

TENAFLY PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Five Year Curriculum and Review Cycle

1. Review and Research

The area of curriculum is reviewed for the purpose of content, alignment to standards, currency, appropriateness, strategies, national trends, and best practices.

2. Develop/Pilot

A budget for curriculum writing and new materials is developed and submitted according to district timelines (November). Curriculum is created, redesigned, aligned to New Jersey Student Learning Standards/AP alignment, updated and/or adjusted according to need and based on the review. Curriculum revision takes place at the end of the school year and during the summer. Materials are approved by the Board of Education during this stage and then ordered at the start of the new fiscal year (July 1) for year 3. Some curriculum/materials may be piloted during this stage.

3. Implement

New, aligned and/or revised curriculum is implemented in the content area and grade level indicated. This stage includes the connected staff development and orientation to the curriculum that is necessary for teacher implementation. Professional development is ongoing and includes knowledge, strategies and assessment practices important to the new or re-designed curriculum.

4. Monitor

The curriculum will continue to be implemented and monitored. Continued professional development will be engaged as needed. Some revisions may be suggested as noticed through implementation.

5. Evaluate/Report

Full implementation of the curriculum is in place. An evaluation is undertaken to determine the success and effectiveness of the new or revised curriculum. If suggestions and recommendations are included in this process they are first brought to the District Curriculum Committee for approval. If approved, then these suggestions and recommendations are brought to the Board Curriculum Committee, and finally to the Board of Education.

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	2016-2017	2017-2018	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021
Social Studies K-12 Articulation	Review and Research	Develop/Pilot	Implement	Monitor	Evaluate/Report
Fine & Perf. Arts K-12 Articulation	Review and Research	Develop/Pilot	Implement	Monitor	Evaluate/Report
Science K-12 Articulation	Develop/Pilot	Implement	Monitor	Evaluate/Report	Review and Research
English Lang. Arts K-12 Articulation	Implement	Monitor	Evaluate/Report	Review and Research	Develop/Pilot
Practical Arts K-12 Articulation	Implement	Monitor	Evaluate/Report	Review and Research	Develop/Pilot
PE/Health/Family Life K-12 Articulation	Monitor	Evaluate/Report	Review and Research	Develop/Pilot	Implement
Mathematics K-12 Articulation	Monitor	Evaluate/Report	Review and Research	Develop/Pilot	Implement
ELL K-12 Articulation	Monitor	Evaluate/Report	Review and Research	Develop/Pilot	Implement
World Languages K-12 Articulation	Evaluate/Report	Review and Research	Develop/Pilot	Implement	Monitor

Technology, Special Education and **ELL** will be integrated across content areas through collaboration.

Library Media will support the content area cycles as established.