



**GRANBY PUBLIC SCHOOLS
GRANBY, CONNECTICUT**

**RECOMMENDATION FOR A NEW TEXTBOOK
BOE CURRICULUM SUBCOMMITTEE**

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Course: ELA K-5

Title of Book: Into Reading Series

Publisher: HMH Author(s): multiple

Copyright date: 2025 Edition: Version 3

Cost per student edition: _____ Quantity: _____

Cost per teacher edition: Approx. \$1,500/yr for 5 years per classroom print and digital _____ Quantity: _____

Budgeted item: In FY26 Budget

Staff Endorsements: : Yes, per presentation 12/4/24

Other texts reviewed:

Title	Publisher	Copyright
My View	Savvas	2025

All others on state approved list were reviewed as well

Reason a new text is requested: CSDE Legislation requires districts to adopt one of the approved programs/compendiums by 2025

Reasons for this text selection: Higher rating on teacher rubric, increases in achievement scores and lower pricing in comparison to other program piloted

	0	1	2	3	4	5
To what extent do you agree with the following statements?						
Text focuses on major objectives of course.	0	1	2	3	4	5
Text reflects key concepts/big ideas from CT Frameworks/Curriculum.	0	1	2	3	4	5
Subject matter is geared to interest, ability, and needs of students.	0	1	2	3	4	5
Text utilizes grade appropriate ideas, concepts, skills, and vocabulary.	0	1	2	3	4	5
Critical thinking and problem solving strategies are evident.	0	1	2	3	4	5
Text suggests a variety of activities for multiple intelligences/learning styles	0	1	2	3	4	5
Suggested activities inspire creativity & extension where possible	0	1	2	3	4	5
Suggested activities encourage collaboration with other students.	0	1	2	3	4	5
Allows for ancillary exercises to develop mastery of concepts/skills.	0	1	2	3	4	5
Text, or support materials, include suggestions for both remediation and enrichment.	0	1	2	3	4	5
Text features improve and enhance clarity.	0	1	2	3	4	5
Text includes useful supports for students in appendix, glossary, or resource section.	0	1	2	3	4	5
Incorporates the use of technology for extension.	0	1	2	3	4	5
Written and pictorial content reflect the pluralistic, multi-ethnic nature of our society, both past and present.	0	1	2	3	4	5
Diversity and equity are represented throughout the text.	0	1	2	3	4	5
Content is relevant over a period of years (not quickly outdated).	0	1	2	3	4	5
Overall, this text will serve as a valuable resource to teachers and students.	0	1	2	3	4	5

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APPROVAL OF A NEW TEXT

Date 12/4/24

This text HMH Into Reading Series

Has been authorized by the parties who have signed below to be used in

ELA Instruction K-5
(Course title, grade, or subject)

Assistant Superintendent Date _____

Chair of the Curriculum Subcommittee Date _____

Chair of the Board of Education (final approval) Date _____