

# EDC Summary

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**Re:** EDC Proposals

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The Educational Development Committee has completed a review and recommends approval of six proposals for the final round of curriculum work for the 2018-19 school year.

- **Embedding ISTE into Grade 8 ELA Curriculum** - to create new assignments that embed the International Society for Technology in Education standards and align with the Common Core curriculum with the goal of empowering student learners.
- **Seal of Bi-literacy Project/Rubric Rewrite** - to continue to offering the distinction of a Seal of Bi-literacy which necessitates the need to rewrite the projects and rubrics to align with ACTFL standards.
- **Horror History Curriculum** - to develop the curriculum for Horror History, a new English 12 elective that will be offered next year. Work will include the development of a scope and sequence, unit plans, lesson outlines and alignment to current NYS ELA standards.
- **Medical Explorations Curriculum** - to develop curriculum for a new Medical Explorations course being offered to 6th grade students in the 2019-20 school year. Materials and lessons will be developed to build a project-based curriculum to get students learning about and interested in the medical field.
- **Embedding ISTE into Grade 6 SS Curriculum** - to create new assignments that embed the International Society for Technology in Education standards and align with the Common Core curriculum with the goal of empowering student learners. The focus of the activities will be on comparing world religions and ill-gotten gains.
- **Entrepreneurship & Marketing Curriculum** - to create curriculum to support a new elective being offered at the high school for the 2019-20 school year, Entrepreneurship and Marketing. This curriculum will focus on what owning and operating a business involves.