

NEW MILFORD BOARD OF EDUCATION

**New Milford Public Schools
50 East Street
New Milford, Connecticut 06776**

**COMMITTEE ON LEARNING
MEETING NOTICE**

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**DATE: June 4, 2019
TIME: 7:30 P.M.
PLACE: Lillis Administration Building – Room 2**

AGENDA

New Milford Public Schools Mission Statement

The mission of the New Milford Public Schools, a collaborative partnership of students, educators, family, and community is to prepare each and every student to compete and excel in an ever-changing world, embrace challenges with vigor, respect and appreciate the worth of every human being, and contribute to society by providing effective instruction and dynamic curriculum, offering a wide range of valuable experiences, and inspiring students to pursue their dreams and aspirations.

- 1. Call to Order**
- 2. Public Comment**

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3. Discussion and Possible Action

- A. Review and Approval of Curricula
 1. Grade 6 General Music
 2. Grade 7 General Music
 3. Grade 8 General Music
- B. Five-Year Curriculum Plan (2020-2025)

4. Presentations

- A. Summer Reading/Math
- B. Summer School

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6. Adjourn

Sub-Committee Members: J.T. Schemm, Chairperson
Angela C. Chastain
Bill Dahl
Tammy McInerney

Alternates: Brian McCauley
Wendy Faulenbach

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New Milford Public Schools
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Five-Year Curriculum Plan (2020-2025)

Subject/Area	2019-2020	2020-2021	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024
<p>Business & Practical Arts/ Technology</p>	<p>Website Design I '15 Website Design II '07 Personal Finance II 2011 General Woodworking '13 Intro. Woodworking '13 Adv. Auto CAD '09 Accounting I '09 Practical Arts 6-8 Machine Drafting</p>	<p>AP Computer Science '16 Arch. Drafting I '12 Intro to Programming '11 Personal Finance I 2016 Accounting II College '15 Marketing Work Program Projects Unlimited</p>	<p>Basic Auto Cad '12 Business Computer App. '12 Arch. Drafting II Sports & Entertainment Marketing</p>	<p>AP Computer Science Principles '18 Word Processing/Google Apps '18 Computer Literacy '19 Marketing II '17 Marketing I '17</p>	<p>Arch. Drafting II '15 Arch. Drafting III '15 Intro. to Business '14 Technology 6-8 2016 Business Law '15</p>
<p>English/ Language Arts K-12</p>	<p>AP Lit. & Composition '15 Children's Literacy & Literature '15 Humanities II '14 Modern & Cont. Poetry '07 English SAT Prep '12</p>	<p>English I, II, III & Honors '16 Literature & Media Studies '16 Intro to Video Productions Advanced Video Production '16 Intro to Video Production '16 Public Speaking '16 Journalism I '15 Journalism II '15</p>	<p>AP Lang. & Composition '17 Writing & Research Workshop '14 English I, II, III & IV '16</p>	<p>World Literature & Culture '19 Creative Writing '18 Diverse Voices '18</p>	<p>Advanced Creative Writing '19 Theater Workshop (formerly Drama Workshop) Science Fiction</p>

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Fine Arts K-12	AP Studio Art AP Art History Design Foundations I '04 Design Foundations II '04 Honors Art History Honors Studio Art'05	Sculpture	K-3 Art '16 4-6 Art '16 Grade 8 Art '16 Grade 7 Art '16	Advertising Art & Design '13 Crafts '13 Ceramics I '11 Ceramics II '12 Portfolio '09 Digital Photography Graphic Design	Grade 6-8
Library Media K-12				Revise: K-2 Library Media '18 3-5 Library Media '18 6-8 Library Media ''18	9-12 Library Media '18
Mathematics K-12	Introductory Geometry '07 Introductory Algebra'07 Pre-Calculus Honors '08 Math SAT Prep '15 Intro to Alg II 2017 Statistics '07	Grades 6 '16 Grade 7 '16 Grade 8 '16 Algebra I Honors '16 Algebra I CP '15 Geometry CP '15	Algebra III '11 Adv. Algebra & Trig. '13 Geometry Practical Math Percent: '16 Practical Math Statistics: '16 Practical Math Measure: '16 Practical Math Probability: '16	Calculus Honors '11 AP Calc AB 2016 AP Calc BC 2016 AP Statistics 2016	Grades K-6 Grade 8 Math Pre Algebra '18 Alg II CP: '18 Alg II Honors 18 Honors Geometry "18

