

Chapter 339 Plan

An Overview of Methacton School District's K-12 Counseling Plan Update

What is the Chapter 339 Plan?

- Pennsylvania requires all school districts to have a K-12 Guidance Plan focused on Career and Technical Education Standards.
- The plan outlines the activities and opportunities Methacton provides to students and focuses on those related to career exploration and planning.
- The 339 Plan addresses three counseling domains: Academic, Career and Personal/Social.
- The 339 Plan is reviewed and updated internally each year.
- PDE requires the plan be formally updated, Board approved and submitted to PDE every three years.

Current Updates:

- Shab Maffei, K-12 Career Counselor
- Field Trip experiences have changed
- Addition of programs including-Junior Achievement, INCubateredu Entrepreneurship, Freight Farm
- Communication and event opportunities expanded through virtual options
- Expansion of Countywide Supports

Upcoming Additions:

- Communication of opportunities for career exploration at each level organized by month
- Expanding our list of external resources for career readiness, work-based learning and post-secondary and technical training options
- Creation of a template for documenting placement and transition services from school to post-secondary work/college/military for all students
- Returning to the Education Committee yearly to update the committee on added resources

Next Steps for the 339 Plan Approval:

- Update at the February 21, 2023 Board Work Session
- Public Review at Farina Center from 2/22/23-3/22/23
- Recommend approval at March 28, 2023 Board Action Meeting

Questions?

Thank you!