

GLASSBORO SCHOOL DISTRICT

Updated 2/1/05

Monthly Board Items

Date Submitted:

1.9.19

Proposed Effective Date:

Spring, 2019

Grade(s) impacted:

11-12

Name:

Barbara Jones/Michele Keating

Position/Item:

Amazon Future Engineer Program

Submitted By:

Dr. Danielle F. Sneathen

Building:

GHS

Proposed cost/amount:

Zero

Funded through:

Amazon Grant

Hours/Days per wk:

Daily

Benefits: Y or N
(circle one)

Is candidate currently employed by District:

___ No X Yes

Is candidate a former employee:

___ No ___ Yes

(if yes, what position)

If yes, part time or **full time** (circle one)

Check references/review district personnel file?

___ No ___ Yes

Board Action Requested: I am requesting permission to accept a competitive grant from Amazon and Edhesive to facilitate the instruction for an Intro to Computer Science course. Ms. Keating applied for this grant via the STEM Academy and was awarded it. The grant consists of Computer Science Curriculum and training for Ms. Jones.

Details and ramifications:

Ms. Jones currently teaches Intro to Computer Programming. The course name would be changed to Intro to Computer Science. The curriculum and training would be provided via the grant.

Positives: No cost to the district. This course will fulfill the new state requirement for teaching computer science at the high school level. In the future, this course could transform to an Advanced Placement Computer Science course which is a goal of our STEM Academy.

Concerns: Due to our small enrollment, course selection interest might be an issue.

Other Comments:.

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Board Date: _____

Approved: Y or N

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