



**MINUTES OF INTRODUCTION TO STATISTICS
CURRICULUM ADOPTION COMMITTEE
SCOTTSDALE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 48
SUSD Oak Campus, 7501 E. Oak Street, Scottsdale, AZ 85257**

Date: January 22, 2025 Time: 3:30 PM - 5:30 PM

Call to Order

Meeting was called to order at 3:30 PM.

Attendance

Present: Tiffini Johnson, Nathalie Vitale, Serge Adamanko

Absent:

Committee Support: Dr. Kim Dodds-Keran, Carline Fried, Dede Johnston

1. Welcome

Carline Fried

2. Roll Call

Information/Discussion and Possible Action

3. Approval of January 22, 2025 Meeting Agenda - Information/Discussion or Possible Action Item

Carline Fried

- Motion: Nathalie Vitale moved to approve the agenda for Jan. 22, 2025 as written
- Seconded: The motion was seconded by Tiffini Johnson
- Vote: The motion was approved by a vote of 3-0.

4. Approval of December 18, 2024 Meeting Minutes - Information/Discussion or Possible Action Item

Carline Fried

- Motion: Tiffini Johnson motioned to approve the minutes of the Dec. 18, 2024 meeting minutes.
- Seconded: The motion was seconded by Nathalie Vitale
- Vote: The motion was approved by a vote of 3-0.

5. Public Review Update -

Carline Fried shared the feedback gathered from teachers in schools for the products under review. Teacher feedback favored Bedford, Freeman and Worth.

6. Vendor Presentation -

Bedford, Freeman & Worth, *Statistics and Probability with Applications (High School) 5e*. Jeanette Fougerson was in person and Travis Long presented virtually from Austin Texas. The edition that the committee has been reviewing is the 4th edition; the online portion of the 4th edition will be available until 2030. The new 5th edition was brought to the presentation, only Chapter 1, is available online, the complete online version is projected to be completed by June 1, 2025. Google classroom is not compatible with the test bank platform.

7. Vendor Presentation -

Pearson Education, *Elementary Statistics Picturing the World, 8th edition*
Alicia Conley and Brittany Zekofsky presented in person. MyLab overview.

The committee discussed features of the programs that would benefit their students. Engagement was discussed as important.

Bedford, Freeman & Worth:

Alignment with Stats Medic and teacher resources were key features of interest. Teacher and student resources for lessons as well as engagement activities were abundant and easily accessible.

Pearson Education:

Superior platform but not as many teacher resources for new teachers who are teaching a course for the first time.

Consensus on following up with Bedford, Freeman and Worth to work out the details of a further demonstration of the online platform.

8. Future Dates and Committee Meetings -

Carline Fried

- Next Meeting: Wednesday, January 29, 2025 3:30 PM - 5:30 PM, SUSD's Oak Campus

Adjournment:

Meeting was adjourned at 6:05 PM

Dated this day, January 22, 2025