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To: Board of Education
Kristin Swann, Superintendent of Schools
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From: Jonathan P. Saltzberg

Date: June 2, 2022

Re: First Reading of Policy 8440-Homework

Please find attached to this memo proposed revisions to Policy 8440. These policy changes appeared before the board on May 24th during a presentation regarding the homework committee. Based on the presentation and work of the committee the instruction office recommends you adopt the revisions to the policy.

Please do not hesitate to contact me or Mr. Zinkiewich with any additional questions you may have as you review the policy.

Enc: Policy 8440

Our Mission is to educate and inspire each student to love learning, pursue excellence and use knowledge, skills and attitudes to contribute respectfully and confidently to an ever-changing global community.

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Instruction

SUBJECT: HOMEWORK

The Board of Education acknowledges the educational value of homework as an adjunct to and extension of the instructional program of the schools. Homework affords the opportunity for reinforcement of important learning through meaningful work assigned as independent practice. For the purposes of this policy, “homework” shall refer to those assignments to be prepared completed by the student outside of the class school or independently while in attendance at school. Important learning is reinforced when students complete meaningful work as independent practice. Homework provides teachers valuable information regarding where students may need additional assistance.

Adopted: 6/22/99

Reviewed: TBD