BOE Agenda Item Executive Summary
Date: May 2, 2022

Topic: Perfection Learning and Bedford, Freeman & Worth – Secondary Advanced Placement English Language Arts Curricular Resources

Background Information: Advanced Placement courses have specific course outcomes that must be taught throughout the course of the year to prepare students for the Advanced Placement test for the course. Scoring well on advanced placement test can provide the student college credit for these courses at most universities without paying the full cost of tuition for the course. AP Central provides an approved list of recommended textbooks for each AP course. The current resources resources adopted for these two courses are from 2006 and 2012. For our courses at high school level, a committee of educators in WPS reviewed current resources available for purchase that will align AP course outcomes. This committee recommended our district purchase the following materials to support our AP courses and programming.

Resources Include:

HS Courses: AP Language
Company: Perfection Learning

- Teacher Resource Bundle – one-time purchase
- Student Textbooks – one-time purchase
- Student access to online resources for 7 years

Recommendation: Purchase not to exceed $95,000 (Quotes: $87,692.85)

HS Course: AP Literature
Company: Bedford, Freeman & Worth

- Teacher Editions with Online Resources – one-time purchase
- Student Textbooks – one-time purchase
- Student access to online resources for 7 years

Recommendation: Purchase not to exceed $45,000.00 (Quote: $37,359.00)