



SOUTH SAN ANTONIO INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Agenda Item Summary

Meeting Date: May 18, 2026

Agenda Section: Consent

Agenda Item Title: Campus Library Book Purchases

From/Presenters: Dr. Jennifer Gutierrez, Deputy Superintendent

Description: This item seeks Board of Managers approval for the purchase of library books for campus libraries. The proposed book lists have been carefully reviewed and vetted for appropriateness in accordance with SB 13 requirements and were posted on the South San Antonio ISD website for the required 30-day public review period. These purchases support the district's commitment to providing students with high-quality, diverse, and engaging learning materials that enhance literacy, research skills, and academic achievement across all grade levels.

Historical Data: N/A

Recommendation: Approve the library book lists for all district campuses as presented.

Purchasing Director and Approval Date:

Funding Budget Code and Amount: Campus Funds \$4,000

Goal 1: SSAISD will increase academic achievement for all students and thus closing the gap between student populations in pursuit of advanced performance.

Campus	Title	Author	Audience
Shepard Middle School	Sunrise on the Reaping	Suzanne Collins	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Down came the Spiders	Ally Russell	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Bendy the graphic novel, Dreams come to life Book 1	Adrienne Kress	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Kill the beast, Everyones favorite's guy(Villians)	Serena Valentino	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Five night at Freddy's, an interactive novel, return to the pit	Scott Cawthon	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Silent Sister	Megan Davidhizar	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Never, never- A tale of Captin Hook	Serena Valentino	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	2026 world records	Blythe Bouza	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Revolutionary War : America's war for independence: a visual history	Rebecca Miller	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	The descendants : the rotten to the core trilogy : complete edition	Jason Muell	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Time and time again	Chatham Greenfield	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Shark Wars	EJ Altbacker	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Drown me with dreams	Gabi Burton	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Capitol Chase, National Archive Hunters	Matthew Landis	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	We Don't Have time for this	Brianna Craft	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	The fight for midnight	Dan Solomon	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	A family of killers	Bryce Moore	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Midnights with you	Clare Osongco	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	The night war	Kimberly Brubaker Bradley	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	The split history of the Civil War, Union perspective (Perspectives Flip Books: History)	Stephanie Fitzgerald	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	The split history of the American Revolution, patriot perspectives (Perspectives Flip Books: History)	Michael Burgan	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	The Misfits A Royal Conundrum	Lisa Yee	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Better left Buried	Mary E. Roach	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Ratty	Suzanne Selfors	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Every story ever told	Ami Polonsky	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Flying through water	Mamle Wolo	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Five nights at Freddy's. Tales from the Pizzaplex.Graphic novel collection vol. 1 (Five Nights at Freddy's: Tales from the Pizzaplex Graphic Novel Collection, Book 1	Scott Cawthon	Middle School

Shepard Middle School	House without walls	Ching Yeung Russell	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Sleep like Death	Kalynn Bayron	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Poppy playtime orientation notebook	Scholastic Inc	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Five nights at Freddy's Fazbear frights. Graphic novel collection Vol. 5	Scott Cawthon	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Five nights at Freddy's Fazbear frights, graphic novel collection. Vol. 4 (Five Nights at Freddy's: Fazbear Frights, Book 4)	Scott Cawthon	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	The one and only family book 4	Katherine Applegate	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	El club de comics de Supergatito. Influencers (Cat Kid Comic Club, Book 5)	Dav Pilkey	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Mascot	Charles Waters	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Strong like you	T.L. Simpson	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	The Extraterrestrial zoo, Finding the lost one	Samantha Leer	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Blue moon (Immortals (Alyson Noel-St. Martin's), Book 2	Alyson Noel	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Pahua and the Dragon's Secret book 2	Lori M. Lee	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Our shouts echo	Jada Adia	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Bite Me, Royce Taslim	Lauren HO	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Evermore	Alyson Noel	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Tagging Freedom	Rhonda Roumani	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Magnolia Wu unfolds it all	Chanel Miller	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	The city beyond the sea (Greenwild Trilogy, Book 2)	Pari Thomson	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Spin of Fate Book 1	A.A. Vora	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	The mine wars : the bloody fight for workers' rights in the West Virginia coal fields	Steve Watkins	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	It watches in the dark	Jeff Strand	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	City Spies Mission Manhattan book 5	James Ponti	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Wicked as you wish (Hundred Names for Magic, Book 1)	Rin Chupeco	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Hearts of fire and snow	David Bowles	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Come home safe a novel	Brian Buckmire	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Peter Pan (Classic Starts)	J.M. Barrie	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Merci Suarez Se Hace La Lista	Meg Medina	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Moko Magic Carnival Chaos	Tracey Baptise	Middle School

Shepard Middle School	Dark Wraith of Shannara	Terry Brooks	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Across so many seas	Ruth Behar	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Double booking. The tail of the mummy cat.1	Pangburn,Chas!	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Bridge to bat city a mostly true tall tale	Ernest Cline	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Gut Reaction	Kirby Larson	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Percy Jackson and the Olympians Wrath of the Triple Goddess (Percy Jackson and the Olympians: The Senior Year Adventures, Book 2	Rick Riordan	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Room to Breathe	Kasie West	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Winging it	Megan Wagner Lloyd	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Sweet Valley twins. 3,Choosing sides	Nicole Andelfinger	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Cold Hearted Wicked stepmother	Serena Valentino	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Wings of fire. The graphic novel.Book nine,Talons of power	Tui T. Sutherland	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Wings of fire. The graphic novel.Legends,Darkstalker Book 1	Tui T. Sutherland	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Summer Vamp	Violet Karim	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	One piece. Vol. 12,The legend begins	Eiichiro Oda	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	One piece. #10,OK, let's stand up!	Eiichiro Oda	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	One piece. Vol. 5,For whom the bell tolls	Eiichiro Oda	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	One piece. Vol. 4,The Black Cat Pirates	Eiichiro Oda	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Spider-Man. Shadow warrior.1	Shogo Aoki	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	Spider-Man. Octo-Girl.1,The genius scientist and the schoolgirl	Hideyuki Furuhashi	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	I survived the Japanese tsunami, 2011 Book 12 Graphic novel	Georgia Ball	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	I survived the California wildfires, 2018 Book 13 graphic novel	Georgia Ball	Middle School
Shepard Middle School	The Baby-sitters Club. 18,Jessi Ramsey, pet-sitter	Ellen Crenshaw	Middle School