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TO: Dr. Jesse Bacon, Superintendent *JB*

FROM: Dr. Adrienne Usher, Assistant Superintendent *AU*
Dr. Brandy Howard, Chief Academic Officer *1-17-23*

RE: Curriculum/Instructional Resources, etc. Approval

DATE: July 17, 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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Timestamp	Email	Name	School/Progr	Please provide what	Curriculum Material	Please provide applicable research and/or	Explanation of Curriculum Materials	Provide dates of when a	Date when
6/5/2023 11:19:15	julie.wright@bullitt.kyschools.us	Julie Wright	CES	Kindergarten	Teach, Play, Learn!: How to Create a Purposeful Play-Driven Classroom - Play-based teaching	https://www.daveburgessconsulting.com/books/teach-play-learn/	In Teach, Play, Learn! educator Adam Peterson shares his insights about the advantages of adopting play-based teaching in today's schools. Complete with tons of activities that you can use right now, concrete examples, and a pedagogical toolkit, this book will help you transform classic toys and games—and even everyday objects—into opportunities for play-centered learning. With an eye toward the practical realities and needs of educators everywhere, Adam Peterson offers effective and affordable solutions that engage students in learning through play. In a warm and engaging style, Adam explains how you can implement a fun, engaging, and play-based approach in the era of standards and high-stakes testing. From board games to card games and from dramatic play to dollar store deals, this book will help you create a classroom where learning—and teaching—are as fun as they are effective.	6/5/2023 - 6/19/2023	6/7/2023
6/6/2023 11:55:59	tim.ridley@bullitt.kyschools.us	Tim Ridley	MWMS	Journalism/Yearbook	Kentucky Journalism Teachers Association	KYJTA.com	This curriculum will align with the high school pathway and will help our students grow and the related skills.	2/21-3/7	2/21/2023
6/6/2023 11:58:04	tim.ridley@bullitt.kyschools.us	Tim Ridley	MWMS	Social Studies	TSI History Alive	https://www.teachit.com/social-studies/middle-school/	Will allow our teachers to have access to primary source documents and other related materials to support the class.	2/21-3/7	2/21/2023
6/7/2023 11:41:45	eric.bristol@bullitt.kyschools.us	Eric Bristol	FES	Math Interventionist	DreamBox Learning	DreamBox Learning is a supplemental online mathematics program that provides adaptive instruction for students in grades K-5 and focuses on number and operations, place value, and number sense. The program aims to individualize instruction for each student using unique paths through the curriculum that match each student's level of comprehension and learning style. (WhatWorks Clearing House)	Math interventionist will be using the curriculum as a supplement to her instruction.	06/07/2023-06/21/2023	5/29/2023
6/12/2023 8:45:45	tim.ridley@bullitt.kyschools.us	Tim Ridley	MWMS	Math Interventions	Dream Box	https://www.dreambox.com/	https://www.dreambox.com/	5/6-5/20	2/21/2023
6/15/2023 13:35:46	shelley.westwood@bullitt.kyschools.us	Shelley Westwood	BCHS	Medicaid Nursing Assistant (MNA)	Mosby's Long term care nursing assistant 9th edition	This is the updated version that is required to teach MNA	This book and workbook will be used to teach the nursing assistant skills course for state certification	6-1-23—6-14-23	6/21/2023
6/21/2023 8:53:52	julie.shumaker@bullitt.kyschools.us	Julie Shumaker	MWES	Grades K-5 (all students)	Scholastic News	http://teacher.scholastic.com/education/tr-scholastic-classroom-magazines-research-foundation.htm	Scholastic News 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."	This was posted 3/1/23 until now	4/18/2023
6/21/2023 8:56:21	julie.shumaker@bullitt.kyschools.us	Julie Shumaker	MWES	Grades 3-5, but can be grades K-2	Story Works	http://teacher.scholastic.com/education/tr-scholastic-classroom-magazines-research-foundation.htm	Storyworks, part of Scholastics, 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.	Was posted 3/1/23 until now	4/18/2023
6/21/2023 10:51:40	julie.shumaker@bullitt.kyschools.us	Julie Shumaker	MWES	Grades K - 5 during Morning meeting	Character Strong	https://characterstrong.com/research/	This program provides research based curriculum that is focused on foundational skills necessary for students to become proficient readers. It is designed to be both a core curriculum as well as an intervention.	posted 6/12/23	
6/21/2023 10:57:28	julie.shumaker@bullitt.kyschools.us	Julie Shumaker	MWES	All students grades K-3	University of Florida Literacy Institute	https://ufli.education.ufl.edu/about/#our-research	This program provides research based curriculum that is focused on foundational skills necessary for students to become proficient readers. It is designed to be both a core curriculum as well as an intervention.	Posted 6/12/23	
7/7/2023 11:07:49	annemarie.landry@bullitt.kyschools.us	Anne Marie Landry	NES	Implemented by K-3rd grade,	UFLI-University of Florida Literacy Institute	Data and Results - https://ufli.education.ufl.edu/wp-content	"UFLI Foundations, an explicit and systematic program	07/05/23 - 07/19/23	8/15/2023
7/14/2023 14:14:04	dominic.mccamish@bullitt.kyschools.us	Dominic McCamish	BVLA	BVLA (and possible BAC/CR)	Delta Math https://www.deltamath.com	Educatorstechnology.com indicates it is a good tool for as	Delta Math is a tool that allows students to practice skills	June 26 - Present (7/14)	Dominic McCamish
	kim.lee@bullitt.kyschools.us	Kim Lee	Central Office Department	PreK	My Big World	https://mybigworld.scholastic.com/	This magazine will be sent out to families and is in conjunction with PreK on my Way Curriculum	Posted 7/12/23	
	kim.lee@bullitt.kyschools.us	Kim Lee	Central Office Department	PreK	PreK on my Way	https://teacher.scholastic.com/education/pre-k-on-my-way/index.html	Children develop fundamental math, literacy, and language skills through literature and activities that explore various content areas.	Posted 7/12/23	