Tredyffrin/Easttown School District

Middle School Advisory Committee Meeting

5/25/23

The Middle School Advisory Committee met on May 23, 2023. The committee's goal for the meeting was to review and provide suggestions for the UNIT/E Program that was implemented at the middle schools during the 2022-2023 school year.

The meeting began with introductions and a review of the UNIT/E Program. The review and subsequent discussions were led by Dr. Phillips, Principal at T/E Middle School, Mr. Gibson, Principal at Valley Forge Middle School, and Mr. Cataldi, the Director of Accountability and Assessment for the T/E School District. After the review, a discussion of the program's strengths were shared by teachers, parents and other committee members. Among the strengths of the programs that were discussed were: strong team building activities, work in small groups, blending different grade levels together on some days, and the discussion of current issues.

The group then divided into two groups based on grade level to discuss strategies and ideas for improvement and revision to the program to share with the building's UNIT/E Team members. Among the topics discussed were: program scheduling, greater variety of activities, aligning the program with community service projects, and incorporating self-help topics into the program.