West Islip School District Education Committee 2016-2017

Minutes	
November 10, 2016	

Members in attendance: Steve Gellar, Kevin O'Connor, Bernadette Burns, Anne Rullan

Also in attendance: Community Member

Meeting started at 7:25 p.m.

Academic Achievement Policy

The committee reviewed and discussed recommended changes to the Academic Achievement Policy made by the Grading Advisory Committee. Recommendations focus on parent communication, class rank, weighting of grades and the addition of Academic Leaders. The Board of Education will review the recommendations for possible policy changes.

ASCA National Model

The committee reviewed the American School Counselor Association Model which includes the themes of leadership, advocacy, collaboration, and systemic change. The model follows a tiered approach similar to Response to Intervention to provide equity and access for all students. The model includes a foundation, accountability, management, and delivery of services.

Meeting adjourned at 7:50 p.m.