

ACTION ITEM

December 18, 2024

TO: Board of Education
FROM: Kelly Zoellner
SUBJECT: Consideration to purchase Elevate Science for JMS

PROPOSED MOTION BY THE BOARD OF EDUCATION:

That the Board of Education approves the recommendation to purchase Elevate Science by SAVVAS for JMS Science Department for \$131,740.

MOVED BY: _____ Seconded: _____

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Background Information:

Jacksonville Middle School’s current science curriculum is up for adoption. The staff analyzed multiple vendors and determined that Elevate Science was the best fit for their team. Elevate science provides students with explicit science instruction, as well as, *Quests* that provide real-world, phenomena-based scenarios that students explore throughout the course’s units of instruction.

This quote includes:

- 6 years of print and digital access for students and teachers
- 2 free print teacher manuals for each module
- 2 Professional Development opportunities for teachers and staff