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	English/Language Ai	rts					
Level		Curriculuar Need	Recommended Resource	Brief Description	Approx. Quantity	Approx. Text Cost	Approx. Total Cost
High School					1	1.	
Grade 12		Additional text option for course- Graphic Novel Format	Kindred: The Graphic Novel, Olivia Butler (adapted by Damien Duffy and	This graphic novel will support the rhetorical	60	\$12	\$720
	& Fantasy	Grapilic Novel Format	John Jennings), Abrams Publishing (2017)	analysis of literature in the senior-level Science Fiction & Fantasy course. Graphic novels have			
				become more popular with teen readers in recent			
				years, and student and teacher feedback has been			
				positive from other graphic novels that have been			
				adopted over the past few years. This particular			
				graphic novel builds on knowledge students have			
				learned in U.S. History about relevant and			
				important issues regarding race and gender. From			
				Common Sense Media: Kindred: The Graphic			
				Novel tells the story of Dana, an African-American			
				writer in the 1970s married to a white man who finds herself dragged through time to repeatedly			
				save her White enslaver ancestor's life to preserve			
				her own down the line. She is confronted with the			
				very real dangers of being an educated Black			
				woman who dresses "like a man" in a time when			
				women were killed for less. She watches and then			
				is subjugated to the horrors of slavery and begins			
				to understand the "history of slavery" is nothing			
				but words on a page compared with reality. Will			
				Dana continue to time-travel and save her			
				ancestor, or will it all be too much for her to bear?			
Grade 12	English 4 - Intro to Rhetoric: Sci Fi	Additional text option for course-	Fahrenheit 451: The Graphic Novel , Ray Bradbury (adapted by Tim	This graphic novel will support the rhetorical	60	\$11	\$660
	& Fantasy	Graphic Novel Format	Hamilton), Hill and Wang Publishing (2009)	analysis of literature in the senior-level Science			
				Fiction & Fantasy course. Graphic novels have			
				become more popular with teen readers in recent			
				years, and student and teacher feedback has been			
				positive from other graphic novels that have been			
				adopted over the past few years. Most students			
				have read the full Ray Bradbury Fahrenheit 451			
				novel in a previous course, so the graphic adaptation will allow for a comparisons and			
				discussions about the impact of medium on			
				storytelling.			
	Social Studies						
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High School				•	11 3 2 2 2 2 3 3	111 23333	
Grades 9-12	AP Human Geography	Supplemental Resource	Human Geography for the AP Course , Fouberg, Erin and Murphy,	This resource will supplement the existing	62	\$100	\$6,200
			Alexander, Jon Wiley & Sons Publishing (2020)	textbook that students use in AP Human			
				Geography by providing greater depth of reading			
				material. This resource presents information to			
				students in a more narrative style that has greater			
				context to the topics they are learning. This			
				resource also provides many in-depth, real			
				scenarios and examples of course concepts. Each			
				chapter contains "Thinking Geographically"			
				sections that require students to apply their knowledge and answer short answer questions			
				that mirror the AP exam.			
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	Wellness						
Level	Course/Content Area	Curricular Need	Recommended Resource	Brief Description	Approx. Quantity	Approx. Text Cost	Approx. Total Cost
High School							
Grades 9-12	Health	Updated edition of text used for GHS health course	Comprehensive Health Skills for High School, 5th ed., Sanderson, Zelman, Farthing, Lynch, and Munsell, Goodheart Wilcox Publishing (2025)	This text provides the skills and information students need to make responsible decisions and promote a lifetime of health and wellness. The latest edition features contemporary health topics, such as vaping, opioids, social media, mindfulness, empathy and resilience, online communication, health disparities, and COVID-19. Content and skills align to standards. There has been a push the past few years for a larger emphasis on skill building in health education versus content, for the health programs to be more effective. Our current textbook is focused solely on content and is from 2007. This new textbook blends content and skills to help students not only know what might be good or bad decisions, but help give them the skills needed to make those decisions in the face of pressure.		\$95	\$8,880

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	World Language						
Level	Course/Content Area	Curricular Need	Recommended Resource	Brief Description	Approx. Quantity	Approx. Text Cost	Approx. Total Cost
High School							
Grades 9-12	French 1	French 1 Primary Resource	Notre Histoire 1, Voces Digital Publishing (2022)	This online textbook series will help Geneva students reach fluency by the time they reach AP French and the Seal of Biliteracy exam. The four-level series stresses the importance of fluency, authentic resources, and comprehensible input. This series will also facilitate an update of course	60	\$10 per student per year	\$600
Grades 9-12	French 2 French 2 Honors	French 2 French 2 Honors Primary Resouce	Notre Histoire 2, Voces Digital Publishing (2022)	assessments and new ways of introducing authentic vocabulary and grammar concepts. The series is tied directly to AP French standards as well as those of the American Council of Teachers of Foreign Language, and comes highly recommended by numerous high schools in suburban Chicago as well as nationally.	60	\$10 per student per year	Additional \$600 (\$1200 total)
Grades 9-12	French 3 French 3 Honors	French 3 and 3 Honors Primary Resource	Notre Histoire 3, Voces Digital Publishing (2022)	The World Language Department has recommended a digital-only textbook adoption for this series, meaning that all of the resources will be available to students on their devices. In addition to the textbook language, students will be able to retrieve and submit assignments through the online textbook platform. The platform also allows for audio/video recordings, typed responses, and other tools that make learning French more		\$10 per student per year	Additional \$600 (\$1800 total)
Grades 9-12	4 Honors	Resource	Notre Histoire 4 , Voces Digital Publishing (2022)	authentic and engaging. The plan is to phase in the adoption of this series over four years so that all students stay within the same learning model in which they began their French coursework. Consequently, Level 1 will be implemented during the 2024-2025 academic year, which includes both GHS students as well as students from both middle schools who are taking French 1 next year.		year	Additional \$600 (\$2400 total per year moving forward)
Grades 9-12	Spanish 3 Spanish 3 Honors		EntreCulturas: Communicate, Explore, and Connect Across Cultures, Level 3 Schwenkler, Cory, Carrion, Wayside Publishing (2017)	, Curriculum adopted and approved two years ago. Need classroom text sets and digital account for additional classes.	120	\$100	\$13,200
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