

Instruction

Introduction of Curriculum, Instructional Materials, and Programs

Before any new curriculum book (material) is used, it must be reviewed by a committee consisting of two teachers, two Curriculum Committee members, two parents and the building principal. Parents for the review committee are to be selected by the building principal. Textbooks and workbooks will be exempt from this review process.

The committee will give its written evaluation to the Curriculum Committee. The Curriculum Committee will use this information to make its recommendation to the Board of Education. A copy of the review committee's findings and the book being reviewed will be presented to the Board of Education by the Curriculum Committee for final approval.

All new books (materials) introduced into the curriculum must be approved prior to the start of the school year. This excludes textbooks and workbooks. A list of approved materials will be published on the school's website for parent and community review. Any book (material) that is placed on the approved reading list will not need yearly approval from the Board of Education. Library books cannot be used as part of the teaching curriculum unless they have been approved by the Board of Education using the aforementioned policy.