program</b> 1. Superintendent Welcome 2. Overview of mentor program 3. Classroom management 4. Bus tour of Hull 5. Lunch at Jake's Seafood 6. Meeting the diverse needs of students 7. Calm Classroom 8. Aspen 9. Special education 10. Teacher evaluation tool 11. Challenges of new teachers 12. Time with principals 13. Time with mentors 14. Social-Emotional Learning	New Teachers and Mentors	August 20-22 2019

**Leadership Retreats**

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Leadership Retreat	Leadership Team	June 19 & 20 2019
School Committee and Administration Retreat	School Committee and Leadership Team	August 19, 2019