I) Approval of Minutes from August 28, 2015

II)  Student Petitions
     ➢  Student #0-F15
        - Essential Studies Requirement: Oral Communication
     ➢  Student #1-F15
        - Essential Studies Requirement: Oral Communication

III)  Discussion and possible vote on two questions: a) should ES Director be a member of and vote on student petitions subcommittee? b) should ES Director have power to review/grant student requests before student is directed to submit a petition?

IV)  Review “Discussion List,” a document summarizing various concerns/suggestions that have been raised about ES. We hope to have a general discussion of the list during this meeting—introducing and summarizing the issues—and then to look more closely at the various components of it over the next few meetings. These more focused discussions should lead us to establish our priorities for the year—and from there we hope to establish a set of plans for action, questions for research, and perhaps assignments of subcommittees who can bring more detailed proposals back to the whole committee.

V)  Matters Arising