

MEMORANDUM

TO: NWABSD Board of Education Members

DATE: January 22, 2025

NUMBER: 25-058

FR: Office of the Superintendent

SUBJECT: Approval of Purchase
Curriculum Associates

ABSTRACT:

Board approval is required for purchases that exceed \$50,000.

ISSUE:

At issue is the Board's approval of the purchase of Curriculum Associates Intervention and Supplemental Literacy Support with Professional Development for an amount not to exceed \$110,000

BACKGROUND AND/OR PERTINENT INFORMATION:

Magnetic Reading Foundations

A foundational skills reading supplemental program by i-Ready provides explicit, systematic, and scientifically based reading instruction that moves students from foundational skills to reading fluency. High-interest literary and informational texts draw young readers to grade-level reading, helping to solidify crucial foundational skills such as letter recognition, phonological awareness, phonics, and high-frequency words. Age-appropriate learning opportunities ensure all students are engaged and have access to the right content at the right time.

i-Ready personalized intervention/differentiated instruction. Creates a personalized path of engaging online lessons for our at-risk students. Students receive instruction and practice in areas where they need the most support.

Purchase includes professional development for staff

Funding DEED AK Literacy Grant Fund 305

ALTERNATIVES:

1. Approval of the purchase of Curriculum Associates Intervention/Literacy Support with Professional Development for an amount not to exceed \$110,000 as presented.
2. Disapproval of the purchase of Curriculum Associates Intervention/Literacy Support with Professional Development for an amount not to exceed \$110,000 as presented.
3. Take no final action.

ADMINISTRATION'S RECOMMENDATION:

The administration recommends board approval of the purchase of Curriculum Associates Intervention/Literacy Support with Professional Development for an amount not to exceed \$110,000, as presented

Curriculum Associates®

Prepared For:

Tracy Bell
Northwest Arctic Borough SD
776 Third St,
Kotzebue, AK 99752

12/16/2024

Dear Tracy Bell,

Thank you for requesting a price quote from Curriculum Associates. The chart below provides a summary of the products and/or services included. If you have any questions or would like any changes, please contact us.

Quote ID: 396596.2 Quote Valid through: 12/20/2024

Product	List Price	Net Price
Magnetic Reading	\$83,925.00	\$43,605.00
	List Total:	\$83,925.00
	Savings:	\$40,320.00
	Shipping/Tax/Other:	\$5,232.60
	Total:	\$48,837.60

Thank you again for your interest in Curriculum Associates.

Sincerely

Teresa Chambers
(907) 802-1585
tchambers@cainc.com

Please submit this quote with your purchase order

Curriculum Associates®

Prepared For:

Tracy Bell
Northwest Arctic Borough SD
776 Third St,
Kotzebue, AK 99752

12/16/2024

Dear Tracy Bell,

Thank you for requesting a price quote from Curriculum Associates. The chart below provides a summary of the products and/or services included. If you have any questions or would like any changes, please contact us.

Implementation Starting: 2024-2025 Quote ID: 396596.9 Quote Valid through: 12/31/2025

Product	List Price	Net Price
i-Ready	\$45,376.50	\$37,546.52
	List Total:	\$45,376.50
	Savings:	\$7,829.98
	Shipping/Tax/Other:	\$0.00
	Total:	\$37,546.52

Thank you again for your interest in Curriculum Associates.

Sincerely

Teresa Chambers
(907) 802-1585
tchambers@cainc.com

Please submit this quote with your purchase order

Curriculum Associates®

Prepared For:

Tracy Bell
Northwest Arctic Borough SD
776 Third St,
Kotzebue, AK 99752

12/16/2024

Dear Tracy Bell,

Thank you for requesting a price quote from Curriculum Associates. The chart below provides a summary of the products and i-Ready Partner Services included. If you have any questions or would like any changes, please contact us.

Implementation Starting: 2024-2025 Quote ID: 396596.7 Quote Valid through: 12/31/2025

Product	List Price	Net Price
Toolbox	\$24,825.00	\$21,101.25
Professional Learning	\$6,000.00	\$0.00
i-Ready Partners Services	\$36,000.00	\$0.00
<i>i-Ready Partners Services Includes:</i>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><i>Initial Implementation Services: Provisioning, Initial Rostering, Hosting, Technology Assessment</i><i>Implementation Management: Partner Success Manager You Know On A First Name Basis, Implementation Guidance, Realtime Achievement Data After Every Assessment, Ongoing Data Management</i><i>Staff Development Consultation and Resources: Consultative services to help you plan and make the most of Professional Learning sessions; Access to Online Educator Learning (OEL) Digital Courses, and i-Ready Central Self-Service Resources</i><i>Technical Support: Proactive Network Monitoring & Issue Notification, Annual Health Check, Technical Support</i>		
	List Total:	\$66,825.00
	Savings:	\$45,723.75
	Shipping/Tax/Other:	\$0.00
	Total:	\$21,101.25

Thank you again for your interest in Curriculum Associates.

Sincerely

Teresa Chambers
(907) 802-1585
tchambers@cainc.com

Please submit this quote with your purchase order