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TO: Dr. Jesse Bacon, Superintendent *JB*

FROM: Adrienne Usher, Assistant Superintendent *AU*
Dr. Brandy Howard, Chief Academic Officer

RE: Curriculum/Instructional Resources, etc. Approval

DATE: March 9, 2023

As of July 25, 2022, the Superintendent will oversee all curriculum, textbooks, instructional materials, and student support services per changes in Kentucky Revised Statutes (KRS 160.345). The curriculum in each school shall be designed to achieve student capacities established by KRS 158.645 and the school goals established by KRS 158.6451. The curriculum shall comply with all applicable state and federal statutes and regulations. In any school administered under the provisions of KRS 160.345, the Superintendent shall determine which curriculum, textbooks, instructional materials, and student support services shall be provided in the school after consulting with the Board, the Principal, and the school council and after a reasonable public review and response period for all stakeholders. The attached documentation provides details on the following.

- School/Location
- Name of program or department requesting curriculum
- Applicable research and/or evidence-based findings for this curriculum (What Works ClearingHouse, EdReports, etc.)
- Explanation of curriculum materials including purpose, when will be utilized, content area, etc.
- Date of minimum two-week public stakeholder review by staff, parents, and the school community
- Review/approval date by Assistant Superintendent and/or Chief Academic Officer

Approval is requested of curriculum and/or instructional resources for district wide use along with several schools.

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Date	Name	School	Please provide what specific program and/or department is the request for, if applicable.	Curriculum Material Name (software, textbooks, instructional materials, support services, etc.)	Please provide applicable research and/or evidence-based findings for this curriculum (What Works Clearinghouse, EdReports, etc.) .	Explanation of Curriculum Materials including purpose, when will be utilized, which content/behavior, etc. (link website and/or information)	Provide dates of when a minimum of a 2-week public stakeholder review by staff, parents, and the school community occurred on the school website.	Date when principal consulted/discussed with SBDM Council (if applicable):	Comments/Questions	Asst. Superintendent Approval
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2/15/2023 7:5	Justin Whitsell	BCHS	Culinary	Foundations of Restaurant Management and Culinary Arts ; Servsafe Managers Certification 8th edition	The servsafe managers certification is listed in the KDE Program of Studies/Valid Industry for the Culinary Pathway https://education.ky.gov/_layouts/download.aspx?SourceUrl=http://education.ky.gov/CTE/center/Documents/22-23_Valid_Industry_Certification_List.xlsx	This curriculum teaches students through lecture, self study, and hands on practice to not only gain the required knowledge and experience required to handle food safe but to also prepare students how to manage and oversee how food safety is applied and controlled within the foodservice Industry. Servsafe Managers Certificate is one of the most sought after and recognized throughout the U.S.. National Restaurant Association backs and pushes this certification through coinciding with the USDA Food	Wednesday 15, February 2023	2/15/2023	If any clarification or further information is ne	BH 2.20.23
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2/15/2023 10:	Tabi Echols	EMS	Resources will be used by the Special Education Department, English / Language Arts Department and the school library.	Next Step Guided Reading Assessment Kit K-2 Richardson / Walther Next Step Guided Reading Assessment Kit 3-6- Richardson / Walther Library Books	https://www.janrichardsonreading.com/next-steps-and-the-science-of-reading	We would like to purchase two Guided Reading Assessment Kits (Literacy Footprints) in order to advance our current work with literacy and reading intervention. We are seeing more and more students who need basic reading instruction and we currently have no research based system by which to target a specific reading level. By having assessment kits, teachers will be able to target skills for intervention and provide appropriate leveled reading texts. This will also enable us to order more	Posted 2/9/23	2/13/2023	BH 2.20.23
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2/16/2023 11:	Nate Fulghum	BEHS	Math	Ramsey Classroom	ramseyclassroom.com	ramseyclassroom.com	02/02/23	2/13/2023		BH 2.20.23
2/16/2023 11:	Nate Fulghum	BEHS	Math	Delta Math	deltamath.com	deltamath.com	02/02/23	2/13/2023		AU 3.7.23
2/16/2023 11:	Nate Fulghum	BEHS	Business	TestOut	testout.com	testout.com	02/02/23	2/13/2023		AU 3.7.23
2/16/2023 11:	Nate Fulghum	BEHS	Business	Personal Finance Lab	personalfinancelab.com	personalfinancelab.com	02/02/23	2/13/2023		BH 2.20.23
2/16/2023 11:	Nate Fulghum	BEHS	Business	Dave Ramsey Entrepreneurship	https://www.ramseysolutions.com/education/foundations-entrepreneurship	https://www.ramseysolutions.com/education/foundations-entrepreneurship	02/02/23	2/13/2023		BH 2.20.23
2/16/2023 11:	Nate Fulghum	BEHS	Business	Stukent	https://www.stukent.com/higher-ed/entrepreneurship-bundle/	https://www.stukent.com/higher-ed/entrepreneurship-bundle/	02/02/23	2/13/2023		AU 3.7.23
2/16/2023 11:	Nate Fulghum	BEHS	English	ThinkCERCA	https://www.thinkcerca.com/	https://www.thinkcerca.com/	02/02/23	2/13/2023		AU 3.7.23
2/16/2023 11:	Nate Fulghum	BEHS	Engineering CTE	Project Lead the Way	pltw.org	pltw.org	02/02/23	2/13/2023		BH 2.20.23
2/16/2023 11:	Nate Fulghum	BEHS	Agriculture CTE	ICEV	https://www.icevonline.com/agricultural-science	https://www.icevonline.com/agricultural-science	02/02/23	2/13/2023		AU 3.7.23
2/16/2023 11:	Nate Fulghum	BEHS	LawPublicSafety CTE	ICEV	https://www.icevonline.com/curriculum/law-public-safety-corrections-security	https://www.icevonline.com/curriculum/law-public-safety-corrections-security	02/02/23	2/13/2023		AU 3.7.23
2/16/2023 11:	Nate Fulghum	BEHS	Spec. Ed	Read180	https://www.hmhco.com/programs/read-180	https://www.hmhco.com/programs/read-180	02/02/23	2/13/2023		AU 3.7.23
2/16/2023 15:	Mark Webster	BLMS	History Alive	History Alive	https://www.teachtci.com/why-tci/	Support of the History curriculum	12/20 - 1/15			BH 2.20.23

