

**DANBURY BOARD OF EDUCATION
WORKSHOP MEETING, JUNE 14, 2017**

Present: Gladys Cooper, Michael Ferguson, Richard Hawley,
Patrick Johnston, Fred Karrat, David Metrena, Kathleen Molinaro,
Ralph Pietrafesa, Holly Robinson

Absent: Eileen Alberts, Richard Jannelli

Also Present: Sal Pascarella, Bill Glass, Joe Martino, Kelly Truchsess,
David Bain & Liz Price from Houghton Mifflin Harcourt

The workshop was called to order at 5:30 p.m. Dr. Pascarella introduced Dr. David Bain & Liz Price from Houghton Mifflin Harcourt, to provide an end of year gains analysis of the Read 180 and System 44 Programs.

Executive Summary:

In partnership with the District, Houghton Mifflin Harcourt has analyzed data from eight sites that implemented the Read 180 and System 44 reading intervention programs this school year.

Preliminary Analysis Observations:

- The analysis includes data from 270 Read 180 and 225 System 44 students.
- At the time of export, 2 students were enrolled in both programs. Of those, both were included in System 44 results based on software use.
- The end of year 2016-2017 data export offers evidence of excellent growth with excellent software use in Read 180, and strong growth with excellent software use in System 44.

Kathleen Molinaro, Secretary