

**BOARD OF EDUCATION  
BEEVILLE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**Date: March 25, 2008**

**Subject: Textbook Committee  
Recommendations**

**Submitted By: Mrs. Jones**

**CONSENT AGENDA**

**Information:** The State Board of Education Adopted instructional materials were adopted under Proclamation 2005. The new materials will be distributed to local school districts for implementation in school year 2008-2009. The Textbook Committee (consisting of ten teachers from across the district) members have selected titles as listed on the attached handout. The Board is asked to approve the adoption of all titles with the selection of the books on the attached list.

**ITEMS ADDRESSED:**

Textbook Selections

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:**

Approval to adopt all titles and select the books in the attached list; There is a form which the board president and secretary must sign.

**BUDGETARY INFORMATION:**

None

## **Mathematics Textbook Selections for 2008-2009**

Grades K-5—Harcourt Texas Think Math!

The teachers did a thorough review of the textbook titles up for adoption. Reasons cited for the selection of these books included the following:

- Aligned with CSCOPE
- Integrated with other subjects
- 24 math readers @ 3 levels
- ELL kit for every teacher (techniques good for all students not just ELL)
- Everything is online
- Consumable supplemental workbooks for extra practice
- Good manipulatives ( one kit per child first year)
- Unit workbooks are thematic (1 per six weeks)
- Free PK materials
- Variety of good practice and TAKS
- Individual student manipulatives included

Beeville ISD  
District Name

013-901  
County-District Number

### Local Board of Trustees Certification, 2008

Legal Citation:

Texas Education Code §31.101 requires that, each year, the board of trustees of each district and the governing body of each open-enrollment charter school notify the State Board of Education of the textbooks selected by the board of trustees or governing body for use in the following school year. The law also requires that the board of trustees or governing body notify the State Board of Education if the district or charter school has selected textbooks, in the enrichment curriculum only, that are not on a conforming or nonconforming state-adoption list.

<p>Certification:</p> <p>We, the president and secretary of the local board of trustees, or the officers of the governing body of the charter school, certify that the selections recorded on either the <i>Annual Requisition for New Instructional Materials</i>, or transmitted via EMAT Online, have been selected for use in our district or charter school.</p> <p>We understand that all textbooks adopted by the state are appropriate for use in the Texas schools and districts may choose any materials from the state-adopted lists. If the board of trustees or governing board does not wish to select a particular title adopted by the state and wants to prohibit the district or charter school from ordering the title at a later date, we have noted the title(s) below.</p> <p>If our district or charter school is selecting materials in the enrichment subject areas that are not on a conforming or nonconforming list of adopted materials, we certify that those selections are listed below. We understand that 30 percent of the cost of those materials or 30 percent of the maximum cost of the materials will be borne by the district or charter school.</p> <p>We understand that our selections are final, and we may not return copies of one title to secure copies of another title in the same subject.</p>
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<b>Signatures of Board President and Secretary or Governing Board Officers</b>	<b>Textbook Titles Not Selected by District or Charter School</b>
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<b>Preferred Shipment Dates:</b> Ship dates will be entered into EMAT Online by Textbook Administration staff.	<b>Selections from Enrichment Subjects Not on an Adopted List</b>
1 <sup>st</sup> Preference: Week of <b>June 23, 2008</b> _____ 2 <sup>nd</sup> Preference: Week of <b>June 30, 2008</b> _____ 3 <sup>rd</sup> Preference: Week of <b>July 7, 2008</b> _____	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/>

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