2/19/2023 20:	Ashley Byerley	OMES	Curriculum, Instruction, and assessment	Reading Strategies 2.0	The Reading Strategies Book 2.0 is designed to be a trusted, research-aligned companion for any K–8 reading classroom—no matter your curriculum, subject area, or instructional approach. Connect crucial research to powerful practice, whether you need engaging lessons for whole-class teaching, support for small-group instruction, ideas for intervention, or ways to fill gaps in a core curriculum.	Reading Strategies 2.0 will be used in all content areas. It includes hundreds of strategies to aid students in becoming more fluent readers. https://www.heinemann.com/products/e13267.aspx	Posted on the website Feb 18	2/27/2023	AU 3.7.23
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2/19/2023 20:	Ashley Byerley	OMES	Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment	Math in Practice	Math in Practice is a standard-based, professional learning resource from Sue O'Connell and colleagues. This grade-by-grade K-5 resource fits with any math curriculum you are using. It identifies the big ideas of math content and best-practice teaching, unpacking essential teaching strategies and detailing why those strategies are powerful.	https://www.heinemann.com/mathinpractice/ Math in Practice is not another curriculum; it's professional development in a book! It supports teachers, administrators, and entire school communities as they guide students into deeper math understanding, respond to the challenges of their math curriculum, and support students who are struggling, excelling, and anywhere in between.	Posted on website Feb 18, 2023	2/27/2023		BH 2.20.23
2/20/2023 13:	Jason Baragary	SES	K-5 Reading	Wit and Wisdom - Great Minds K-5 Reading ELA Instructional Resources	https://www.edreports.org/reports/overview/wit-wisdom-2016	https://greatminds.org/english/witwisdom/#in-wit-wisdom	1/23/23 to present	1/12/2023		BH 2.20.23

2/20/2023 13:	Jason Baragary	SES	K-5 Math	Eureka Math	https://www.edreports.org/reports/overview/eureka-math-2015	Core Content for K-5 students	1/23/23	1/12/2023		BH 2.20.23
2/20/2023 13:	Jason Baragary	SES	K-2 Reading, Foundational Skills	Wilson Foundations	https://www.edreports.org/reports/overview/wilson-foundations	https://www.wilsonlanguage.com/programs/fundations/	1/23/23	1/12/2023		BH 2.20.23
2/20/2023 13:	Jason Baragary	SES	MTSS, K-3 Guided Reading	Literacy Footprint	https://cdn.digitalreader.com/packs/media/resources/overview/lfp-whitepaper-39ad7fd27fe59b8f610d.pdf	https://cdn.digitalreader.com/packs/media/resources/overview/lfp-whitepaper-39ad7fd27fe59b8f610d.pdf	1/23/23	1/12/2023		BH 2.20.23

2/22/2023 9:1	Jennifer Hoglen	BCHS	World Language - Spanish	renewal of subscription to conjuguemos.com	alllanguage resources.com rates conjuguemos.com with 4+ starts; website allows students to practice verb conjugations and vocabulary with a variety of games and activities; repetition helps students master the skills	We use conjuguemos.com to help students learn verb conjugations and vocabulary. The learning is individualized since students can choose the activities that they want to do and teachers can assign different skills to individual students as needed.	Jan. 19 to Feb. 2	1/18/2023	Good resource for differentiation and practice of world languages	BH 3.6.23
2/22/2023 11:	Leslie Weihe	CGES	Mystery Science	Mystery Science online access	https://www.studiesweekly.com/research/	All grades K-5 will utilize Mystery Science during their core Science block in their schedule.	February 7-21, 2023	2/28/2023		BH 2.26.23

