

**THREE VILLAGE CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
Setauket, New York**

BOARD OF EDUCATION AGENDA MATERIALS

DATE OF BOARD MEETING: JUNE 14, 2017

DATE MATERIAL SUBMITTED 06/09/17

OFFICE OF ORIGIN: Educational Services

CATEGORY OF ITEM: Action

TITLE: Course Proposal and Name Change

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

Accept the changes.

BACKGROUND RATIONALE:

The attached report has been reviewed by the Curriculum Development Council with recommendations for additions/revisions for the 2017-2018 school year.

NOT AN OFFICIAL RECORD; SUBJECT TO CHANGE

THREE VILLAGE CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
 Office of Educational Services
 Course Name Change Request for 2017-2018

Dept.	Grade	Level	Original Name	New Name	Rationale	Chairperson	CDC Approved
English	9	Elective	Public Speaking (proposed)	Introduction to Public Speaking	<p>Students will learn how to plan, research, compose, practice and deliver a variety of speeches in order to strengthen their public speaking and articulation ability.</p> <p>Students will study famous speakers and evaluate their styles of speaking. As part of learning the process of effective communication, students will study and use drama, debate, mass media, and technology to enhance their verbal and non-verbal communication skills.</p>	Cadolino/Duffy	Yes



OFFICE OF EDUCATIONAL SERVICES

**New Course Proposal Form
2017-18**

Department:English **Sponsor/Presenter:** Cathy Duffy/Joanna Cadolino **School:** Murphy & Gelinas

New/Revised Grade Level(s) Difficulty Level	Name/Description/Length	Additional Staffing Required	Material Cost See # 3	Curriculum Project Needed?	NCAA Application to be filed?
(Check one) <input type="checkbox"/> NYSED required <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Elective <input type="checkbox"/> Revision	Introduction to Public Speaking/Semester Course	(Check one) <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO		(Check one) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	(Check one) <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO
Grade Level(s) 9		If so, # of FTE(s)			
Difficulty Level (Regents/Honors/ AP): Regents					

1. Rationale for request: Both Murphy and Gelinas Junior High Schools surveyed the student body to discover what English Language Arts elective they would like to see added as part of the course offerings. Public Speaking overwhelmingly proved to be a popular choice among the students. Additionally, the new Standards call for increased attention to public speaking and the art of argument. We believe this course will be both popular and yield successful results for our students.

2. Course description as it will appear in the course catalog: (include course objectives, pre-requisite, level, major activities and student requirements).

Introduction to Public Speaking is an elective course students can take in grade 9. In this class, students will learn how to plan, research, compose, practice and deliver a variety of speeches in order to strengthen their public speaking and articulation ability. Students will study famous speakers and evaluate their styles of

speaking. As part of learning the process of effective communication, students will study and use drama, debate, mass media, and technology to enhance their verbal and non-verbal communication skills.

There are no pre-requisites for this course.

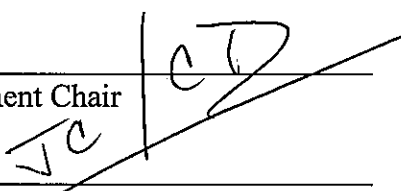
3. Estimated material costs

Materials Needed	Quantity Needed	Estimate Cost Per Item	Total Cost	Budget Code Responsibility
Textbooks	N/A			District
CDs/Software, etc.	N/A			District
Supplies	N/A			Building/Dept.
Equipment	N/A			Building/Dept.
Other				Building/Dept.

(All applicable signatures must be recorded below)

Submitted by: Catherine Duffy and Joanna Cadolino

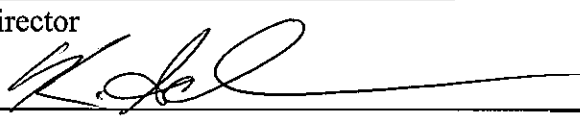
Approved by:

 Department Chair 

 Date

 Principal

 Date

 Director 
 Assistant Superintendent for Educational Services

 Date 6/7/17
 Date

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 KEVIN SCANLON, ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT FOR EDUCATIONAL SERVICES,
 AT THE NORTH COUNTRY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING
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Please keep a copy of this proposal for your files.