

# Instructional Materials

The state of Florida has specific policies and procedures for the adoption of instructional materials to be used in the classrooms by teachers for students. Each year the state reviews and revises (as needed) the standards, policies, and materials that are approved to be used for educational purposes. Governor Ron DeSantis has instituted new ELA and Math standards, along with several revisions to existing Social Studies standards. These changes are considered when the state begins their adoption process for new materials. Visit the FLDOE website for Instructional Materials at <https://www.fldoe.org/academics/standards/instructional-materials/>

In school year 2020-21, our teachers reviewed ELA materials accepted by FLDOE for bid, considered how those materials aligned with the new BEST standards and worked in conjunction with PAEC using the EdCredible platform to reach a decision on two options for adoption. Once state reviewers had finished their work, FLDOE published their official Adoption List. Going from that list, Franklin County School Board voted to adopt and purchase the McGraw-Hill *Wonders* series, suggested by our teachers, for Elementary K-5. Middle School and High School teachers decided on the SAVVAS *myPerspectives* series, which was subsequently adopted and purchased for our students.

This year, 2021-22, is the adoption year for Mathematics. Due to the release of new standards, Franklin will adopt and purchase new materials to align with the new standards. Our review team members are working with their grade level peers to review materials from publishers now. This process should be complete by the end of January. The state's official adoption list should be made available sometime in March. Once we ensure that our choices are on the adoption list, we will ask the school board for approval and purchase. During the next few months, members of the community are encouraged to visit the FLDOE website for the links to publisher materials that are up for adoption.

## Math Instructional Materials Adoption Timeline

<b>Publisher submission of all documents and surveys to EdCredible to compete for adoption</b>	<b>August 6, 2021</b>
<b>Notification of Invitation to Present to Instructional Materials Evaluation Teams</b>	<b>September 10, 2021</b>
<b>Publisher Presentations to Instructional Materials Evaluation Teams</b> <b>Public Access to Digital Content: Click <a href="#">here</a></b>	<b>October 9, 2021</b>
<b>Teachers preview samples and provide feedback. Click <a href="#">here</a> for the list of titles selected for teacher input. Click <a href="#">here</a> for public access to digital content.</b>	<b>November- December</b>

<b>Public Meeting regarding the status and process of the K-12 Math Adoption.</b>	<b>January 6, 2022, 6pm Willie Speed Boardroom</b>
<b>Committee meetings to make final recommendations- present 2 options</b>	<b>January</b>
<b>State list of Adopted Materials published</b>	<b>March/April</b>
<b>Notify all parties concerning the final decision</b>	<b>TBD</b>

Franklin County School District is a closed district for instructional materials adoption. This means that we follow the FLDOE instructional materials statutes and adoption timeline. When the FLDOE begins the current adoption cycle, vendors are not permitted to communicate with employees about the prospective adoption materials.