2/22/2023 11:	Leslie Weihe	CGES	Social Studies Weekly	Social Studies Weekly-online access, instructional materials, support service professional learning	https://www.studiesweekly.com/research/	K-5 teachers will use Social Studies Weekly during Social Studies Block in schedule.	February 7-21, 2023	2/28/2023		BH 2.26.23
2/23/2023 10:	Jason Baragary	SES	Physical Education and Health (K-5)	Brainball - Physical Education - Learning Through Play	https://www.schoolhealth.com/media/pdf/BRAINBALL%20GUIDE.02.2023_FINAL_Toolkit.pdf	See above link for information on the program. Will be utilized to reinforce learning in reading and math, especially in K-2 classrooms in a cross curricular way.	Posted on 2/23/23	3/10/2023		AU 3.10.23
3/8/2023 9:13	Jennifer Hallinan	BCHS	Special Education Department	Read 180	This program has been used before to increase reading skills and several schools use it now.	This program will be utilized to help struggling readers in a resource setting classroom to promote reading more fluently and comprehending what is being read.	February 1 - February 16	2/15/2023	This program would be very beneficial to students at Bullitt Central to help them improve their reading skills.	AU 3.10.23

3/9/2023 12:1	Julie Wright	CES	School Wide	Brain Pop	https://about.brainpop.com/research/	This is an online program to help assist our teachers with educating our students in the areas of math and science.	1/24/2023 - 2/7/2023	2/15/2023		AU 3.10.23
3/9/2023 12:1	Julie Wright	CES	PreK - 5	Lexia Core 5	https://www.lexialearning.com/core5	Lexia® Core5® Reading is an adaptive blended learning program that accelerates the development of literacy skills for students of all abilities, helping them make that critical shift from learning to read to reading to learn."	1/24/2023-2/7/2023	2/15/2023		AU 3.10.23

