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TO: VSBPE

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ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION: InTASC *Model Core Teaching Standards*,
Vermont’s Vision for the InTASC *Model Core Teaching Standards*

BACKGROUND:

On June 23, 2011, the VSBPE adopted the new InTASC Standards in their entirety. These standards outline what all teachers across content and grade levels should know and be able to do to be effective in today’s learning contexts. The InTASC *Model Core Teaching Standards* will replace The Five Standards for Vermont Educators and the 16 Principles.

At the October meeting the entire VSBPE Board will spend time reviewing the InTASC *Model Core Teaching Standards* to begin formulating the VSBPE’s vision for implementing the new InTASC Standards.

Please, before the October meeting, read the Introduction and Summary (pages 3-9) in the InTASC Standards booklet and the Vision Statement and Content & Use Statement from the current *Five Standards for Vermont Educators – A Vision for Schooling* (August 2003) “Apple Book” (page 3 & 4).

Documents:

- InTASC *Model Core Teaching Standards: A Resource for State Dialogue*
- Vision Statement and Content & Use Statement from the “Apple Book”

Please find below the link for the “Apple Book” *Five Standards for Vermont Educators*:
http://education.vermont.gov/new/pdfdoc/pgm_prostandards/vsbpe/five_standards_03.pdf