

BOARD AGENDA ITEM

March 26, 2024

SUBJECT:

Textbook Adoptions for 2024-2025

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

The District examines and evaluates textbooks adopted by the State for use in the classroom and recommends to the School Board those selected by teacher committees for our district. Upon approval by the School Board and funding by the State, schools may proceed to order those textbooks from the State Textbook Depository.

ADMINISTRATIVE CONSIDERATION:

Upon receipt of the State adopted textbook list, publishers provided schools with sample copies in the areas up for adoption to review and evaluate. District representatives attended a textbook caravan in January 2024, during which publishers presented their programs. After receiving additional input from their colleagues at their respective schools and reviewing the textbooks' alignment with state standards, the school representatives met to reach a consensus on the best match between the textbooks and the needs of our students. While members of the adoption committees for Career and Technology Education (CTE) courses did not have the option to attend the State textbook caravan, each member was provided digital access, and print copies where available, to all State approved materials to review. Members of the CTE adoption committees attended virtual meetings to collaborate in the review and evaluation process using a consistent evaluation rubric and did meet to reach consensus on the best match between the textbooks and the needs of our students.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

Adopt the textbook recommendations of the teacher committees.

ATTACHMENT:

List of textbook recommendations

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2024-2025 Instructional Materials Adoption Recommendations

English Language Arts	
K-5 ELA (Activity Code: 1001, 1010, 1020) <i>HMH Into Reading</i> Author: Houghton Mifflin Harcourt Inc.	Houghton Mifflin Harcourt
K-5 Handwriting (Activity Code: 1099) <i>Zaner-Bloser Handwriting</i> Author: Zaner-Bloser *SDE funded for 2 nd and 3 rd grade only; locally funded if elected for all other K-5 grades	Zaner-Bloser
6-8 ELA (Activity Code: 1001, 1010, 1020) <i>StudySync ELA</i> Author: Fisher, et al.	McGraw Hill
English 1-English 4 (Activity Codes: 3024, 3900, 3025, 3910, 3026, 3920, 3027, 3930) <i>StudySync ELA</i> Author: Fisher, et al.	McGraw Hill
Advanced Placement English Literature and Composition (Activity Code: 3070) <i>Literature & Composition</i> Author: Shea, et al.	Bedford, Freeman and Worth Publishing Group
Advanced Placement English Language and Composition (Activity Code: 3071) <i>Back To the Lake, 4th High School Edition (Order with They Say/I Say)</i> Author: Thomas Cooley	W. W. Norton & Company, Inc.
CTE Instructional Materials	
Digital Art and Design 1-4 (Activity Code: 6120, 6121, 6122, 6123) <i>Communicating Through Graphic Design</i> Author: Davis Publications	Davis Publications
Computer Applications 6th-8th grade (Activity Code: 2702) <i>Agriscience: Fundamentals and Applications Updated, 6th Edition</i> Author: Burton	Cengage
Digital Multimedia (Activity Code: 5030) <i>My Lab for Adobe Web Design</i> Author: Adobe	Savvas
Image Editing (Activity Code: 5340) <i>Adobe Photoshop Revealed</i> Author: Adobe	Cengage
International Business (Activity Code: 5032) <i>Introduction to Global Business: Understanding the International Environment and Global Business</i> Author: Gasper, Kolari, Smith, Bierman, & Smith	Cengage
Fundamentals of Healthcare (Activity Code: 2791) <i>Middle School Exploring Health Science</i> Author: eDynamic	eDynamic
Advanced Baking and Pastry (Activity Code: 5724) <i>On Baking, 4th edition Revel</i> Author: Labensky, Martel, & Damme	Savvas
Event and Entertainment Management (Activity Code: 5475) <i>KM Sports and Entertainment Simulation</i> Author: eDynamic	eDynamic
Esthetics 1-4 (Activity Codes: 6162, 6163, 6164, 6165) <i>Milady Standard Esthetics, Fundamentals, 12th Edition</i> Author: Milady	Cengage
Nutrition and Wellness (Activity Code: 5759) <i>Nutrition and Wellness</i> Author: eDynamic	eDynamic
Digital Media Marketing (Activity Code: 5422) <i>Foundations of Marketing</i> Author: William M. Pride & O. C. Ferrell	Cengage