

Agenda Topic: Social Studies Grades 7-12 Curriculum Plan and Purchase  
Meeting Date: June 24, 2025  
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Background:

The Social Studies Curriculum Review team has completed the Implementation Plan and Purchase Phase of their Program Review Cycle. The elements of this phase include:

1. Develop a plan for evaluation of implementation.
2. Identify instructional materials and a plan that supports the defined curriculum based on content specific needs as well as Policy 616P – Instructional Materials Selection. Conduct a pilot if necessary and evaluate piloted materials using selection criteria.
3. Purchase initial materials and develop an implementation plan which includes:
  - a. A transition plan from old to new core instructional strategies
  - b. A comprehensive professional development plan which includes details for implementation of new instructional frameworks
  - c. A distribution plan for materials
  - d. Curriculum maps/pacing charts

The District Curriculum Advisory Committee approved the Social Studies report and curriculum purchase plan. Pending school board approval, this team will move into their Installation Phase and will begin purchasing a portion of their materials for the beginning of the 2025-26 school year.

The complete report is attached.

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Recommendation:

It is recommended that the school board approve the 7-12 Social Studies curriculum plan and purchase.

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         Informational – No Board Action Requested