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<p style="text-align: center;">Music K-12</p>	<p>Grades 9-12 Chorus Advanced Chorus 9-12 History of Am. Music Theater '97 History of Jazz '98 Music Appreciation '98 Music Theory Elec. Music Tech. '04 Orchestra Wind Ensemble Honors</p>	<p>Revise: Grades K-2 Gen. Music '16 Grades 3-5 Gen. Music '16 Grades 6-8 Inst. Music '17 Band Grades 3-5 Choral '17 Grades 6-8 Choral Music '17</p>	<p>Grade 9-12 Instr. Music</p>		<p>Revise: Grade 4-6 Inst. Music '16 Grade 6 - 8 General Music '18</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Guidance PE Health K-12</p>	<p>PE Leader '15 Guidance K-2 Guidance 3-5 Guidance 6-8 Guidance 9-12 (grade bands) Child Development '11 Early Childhood '11</p>	<p>Revise: Health K-2 '17 Health 3-5 '18 Health 6-8 '17</p>	<p>Revise: PE I '17 PE II '17 Social & Emotional Thinking '12 PE III & IV '17 K-2 PE '17 3-5 PE '17 6-8 PE '17</p>	<p>EMT '13 Medical Technology '13 Guidance K-12</p>	<p>Revise: Allied Health. Careers '18 Health I '18 Sports Medicine '18 Health II '18</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Science K-12</p>	<p>AP Physics I AP Physics II Astronomy '15 Biology '07 Biology Honors '15 Civil Engineering & Architecture (PLTW) Integrated Science* Honors '06 Physics '07 Physics Honors '07 Plant Science I '08 Plant Science II '08</p>	<p>Anat./Phys Honors I '16 Anat./Phys Honors II '16 Forensic Science Integrated Science '17</p>	<p>AP Environmental Science '17 AP Chemistry Ecology II Spring '12 Ecology I Fall '12 Introduction To Engineering Design(PLTW) '17</p>	<p>AP Biology Digital Electronics (PLTW) Engineering Design & Development (PLTW) Principles of Engineering" (PLTW)</p>	<p>Exper. Chemistry '16 CP Chemistry '16 Chemistry Honors '15</p>

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<p>Social Studies K-12</p>	<p>Intellectual History Honors '09 Global Studies Honors Global Studies '12 Economics '12 Russian Studies Honors'12 History Through Film '13 AP Psychology '12 Civics '12 Intro to Psychology '11</p>	<p>Grades K-2 Grades 3-5 Grades 6-8 Sociology '16 Chinese Studies Honors'15 Forensic Psychology '15 Modern America '15 AP Microeconomics '18</p>	<p>World History Honors AP Human Geography '17 AP US History '17 Middle East Studies '16 Dev. Western Civilization '15 Dev. Western Civilization Honors AP World History '17</p>	<p>AP Government</p>	<p>US History '18 US History Honors '18</p>
<p>World Languages 7-12</p>	<p>German III CP '05 German III Honors '05 Spanish III CP '07 Spanish III Honors '07 Spanish IV CP & Honors '07 German IV '05 French III CP & Honors '09</p>	<p>French I 'CP French II CP & Honors '08 French IV CP & Honors '08</p>	<p>Spanish AP 18 Conversational Spanish Spanish 7&8 French AP '18</p>	<p>Spanish I CP Spanish II CP & Honors '12</p>	<p>German II '15 German1 '13 AP German '18</p>



New Milford Summer Math Passport

Cortni Muir June 2019

New Milford Public School Vision

A collaborative partnership of students, educators,
family, and community.



