

## **BEEP STUDENT PORTAL DEVELOPMENT**

### **WHAT'S NEW FOR 2007-2008?**

- The student Portal part of the BEEP Portal will begin to be developed during the 2007-2008 school year. It is anticipated that four high schools will be asked to pilot the new student portal during the second semester of the school year.
- Students will be part of the development of the portal by contributing input through student focus groups. In addition, students will assist with portal design, content and graphics.
- The roll-out plan is still being planned pending input from all stakeholder groups (including Senior Management, students, teachers, and principals), final contract negotiations and School Board approval.

### **WHAT YOU NEED TO DO?**

- Provide input on content for the student portal through your principal groups.
- Consider being part of the pilot group of high schools that “test” and give feedback on the student portal.
- Consider being part of a principal team that gives input into the development of the student portal.

### **WHAT WILL HAPPEN IF YOU DON'T?**

- The district is moving towards providing curriculum content in electronic form via the BEEP Portal. This use of the BEEP student portal for teaching and learning will continuously be integrated over the next several years. Principals need to be aware of the impact of this project in order to encourage student utilization.

### **WHO NEEDS TO KNOW?**

- Principals, Teachers, Parents and Students

### **HOW WILL YOU COMMUNICATE FOLLOW-UP?**

- Over the next several months, communication will occur through innovation zone meetings, principal level meetings, and through the actual BEEP portal.

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