

Requirements of an Independent Adoption (OAR 581-022-2350)

Without prior notice to the State Board of Education, the district school board of any school district, **with the assistance of teachers and administrators of the district**, may adopt independently instructional materials for use in place of or in addition to those adopted by the Board, provided they **meet the guidelines and criteria established by the Board**. The **district school board shall involve parents and citizens in the process**. Such district adoptions shall be known as independent adoptions. In order to give proper notification that an independent adoption is being made, the administrative head of the district must provide the district school board, prior to placing the instructional materials into use in the local schools, the following information:

(1) The **subject, category, and grade level(s)** in which the instructional materials will be used

English Language Proficiency

Designated ELD

6-8

(2) The **title** of the instructional materials

Amplify

(3) The **publisher** of the instructional materials

Amplify

(4) The **copyright date** of the instructional materials

2023

(5) The **date on which the district intends to install the instructional materials for use** in the school system

Amplify will be installed as the instructional materials for Designated ELP when school begins in the 2024-2025 school year.

(6) A **statement that a completed criteria checklist showing the degree to which the instructional materials meet the criteria established by the State Board of Education** is on file in the district office. (Criteria checklists for the specific

subject/category are available from the Department of Education.)

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(7) A statement of assurance that the independently adopted instructional **materials will comply with the most current National Instructional Materials Accessibility Standard (NIMAS) specifications** regarding accessible instructional materials. The materials comply with the most current National Instructional materials Accessibility Standard specifications.

(8) Digital, electronic, or web-based materials must include an **accessibility conformance report for each electronic component that documents adherence to the Web Content Accessibility Guidelines (WCAG)** identified in the circular of information and technical standards required by the Federal Rehabilitation Act, Section 508.