The image shows a screenshot of the New Milford Public Schools website. The header features the school's logo on the left, which is a circular emblem with a building and the text "NEW MILFORD PUBLIC SCHOOLS". To the right of the logo, the text "NEW MILFORD PUBLIC SCHOOLS" is displayed in a large, serif font, with the tagline "A collaborative partnership of students, educators, family, and community" underneath. Below the header is a navigation menu with links for "HOME", "SCHOOLS", "NEWS", "CALENDAR", and "CONTACT". On the left side of the page, there is a "Select Language" dropdown menu and a list of links: "Superintendent", "Adult Education", "Board of Education", "Curriculum & Instruction", "Delays & Closings", and "District Information". A prominent blue banner in the center of the page reads "BOE 2019-2020 Budget Information". Below this banner is a photograph of three children sitting at a table, looking down at something on the table.

Why the Summer Math Passport?

It is widely understood that on average students lose academic ground during the summer, a phenomenon frequently referred to as “summer learning loss” or “summer slide.”

NWEA Blog July 2018

Students’ achievement scores declined over summer vacation by one month’s worth of school-year learning.

David M. Quinn and Morgan Polikoff, September 14, 2017



Why the Summer Math Passport?

Math is more than building automaticity. But some kids aren't in on that secret yet. Let's help their families spend the summer getting their kids to **fall in love with math**.

Students need engaging options for math in the summer that doesn't feel like a punishment, but rather a way to enjoy their time doing math in the real world and building a sense of community!



What do Mathematicians Do...

- Take risks
- Make mistakes
- Rise to the challenge
- Ask questions
- Connect ideas
- Use Intuition
- Reason
- Prove
- Work Together and alone

Becoming the Math Teacher You Wish You'd Had, Zager 2017



What is the New Milford Summer Math Passport?

The New Milford Summer Math Passport is a math themed adventure designed to help students engage in problem solving over the summer while building upon math content and critical thinking skills learned throughout the school year. The Passport itself is a booklet containing math problems linked to participating business around New Milford. This is an opportunity for our incoming grade 1 - grade 5 students.



New Milford Math Summer Passport



This passport belongs to:

Enter 3 Grade

Date of Issue: 20 June 2019

Date of Expiration: 27 August 2019

New Milford Math Summer Passport

Welcome to the New Milford Math Summer Passport!
Your math adventure around town awaits!

1. Visit each of the locations in this passport and receive information needed to solve the problem.
2. Work together with the adult that brought you to the local business to solve the problem.
3. Record your thinking and solution in the space provided in the Passport.
4. When you show the business that you've completed the problem you will receive a stamp in your Passport.
5. Bring your Passport back to school in the fall with at least 10 stamps to receive recognition for your hard work!

Students who complete the entire Passport will receive special recognition.

Thank you the participating locations:

Hobby Town USA

Village Center for the Arts

Bank Street Book Nook

All About Pizza

Bank Street Theater

Moeller Toys

Webster Bank

Northville Market

H.H. Taylor and Sons

MAYOR'S OFFICE

Pratt Center

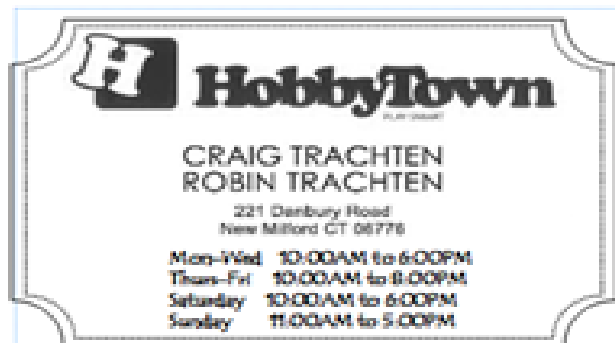
Autumn Olive Oil Company

New Milford Post Office

Dole Bill's Bowling



New Milford Math Summer Passport



There is a World War 1 bi-plane hanging from the ceiling in the store. It has a number on it. What is the number?

