

**Trustee/DPAC/Liaison Meeting,  
Kay Meek Studio, JANUARY 8<sup>th</sup>, 2020**

1. Welcome by Carolyn Broady and Kelly Richter
  2. Labour negotiations in West Vancouver and BC - Kim Martin and Renee Willock
    - Local vs. provincial bargaining
      - local bargaining completed, provincial bargaining ongoing
      - since 1994, monetary items can only to be bargained at provincial level
      - salary and learning conditions are big themes
    - Salary harmonization
    - Maternity Leave top up
    - Benefits
      - Benefits plan harmonized with province
      - employers want collective agreements to be “1 page” so can be flexible with regards to changing needs
      - union wants “binder” so that everything is specific and nothing is exceeded beyond
    - Class Size restrictions
      - WV maximum language is 30 students per classroom in Grades 4-7, vs NV and Surrey, smaller classes depending on combined classrooms, English (literacy), tech/home ec, specialty classrooms
      - classrooms in WV tend to be under 30 students even with max language
    - Specialist teacher ratios
    - Class composition
      - some designations come with funding, some don’t
    - Class composition comparison
    - West Vancouver Class Composition
      - 52.9% 1-3 IEPs
      - 1.2% 7 or more IEPs
      - 31% no IEPs
      - 14.9% 4-6 IEPs
  3. Today’s Digital Classroom – Sean Nosek
    - Digital but also unplugged
    - Big picture thinking. What are trends and are we equipped. But we want rich dialogue, a lot of thought in digital classroom, not necessarily necessary in all situations or all day.
  4. Technology Use by Primary students – Cypress Park
    - Overview of technology introduction and examples of products and apps used in classroom
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5. Technology Use by Grade 4-8 students – Irwin Park, Caulfeild
    - SAMR model
    - Overview of apps used and importance of parent partnership
    - Overall tech use trends from Grades 4→8



- increasing tech use at home and school
- more personal use and choice of how and what
- increase in “watching” and social media participation, sharing and messaging
- more students have a personal cell phone

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##### 6. Technology in High Schools

What are tech skills of the future?

How can we, or should we, be preparing our high school students for this world?

- Parents need to teach themselves to be digitally smarter to connect with their kids.

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##### 7. Closing