3/9/2023 12:1	Julie Wright	CES	Literacy Footprints	Literacy Footprints	https://www.literacyfootprints.com/	Literacy Footprints is a complete guided reading system developed by Jan Richardson and Michèle Dufresne. The lessons are based on Jan's Next Step Forward in Guided Reading and Jan and Michèle's coauthored Next Step Forward in Word Study and Phonics. Literacy Footprints features leveled readers, unique teaching tools, and guided reading lesson plans integrated with reading, writing and phonics.	1/24/2023 - 2/7/2023	2/15/2023	AU 3.10.23
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3/9/2023 12:2	Julie Wright	CES	4th and 5th grade	Social Studies/Science Weekly	https://www.studiesweekly.com/research/	Studies Weekly is a customized, standards-based core curriculum founded on deep learning strategies that increase student knowledge and skills in Social Studies and Science.	01/24/2023 - 2/7/2023	2/15/2023		AU 3.10.23
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3/9/2023 12:3	Julie Wright	CES	K - 5	Eureka Math ² ®	https://greatminds.org/research?products=Eureka+Math%C2%B2&district_size=show-all&geography=show-all&grade_level=show-all	Eureka Math²® is a revolutionary math program designed to advance equity in the math classroom by helping students build enduring math knowledge. The program uses “consistent math models, rigor to support the productive struggle, and coherence across grades, increased opportunities for student discourse, and a new level of flexibility to make math instruction exponentially more teachable and engaging.”	01/24/2023 - 2/7/2023	2/15/2023	AU 3.10.23
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3/9/2023 12:3	Julie Wright	CES	K - 3	Heggerty	https://heggerty.org/research/	The Heggerty Phonemic Awareness Curriculum provides everything you need to teach daily phonemic awareness lessons in 12 minutes or less. Fast, effective and fun, it's no wonder that teachers worldwide have loved the Heggerty approach for nearly 20 years.	01/24/2023 - 02/07/2023	2/15/2023		AU 3.10.23
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3/9/2023 12:3	Julie Wright	CES	K - 3	Phonics Dance	https://docs.google.com/document/d/1W_8fPF4rdj0l3Js4-yKBpWvQo-4oFENT/edit?usp=share_link&ouid=107588214588574577190&rtpof=true&sd=true	The Phonics Dance!™ is a quick and easy way for primary grade educators to teach phonics and increase the reading and writing skills of each and every student in your classroom. It is multilevel learning at its best, and can provide success for all students, regardless of their developmental level. This is a nationally recognized program which is based on research and meets the standards.	01/24/2023 - 02/07/2023	2/15/2023		AU 3.10.23
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3/9/2023 12:3	Julie Wright	CES	K - 5	Zearn	https://about.zearn.org/research	Zearn Math incorporates the best content from the highest-rated OER curricula and works alongside your instruction. This document highlights the alignment between the digital content in Zearn Math and each Module of Eureka Math 2.	01/24/2023 - 02/07/2023	2/15/2023	AU 3.10.23
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3/9/2023 12:3	Julie Wright	CES	PreK - 5	Leader in Me	https://www.leaderinme.org/research-highlights-leadership/	Leader in Me is an evidence-based, comprehensive model that builds leadership and life skills in students, creates a high-trust school culture, and lays the foundation for sustained academic achievement. There are over 5,000 Leader in Me schools in all 50 states and in over 50 countries. Our mission is to unleash the greatness in students, educators, and school communities everywhere.	01/24/2023 - 02/07/2023	2/15/2023	AU 3.10.23
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3/9/2023 12:4	Julie Wright	CES	K - 5	Second Step	https://www.secondstep.org/research	A holistic approach to SEL supports children's and educators' social-emotional well-being and provides opportunities for SEL in and outside of the classroom. When implemented with a coordinated approach that's centered around the child, SEL can help you build stronger communities and support inclusive, safe, and equitable learning environments.	01/24/2023	2/15/2023		AU 3.10.23
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3/9/2023 12:4	Julie Wright	CES	K - 5	Scholastic Literacy Pro	http://teacher.scholastic.com/education/rr-scholastic-literacy-pro-research-foundation.htm	Scholastic Literacy Pro® is the essential digital classroom management tool for independent reading. Literacy Pro provides students with simultaneous access to over 2,500 authentic, high-quality ebooks, some in Spanish, as well as connections to thousands of print books in classroom libraries.	01/24/2023 - 02/07/2023	2/15/2023		AU 3.10.23
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3/9/2023 12:4	Julie Wright	CES	K - 5	Scholastic News	http://teacher.scholastic.com/education/rr-scholastic-classroom-magazines-research-foundation.htm	we provide texts and materials that are carefully crafted and vetted for the classroom. You can trust that any Scholastic magazine provides fact-based and age-appropriate articles from experienced children's writers, activities that teach kids how to think, not what to think, and debates and articles that expose students to multiple perspectives.	01/24/2023 - 02/07/2023	2/15/2023		AU 3.10.23
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3/9/2023 12:4	Julie Wright	CES	K - 5	Story Works	http://teacher.scholastic.com/education/rr-scholastic-classroom-magazines-research-foundation.htm	Storyworks empowers every student to become a confident, successful reader with unforgettable texts in digital and print magazines with embedded activities and videos across the genres and rich ELA activities for reading skill mastery. Click here for more information.	01/24/2023 - 02/07/2023	2/15/2023		AU 3.10.23
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3/9/2023 12:4	Julie Wright	CES	K - 5	World Book Online	https://www.worldbookonline.com/training/why_wb/why_wb.html	World Book Online is an engaging, verified, and trustworthy digital resource for grades pre-K through high school. World Book Online allows students the chance to access coursework and other educational materials anytime, anywhere - providing a platform to keep them engaged and eager to learn.	01/24/2023 - 02/07/2023	2/15/2023		AU 3.10.23
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3/9/2023 12:4	Julie Wright	CES	K - 5	Destiny Library Catalog	https://www.follettlearning.com/education/library-management-system/destiny-discover	Follett Destiny Discover® provides one discovery interface for students and educators to search and access all your print and digital resources, including eBooks, audiobooks, and interactive books, as well as free and paid subscription databases.	01/24/2023 - 02/07/2023	2/15/2023		AU 3.10.23
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3/9/2023 12:5	Julie Wright	CES	K - 5	Quaver Education	https://www.quavered.com/wp-content/uploads/2022/03/QuaverEd_EffectivenessStudy_SEL_2021.pdf	QuaverMusic is a comprehensive, fully-digital music curriculum! It is packed with engaging content that meets PreK–8th National Standards. Technology also includes online composition tools. You can ignite creativity in young musicians of all experience levels with virtual instruments and robust composition tools.	01/24/2023 - 02/07/2023	2/15/2023		AU 3.10.23
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3/9/2023 12:5	Julie Wright	CES	K - 5	Learning A-Z	https://www.learninga-z.com/user_area/content_media/raw/foundations-a-z-research-base.pdf	Learning A - Z provides best practices for teaching literacy, our teaching materials include lesson plans, classroom activities, and assessments that save teachers valuable planning time, as well as thousands of leveled books and resources in multiple formats that can be used for whole-class, small-group, one-to-one instruction, and independent practice.	01/24/2023 - 02/07/2023	2/15/2023	AU 3.10.23
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