Rearrange the digits 5 different ways to make 5 new numbers.

Use this space to solve the problem and show your thinking.

Receive

Your

Stamp

Summer Hashtag #NMsummermath



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Getting super excited about the awesome summer math adventure for elementary students in New Milford this summer. Look at all the local businesses who will be participating! More information coming soon! #nmsummermath



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So excited about the really awesome summer math experience students in New Milford Public elementary schools will have. #NMsummermath



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Summer is just around the corner, hope New Milford elementary students are getting excited for a fun summer math adventure!!! #NMsummermath





New Milford Public Schools Summer Programming

Governor's Reading Challenge (K-8)

- Readers live rich reading lives, even when summer hits!
- Journals catalog books read over the summer
- In August, books are tallied and small in school rewards are awarded!
- Schaghticoke Middle School: Books, Books, Books

Schaghticoke Middle School

- One book for every incoming student 6-8
- Book drive through Compass Property Inspections (Local Business)
- Lending Libraries being made by Project Lead the Way at Schaghticoke:
 - placed throughout town:
 - Lynn Deming Park
 - John Pettibone Community Center near playground
- Take a book, leave a book, add it to your journal!

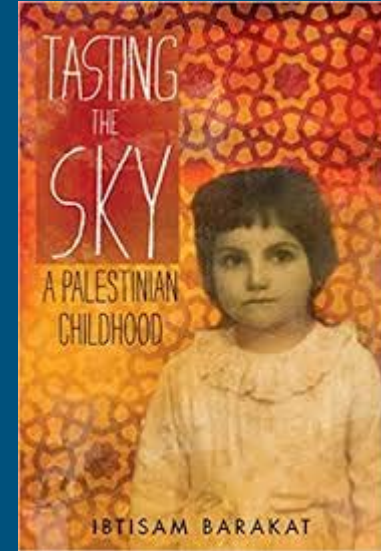
Schaghticoke Middle School Community Collaboration with the PTO



Grade 6



Grade 7



Grade 8

Summer Video



Book Houses - Lending Libraries (Community)



Compass Inspections

Book Donation to fill the libraries

**Summer Book Drive
to benefit New Milford Public
Schools' Lending Library Initiative**

Sponsored by:  **Compass**
Property Inspections

 **Drop off
new or gently used
books for
grade levels K-8**

June 1 - August 20

Lending Libraries
are being built by
'Project Lead the
Way' SMS students
- books will be
available for lending
Summer 2019

**Book
Drive Drop
Off Locations:**
The Home Depot
Bank Street Theater
Royal Car Wash - 84 Park Lane
The Children's Movement Center
Dolrbill's Bowling
Tasty Waves
Stop & Shop
Big Y

Summer Blog



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[This week's events at NMPL](#)

Summer Programming

Summer 2019

SNIS Summer Bridge Program

- Students in Grades 3-5 (Reading and Math)
- # of students invited: 120
- EL support (1 class) *new this year
- Located at NMHS
- Transportation included
- Runs from July 22- August 8, 2019
- Monday- Thursday 8:30- 11:30am
- Sign up due to main office by Friday, June 7, 2019
- ELA curriculum based off of progressions within ELA Reading Curriculum
- Math- grounded in standards and math practices

Algebra Readiness Program Schaughency MS

- Open to students in grade 7 who met criteria
- # of students invited: 17
- Exposure to the Pre-Algebra curriculum for potential entrance into Algebra in grade 8
- Two sessions offered at NMHS: July 22-26 or August 5-9
- Course runs from Monday - Thursday
- 8:30- 2:30pm (Exam only Friday, 8:30- 10:30am)
- Parent transportation required
- Student must demonstrate 80% mastery on the concepts of Algebra in order to qualify for Algebra I Grade 8 for the 19-20 school year

Questions
