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Topic: Secondary Math Instructional Materials Adoption

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Approved for Transmittal: 

Board Meeting Date: 5/13/2025

Recommendation:

The Administration recommends adopting Agile Minds as the primary instructional resource for high school math courses to align with the Instructional Material Review and Approval (IMRA) cycle.

Rationale:

After careful evaluation of the TEA IMRA-approved High Quality Instructional Materials, a committee consisting of Laura Patulea (T&L Secondary Math Facilitator) and several secondary math teachers from different campuses reviewed and sampled a variety of materials from different publishers, reaching a consensus that the recommended resources are superior. Attached is a position statement.

Budget Information:

SBOE-Approved Entitlement funds will be the primary source for secondary math and the Instructional Materials and Technology Allotment (IMTA) will cover any balance remaining.

Board Policy Reference and Compliance:

EFA(LEGAL), CMD(LEGAL), EHAA(LEGAL)