



VIRGINIA BEACH CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS
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MEMORANDUM

TO: Carla A.B. Smith, CPPO, CPPB
Director, Office of Purchasing Services

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VENDOR: Just Right Reader

DOLLAR AMOUNT: \$992,247.93

DATE: May 25, 2023

This memorandum is to certify Just Right Reader is the sole provider of Science of Reading Decodable Text classroom libraries. The materials are for grades k-5 and are aligned to Evidence Based Literacy instruction. The decodable libraries are designed to promote the Compass to 2025 Goal 1: High Academic Expectations. Specifically, these resources will be used to support the implementation of the Virginia Literacy Act and Scientifically Based Reading Research.

This purchase will be funded by federal dollars. Of the estimated \$992,247.93 purchase price, \$992,247.93 is being funded by the FY22 ARP Unfinished Learning grant award that has a FY23 budget of \$1,747,782.50.

Should you need additional information, please contact Cari Hall at cari.hall@vbschools.com.


Carla Smith (Jun 4, 2023 20:57 EDT)

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