

THE KENTON COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

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Dr. Henry Webb, Superintendent of Schools

KCSD ISSUE PAPER

DATE: 5-3-18

AGENDA ITEM (ACTION ITEM):

Consider/Approve purchase of school-wide Reading Program (K-5) from Great Minds publisher, Wit and Wisdom for JA Caywood Elementary. Implementation of program to begin in the 2018-19 school year

APPLICABLE BOARD POLICY:

8.232 Instructional Resources

HISTORY/BACKGROUND:

Due to KPREP, MAP, Dibels, and intervention program data, the school has determined a need to strengthen core instruction in the area of reading. Our Instructional and Curriculum Committee has met on numerous occasions reviewing a variety of possible ELA Core Programs and sent two representatives to see its implementation at another school in Kentucky and found this program to be our best option in supporting instruction of ELA standards at all grade levels and to provide a common language and vocabulary for ALL students.

FISCAL/BUDGETARY IMPACT:

The cost is \$23,940.88 which will come out of Title I funding.

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended the board approve the purchase of Wit and Wisdom, grades K-5 Reading program for Caywood Elementary to begin school-wide implementation in the 2018-19 school year.

CONTACT PERSON:

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Principal 1

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Superintendent

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