

WICHITA FALLS ISD BOARD OF TRUSTEES
June 16, 2025

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| Agenda Item: | Auténtico Levels 1-3 Renewal | | |
| Administrators Responsible: | Debbie Dipprey, Executive Director of School Administration; Nayna Torres, Instructional Materials Coordinator | | |
| Attachments: | 4-Year License Quote | | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Action Needed | <input type="checkbox"/> Future Action | <input type="checkbox"/> Presentation | <input type="checkbox"/> Report |

Administrative Recommendation:

That the Wichita Falls Independent School District Board of Trustees approve the purchase of *Savvas Auténtico Levels 1–3 Digital Courseware* for grades 9-11th grades (for school year 25-26) as submitted by Debbie Dipprey, Executive Director of School Administration and as recommended by Dr. Donny Lee Superintendent of Schools.

Explanation:

Savvas *Auténtico* Levels 1–3 digital courseware supports Spanish language instruction for high school students enrolled in Languages Other Than English (LOTE) courses.

Auténtico is a comprehensive, standards-based Spanish curriculum that integrates listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills through authentic cultural content, multimedia activities, and leveled instruction aligned to TEKS and ACTFL World-Readiness Standards. Levels 1–3 are used in grades 9–11 (or beyond) as part of the district’s Spanish language progression.

The Board originally adopted *Auténtico* in 2017 during the Languages Other Than English (LOTE) and Career & Technical Education (CTE) instructional materials adoption. Since that time, *Auténtico* has remained the district’s primary Spanish curriculum resource for secondary campuses. There have been no updates to the LOTE TEKS and no new proclamation from the State Board of Education that would require a new instructional materials adoption at this time. Therefore, this renewal ensures uninterrupted access to the digital content currently in use and supports continuity in instruction without requiring a change in materials.

| Level | Description | Qty | Unit Price | Total |
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| Level 1 | Auténtico 2018 Texas Digital Courseware Extension – 4-Year License | 900 | \$36.00 | \$32,400.00 |
| Level 2 | Auténtico 2018 Texas Digital Courseware Extension – 4-Year License | 900 | \$36.00 | \$32,400.00 |
| Level 3 | Auténtico 2018 Texas Digital Courseware Extension – 4-Year License | 80 | \$36.00 | \$2,880.00 |

Total Cost: \$67,680.00

Term: 4-Year Digital License (2025–2029)

Fiscal Note:

This renewal will be funded using the district’s Instructional Materials and Technology Allotment (IMTA). The purchase has been approved by the district’s IMTA Committee. This purchase covers four years of service, as a multi-year contract it requires Board of Trustees approval per policy, CH Local.