



MEETING OF: May 19, 2015

TITLE: Approval to Purchase Supplemental Curriculum Materials in Spanish for Dual Language Elementary Schools in Excess of \$120,000.00

ITEM #: 10

Information:

Study:

Action: X

PURPOSE:

To request Governing Board approval to purchase Supplemental Curriculum Materials in Spanish for Dual Language Elementary Schools in Excess of \$120,000. This is in addition to Scholastics materials board approved on March 10, 2015.

DESCRIPTION AND JUSTIFICATION:

The value of leveled libraries allows for delivery of challenging and engaging instruction this is guided by a culturally responsive curriculum and offers an array of multiple perspectives. Leveled libraries can expand literacy experiences and increase achievement, by closing the gap between identified student populations. The state of our current elementary leveled libraries in Tucson Unified School District is a lack of informational and non-fiction literature, and not representative of Tucson Unified School District's diverse population. The sited that have leveled libraries are lacing both the selection of high quality and high interest texts and the level of complexity required by Arizona's English Language Arts Common Core State Standards.

Dual Language Advanced Learning Experience at Hollinger GATE 1-5 will be allocated \$11,212.37 of these materials.

Mr. Ignacio Ruiz Jr., Director of Language Acquisition will be present for questions.

BOARD POLICY CONSIDERATIONS:

LEGAL CONSIDERATIONS:

For all Intergovernmental Agreements (IGAs), Initiator of Agenda Item provides the name of the agency responsible for recording the Agreement after approval:

For amendments to current IGAs, Initiator provides original IGA recording number:

Legal Advisor Signature (if applicable)

BUDGET CONSIDERATIONS:

_____ District Budget

Budget Certification (for use by Office of Financial Services only):

Date



	State/Federal Funds
	Other
<u>Budget Cost</u>	<u>Budget Code</u>
\$90,000	61051410005028 6643
\$30,000	61051110005028 6643

I certify that funds for this expenditure in the amount of \$ are available and may be:
Authorized from current year budget
Authorized with School Board approval
Code: Fund:

INITIATOR(S):

Mr. Steven D. Holmes, Assistant Superintendent of Curriculum and Instruction		5/11/2015
Name	Title	Date

DOCUMENTS ATTACHED/ ON FILE IN BOARD OFFICE:

ATTACHMENTS:
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