

Proposal for Learning Resources Adoption, 2016

Grades 9-12 Foreign Language

From January – April, April Hodges guided the grades 9-12 Foreign Language adoption process. In the last foreign language adoption which took place in 2010, the teachers opted to only purchase resources and continue using the textbooks they already had making their current textbook resource at fourteen years old and demonstrating the need for the current adoption. Teacher representatives from each school were an integral part of this process, and yet where teachers were not directly involved in the adoption, they were asked to provide suggestions and comments throughout the process. Textbook publishers presented available resources to the representative group on January 13, 2016. Once the resources were presented, the teacher representatives discussed the timelines and what tasks they were being asked to complete. The representatives from each high school then led several planning meetings on their respective campuses in order to evaluate each resource available for consideration. Teachers in each language were asked to evaluate resources based on the rubric provided by the Georgia Department of Education, their standards, as well as the ACTFL standards. Teachers used that information to form the basis for the below recommendations.

Title	Publisher	Cost (per)	Comments	Grade/Course
Spanish				
¡Avancemos! Student Edition Level 1	Houghton Mifflin Harcourt (HMH)	\$83.75	New Adoption	9-12
¡Avancemos! Student Edition Level 2	HMH	\$83.75	New Adoption	9-12
¡Avancemos! Student Edition Level 3	HMH	\$83.75	New Adoption	9-12
Temas Student Edition + Supercite (AP text)	Vista Higher Learning	\$99.00	New Adoption	11-12
French				
Bien Dit! Student Edition Level 1	HMH	\$88.50	New Adoption	9-12
Bien Dit! Student Edition Level 2	HMH	\$88.50	New Adoption	9-12
Bien Dit! Student Edition Level 3	HMH	\$88.50	New Adoption	9-12
Themes Student Edition + Supercite (AP text)	Vista Higher Learning	\$99.00	New Adoption	11-12

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Title	ECHS	SEHS	STEM	Cost (per text)	Total Cost
Spanish					
¡Avancemos! Student Edition Level 1	160	135	70	\$83.75	\$30,568.75
¡Avancemos! Student Edition Level 2	160	135	70	\$83.75	\$30,568.75
¡Avancemos! Student Edition Level 3	80	45	70	\$83.75	\$16,331.25
Temas Student Edition + Supercite (AP text)	25	25		\$99.00	\$4950.00
French					
Bien Dit! Student Edition Level 1	35	70	70	\$88.50	\$15,487.50
Bien Dit! Student Edition Level 2	35	70	70	\$88.50	\$15,487.50
Bien Dit! Student Edition Level 3	35	38	70	\$88.50	\$12,655.50
Themes Student Edition + Supercite (AP text)	20			\$99.00	\$1980.00

Total proposed cost (approximate based on current numbers): \$128029.25