



Sharon Williams, Ed.D.
Superintendent of Schools

To: RIMSD 41 Board of Education
From: Dr. Sharon Williams
Cabinet Champion: Scott Vance, Assistant Superintendent of Teaching and Learning
Date: April 22, 2025
Re: Amplify Education Partnership (amendment)

Amplify Education provides ELA and Science curriculum and supplementary programs for the Rock Island-Milan School District elementary schools.

In support of the district's reading initiative, the Teaching and Learning Department is recommending amending the current partnership with Amplify Education to provide professional development for elementary teachers in the Science of Reading. The Science of Reading is Amplify Education's early literacy suite combining essential instructional elements such as: assessment, core instruction, personalized learning, and interventions. Professional development on the implementation of this curriculum in conjunction with other professional development opportunities provided by the district will provide our staff the skills and knowledge to continue to effectively instruct our scholars in the area of reading.

Therefore it is recommended that the District approve an amended contract with Amplify Education, 55 Washington Street, Suite 800, Brooklyn, New York, 11201 in the amount of \$5,550 as presented.

Investment Period: February 7, - June 30, 2025
Amended Investment: \$5,500 (total investment \$117,550.00)
Funding Source: Federal Funds