



BURBANK
UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI) Committee Update

February 4, 2021

ENGAGEMENT UPDATE

- Developing a definition for engagement and goals for the remainder of the year.
 - Beginning the process to reach out to students to hear about how they want to engage with the DEI committee
 - Reaching out to PTA DEI committees to collect best practices
 - Continue to update DEI website to share resources and information <https://www.burbankusd.org/dei>
 - Nominate a Diversity Champion <https://www.burbankusd.org/Page/2971>

POLICY UPDATE

- The subcommittee completed the process of making suggestions and addressing concerns at it pertains to Board Policy on Instructional Materials.
- We are currently working through the Administrative Regulations for Instructional Materials.

INSTRUCTION UPDATE

- The committee is waiting on the expected approval of the Ethnic Studies framework in March.
- The committee has been updated on the progress of the curriculum work at elementary, which is being done by grade level teams.
- The committee has been updated on the progress of the work to revise the instructional material selection criteria with an equity lens.

SOCIAL EMOTIONAL UPDATE

- Resources have been identified and posted on the District's website
- An Social Emotional Learning (SEL) booklist for students, staff, and parents is posted on the website (the booklist been provided to the Burbank for Armenia group that is doing a library book donation drive in March)
- The subcommittee is going to contribute some suggested questions to the school satisfaction survey
- The Committee has accomplished its current tasks



Questions?