

Attendees: Brian Collier (Ridgewood), David Weishaar (RBHS), Greg Lindemann (Leyden), Ryan VenHorst (OPRF)

Curriculum offered, Dual Credit offerings, and Cross-curricular opportunities.

- Ridgewood has been working in the Geometry in Construction (GiC) courses for years and it has been associated with the Triton COT program for dual credit. One question that was asked is whether the Triton course being offered for math credit for construction technology would align with the course that is offered. There hasn't been any significant change to the GiC course outside of the limitations created by the hybrid style of teaching and learning brought on by this specific school year.
- Leyden has aligned their courses in construction to match the requirements for dual credit at Triton and this will be an option for the students beginning in the 2021-22 school year. The modules created at the high school offer the students the chance to build a full section that mimics that construction techniques required in home building and covers all of rough carpentry construction. Leyden also offers math instruction and may have the potential to discuss the option of the construction math credit in the future.
- RB will be working on discussion with Triton to align the construction coursework for dual credit next year. The current course offerings at RB are modular, but David is looking to incorporate more techniques that look similar to what is being done at Leyden where a section of a home would be constructed teaching all of the beginning residential construction techniques.
- OPRF does not currently have a construction program. Teachers have been trained in GiC, but there is limited space for the program to utilize at this time.

Business Partners

- Ridgewood is partnering in consultation for the GiC program for its projects. Leyden doesn't have the same arrangement, but has continued to work with Frank Holthouse to develop local partnerships for the career education and community outreach.

Equipment Needs

- Each school has reported some basic power tool needs being filled with no major purchases expected after this hybrid year.