

Newtown Public Schools
Instruction and Technology Subcommittee Meeting
July 1, 2020
9:00am

In attendance by video conference: Anne Uberti, Frank Purcaro, John Vouros, Carmella Amodeo, Michelle Hiscavich, Tracy Galassi, Allyson Story, Induk Song, Suzanne Hurley, Andrew San Angleo

I. Review Plan Action Steps

The following areas were discussed by the subcommittee:
Three types learning modes that need to be included in the Re-Entry Plan
The primary method of instruction for teachers with students out to start the year
Synchronous versus Asynchronous learning strategies

II. Review Resources and Data

Review and revisit staff, student, and parent survey results
Review Governor's plan for reopening schools: Adapt, Advance, Achieve
Review the specific requirements for Academics and Remote Learning as outlined in the plan

III. Outline Specific Ideas & Non-Negotiables

Increasing live interactions/teaching under a revised distance learning plan.
Integrating more structure into the remote learning daily schedule combined with more accountability for both teacher and students.
The use of different modalities of learning during the period of distance learning

IV. Roundtable

10:01 Meeting Adjourned