



Gregory-Portland Independent School District

BOARD MEMORANDUM

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DATE: April 20, 2026

SUBJECT: DISCUSS AND TAKE POSSIBLE ACTION TO ADOPT INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS

PRIORITIES

PRIORITY 1: EXCEPTIONAL STUDENT PERFORMANCE

- 1.1 Annually increase performance in reading for all students and all student groups
- 1.2 Annually increase performance in Math for all students and all student groups.
- 1.3 Annually increase performance in College, Career, and Military Readiness for all students and all student groups
- 1.4 Annually increase student engagement for all students and all student groups.

PRIORITY 2: HIGH PERFORMING AND ENGAGED WORKFORCE

N/A

PRIORITY 3: QUALITY SERVICE AND IMPACTFUL COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

N/A

PRIORITY 4: EFFICIENT AND EFFECTIVE DISTRICT AND CAMPUS OPERATIONS

N/A

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

Type: Action Item

The adoption of secondary mathematics instructional materials is guided by legislative updates from the 88th Texas Legislative Session, including House Bill 1605 and House Bill 100. House Bill 1605 redefined High-Quality Instructional Materials (HQIM) and established the Instructional Materials Review and Approval (IMRA) process, introducing new quality and suitability rubrics for evaluating materials. It also created an “evergreen” review system under TEC §31.023, meaning materials may be reviewed and approved on an ongoing basis rather than only following TEKS revisions. As part of this process, the State Board of Education (SBOE) publishes IMRA review reports, including lists of approved and rejected materials. House Bill 100 further requires that districts do not purchase or use materials included on the SBOE Rejected Materials List.

The SBOE has implemented a multi-year review calendar, and mathematics instructional materials are now available through this updated IMRA process. This legislative framework replaces the previous adoption cycle and ensures that districts select materials aligned to current standards for quality, rigor, and suitability.

Instructional Materials Adoption Timeline:

January 12, 2026

Campus communication soliciting seeking Secondary Math Textbook Committee members with the target of two representatives per subject.

January 16, 2026

Secondary Math Textbook formed with campus/content representation and tasked with:

- Review materials, provide feedback, and collaborate with their subject-area colleagues throughout the adoption process.

January 28, 2026

Initial committee meeting held with the following discussed/completed:

- Reviewing the textbook adoption process and expectations
- Provide an overview of evaluation criteria, rubrics, and timelines
- Expectation to sign and submit the Instructional Materials Selection Committee Memorandum of Understanding
- Upon receipt of signed MOU, distribute sample textbooks and/or online platform access so members can begin reviewing materials prior to feedback discussions

February 5, 2026

- Online access to sample materials distributed to the committee

February 10, 2026

- Notice posted on G-PISD website for Community Sample Review
- Online access to samples published

March 25, 2026

- Vendor Presentations; discussions; rubric completion

March 31, 2026

- Final discussions and vote of Adoption Committee for High School
April 1, 2026

- Final discussions and vote of Adoption Committee for Middle School
April 20, 2026

- Present recommendations to G-PISD Board of Trustees

RECOMMENDATION:

N/A

FINANCIAL IMPACT AMOUNT AND FUNDING SOURCE (IF APPLICABLE):

\$281,000; SBOE Approved Materials Entitlement

BOARD RELATED POLICY:

EFA(LOCAL)-A & EFA(LEGAL)-P

ACTION ITEM SUGGESTED MOTION (if applicable):

That the Board accept the recommendations of the Committee to adopt the instructional materials listed below.

6th – 8th grade Math – Envision+ Texas Mathematics; Savvas

Algebra I – Texas Algebra I; Agile Mind

Algebra II – Envision+ Texas Mathematics; Savvas

Geometry – Envision+ Texas Mathematics; Savvas

Pre-Cal – Texas Precalculus; McGraw Hill