

School Board Meeting:

January 25, 2016

Subject:

World Languages
Curriculum Adoption Approval

Presenter:

Pam Miller, Director
Teaching and Learning

SUGGESTED SCHOOL BOARD ACTION:

Recommend approval.

DESCRIPTION:

Recommend adoption of the EMC instructional materials and technology as presented by World Languages instructors at the December 15, 2015 board meeting. After review of materials, we believe these resources to be an excellent fit to meet curriculum and instructional needs of the program. The implementation of these resources also aligns well with the program goals for BHM students.

The costs associated with this adoption fall within the district curriculum budget:

EMC print and digital texts; student subscriptions to Passport	\$ 84,534
Department sets of iPads and Chromebooks	\$ 19,500
Curriculum writing and alignment (approximate cost)	<u>\$ 5,220</u>
Total	\$109,254

Once approved, the implementation steps will begin. Additional teacher training and curriculum writing will be arranged through the Department of Teaching & Learning. Training and planning will occur partially yet this school year and partially in Summer of 2016.