

# District 90 Literacy Committee Update

Committee of the Whole Meeting

January 9, 2024

# Presentation Overview



LITERATURE REVIEW  
UPDATE



MATERIALS REVIEW PAPER  
SCREENING PROCESS



REVIEW OF TIMELINE



NEXT STEPS

# Literature Review Update

- Committee reviewed research related to the following foundational reading components:
  - Phonemic awareness
  - Phonics
  - Fluency
  - Vocabulary/word study
  - Comprehension
  - English Learners
  - Students with learning difficulties
  - Print vs digital resources
- Completed the review of research and effective instructional practices in December
- Document will be finalized and publicly shared in late January



# Materials Review: Paper Screening Process

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- Organized vetting team sub-committee by grade-level band: K-2, 3-5, 6-8
- Developed paper screening rubrics for each grade-level band
- Criteria sourced from Ed Reports, Institute of Education Sciences (IES), and The Reading League
- Conducted review of Ed Reports to determine if materials met alignment and usability gateway expectations
- Illinois State Board of Education rubric to be finalized July 2024

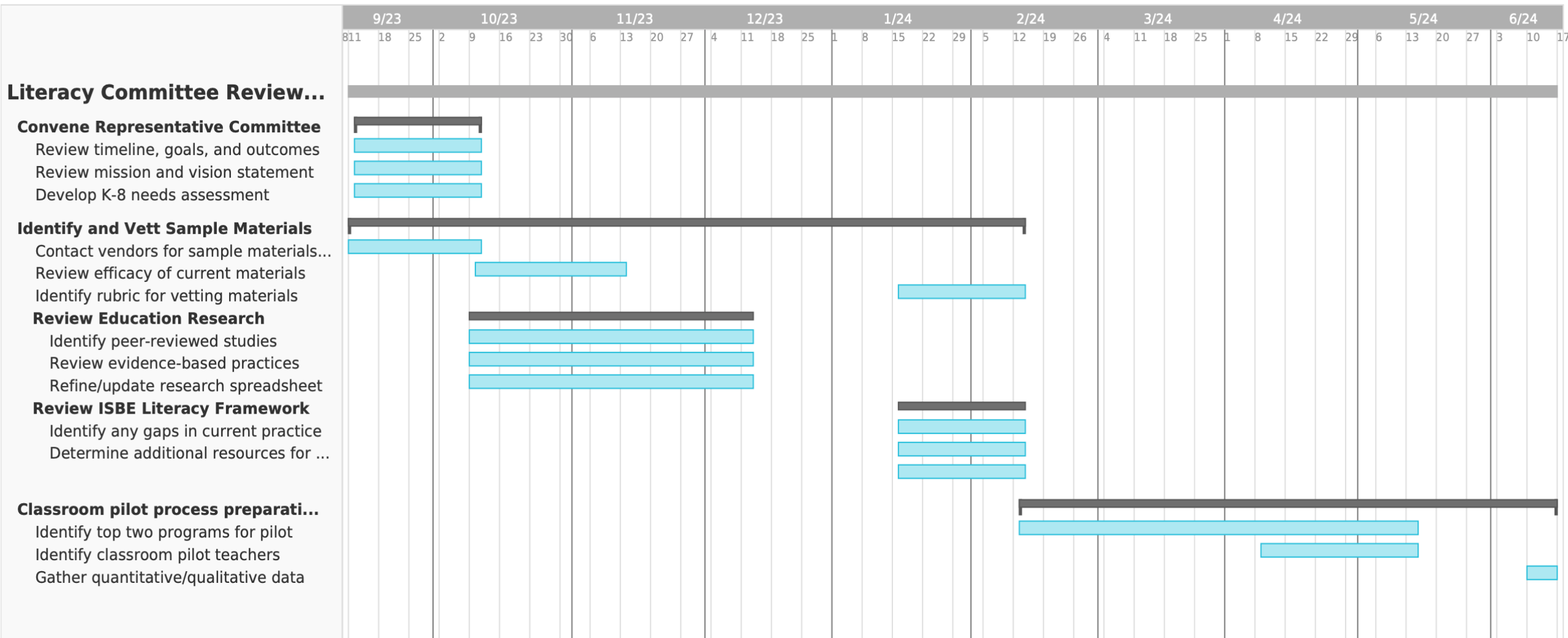
## Tier I Instructional Materials Vetting List

Program	Grade Level	Publisher	Year	Meets Alignment Expectations	Meets Usability Expectations
Core Knowledge Language Arts (CKLA)	K-5	Amplify	2015	Yes	Yes
Amplify ELA	6-8				
Into Reading	K-5	Houghton Mifflin Harcourt	2020	Yes	Yes
Into Literature	6-8				
My View Literacy	K-5	Savvas	2023	Yes	Yes
My Perspectives	6-8				
Wonders	K-5	McGraw-Hill Education	2023	Yes	Yes
Being a Reader	K-5	Collaborative Classroom	2024	N/A	N/A
Wit and Wisdom	K-8	Great Minds	2020	Yes	Yes
EL Education	K-8	Open Up Resources	2019	Yes	Yes
ARC (American Reading Company)	K-12	American Reading Company Core	2017	Yes	Yes
Study Synch	6-12	McGraw-Hill Education	2020	Yes	Yes

# Tier I Companion K-2 Foundational Skills Programs

Program	Grade Level	Publisher	Year	Meets Alignment Expectations
Amplify CKLA Skills	K-2	Amplify	2020	Yes
From Phonics to Reading	K-2	Sadlier	2020	Yes
Savvas Essentials: Foundational Reading	K-2	Savvas	2023	Yes

# Literacy Committee Timeline



# Immediate Next Steps



FINALIZE LITERATURE REVIEW  
DOCUMENT



REVIEW ILLINOIS STATE BOARD OF  
EDUCATION 2024 ILLINOIS  
COMPREHENSIVE LITERACY PLAN



ALIGN D90 LITERACY MISSION AND  
VISION STATEMENT TO RESEARCH  
AND EFFECTIVE INSTRUCTIONAL  
PRACTICES



CONTINUE PAPER SCREENING  
PROCESS



Questions?

