

**OFFICE OF THE ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT**  
**FOR EDUCATIONAL SERVICES**

TO: Dr. Mike Riggle

FROM: Dr. Rosanne Williamson

RE: PRELIMINARY REVIEW FOR ADDITIONAL TEXTBOOK  
CHANGES FOR THE 2009-2010 SCHOOL YEAR

DATE: July 6, 2009

Occasionally, as a result of ongoing spring and summer curriculum development, or new information from publishers relative to textbook availability, the need arises to bring forward additional recommendations for textbook changes. Attached you will find a recommendation for four additional textbooks for next year at Glenbrook North. In each of these cases, the reason for the request is due to new information from the publisher relative to textbook availability. The requests have been reviewed by the teachers involved, the instructional supervisors and the associate principal-curriculum.

The attached requests, highlighted in yellow, are recommended for approval. Please note that because the district moved to a new online textbook adoption program last spring that is in need of further updates, summer textbook changes cannot be separated from those that went to the Board in April. A copy of the proposed textbooks will be available for review at the July 13, 2009 Board meeting. If the Board feels comfortable with approving the proposal that night, the books can be ordered in time for the start of the school year.

As an informational item, the fifth-year Spanish courses (Spanish 563, Spanish 573, and Spanish AP 583) would like to incorporate the *Tell Me More* online skills-based program into the curriculum. This program has already been approved by the Board for use in other courses and would especially enhance the AP course that has become more skills-based. This would be at an additional \$20 cost.

I recommend that the attached textbook recommendations be presented to the Board of Education for the Board's preliminary review and possible action at its meeting of July 13, 2009.

**Textbook Change Summary**

School : **GBN**

Department : **ForL**

Consent Agenda Item # 6.1

Adopted at	Title	Author	Publisher	Edition	Rationale for change	Has the current book being used for 5 or more years?	Price	Total Cost Difference for all course materials
<b>Course: FSP15300</b>								
<b>A</b>								
	Avancemos- Level 1 Textbook	McDougal Littell	McDougal Littell	1st	Avancemos offers updated content that is more meaningful to today's students. Also, the technology components and ancillary materials are more sophisticated.		\$67.11	
	Avancemos Workbook - Level 1	Holt McDougal	Holt McDougal	1st	Avancemos offers updated content that is more meaningful to today's students. Also, the technology components and ancillary materials are more sophisticated.		\$14.10	
	Avancemos Level 1 Textbook	McDougal Littell	McDougal Littell	2nd	Avancemos offers updated content that is more meaningful to today's students. Also, the technology component and ancillary materials are more sophisticated. NOTE: THE 2010 EDITION IS NOW AVAILABLE.		\$67.11	
<b>D</b>								
	Avancemos-Level 1 Textbook	McDougal Littell	McDougal Littell	1st		No	This text was adopted at the April 2009 Board meeting, but the publisher recently released the 2010 edition, which will be available over a longer period of time, thus limiting the need to change editions due to availability of the textbook.	-\$67.11
	Spanish Level One: Ven Comingo	Holt	Holt		The proposed new text will better help students reach course objectives.	Yes		
	VEN COMIGO LVL 1	HUMBACK	HOLT		The course content has been changed and the book is inappropriate. The proposed new text will better help students reach course objectives.	Yes	-\$81.75	
	VEN CONMIGO LVL 1- PRACTICE & ACTIVITY	HUMBACK	HOLT		The proposed new text will better help students reach course objectives.	Yes	-\$19.25	
								<b>-\$-19.79</b>

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<b>Course: FSP16300</b>								
<b>A</b>								
	Avancemos Spanish 1 Workbook	Holt McDougal	Holt McDougal	1st-R	Avancemos offers updated content that is more meaningful to today's students. Also, the technology components and ancillary materials are more sophisticated.		\$14.10	
	Avancemos- Spanish 1 Textbook	McDougal Littell	McDougal Littell	1st	Avancemos offers updated content that is more meaningful to today's students. Also, the technology components and ancillary materials are more sophisticated.		\$67.11	
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	Avancemos- Spanish 1 Textbook	McDougal Littell	McDougal Littell	1st		No	This text was adopted at the April 2009 Board meeting, but the publisher recently released the 2010 edition, which will be available over a longer period of time, thus limiting the need to change editions due to availability of the textbook.	-\$67.11
	Spanish Level One: Ven Comingo	Holt	Holt		The proposed new text will better help students reach course objectives.	Yes		
	VEN COMIGO LVL 1	HUMBACK	HOLT		The proposed new text will better help students reach course objectives.	Yes	-\$81.75	
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<b>A</b>	Avancemos - Level 2	McDougal Littell	McDougal Littell	1st	Avancemos textbooks meets the content needed to teach level 2 and integrates the technology needed to educate today's tech geared classroom.		\$68.25	
	Avancemos-Workbook	McDougal Littell	McDougal Littell	First	Avancemos textbooks meets the content needed to teach Level 2 and integrates the technology needed to educate today's technology geared classrooms.		\$14.10	
	Avancemos Level 2 Text Book	McDougal Littell	McDougal Littell	2nd	Avancemos textbooks meet the content needed to teach level 2 and integrates the technology needed to educate today's tech geared classroom. NOTE: THE 2010 EDITION IS NOW AVAILABLE.		\$68.25	
<b>D</b>	Avancemos - Level 2	McDougal Littell	McDougal Littell	1st		No	Text was adopted at the April 2009 Board meeting, but the publisher recently released the 2010 edition, which will be available over a longer period of time.	-\$68.25
	VEN CONMIGO: (LVL 2)(GRAMMAR & VOCAB WKBK)	HOLT	HOLT		The proposed new text will better help students reach course objectives.	Yes	\$-16.50	
	VEN CONMIGO LVL 2 PRACTICE & ACTIVITIES BOOK	HUMBACK	HOLT		The proposed new text will better help students reach course objectives.	Yes	\$-20.00	
	VEN COMINGO LVL 2	HUMBACK	HOLT		The proposed new text will better help students reach course objectives.	Yes	\$-78.25	
								<b>\$-32.40</b>
<b>Course: FSP27300</b>								
<b>A</b>	Vistas	Vistas Higher Learning	Vistas Higher Learning	3rd	The 2nd edition is currently being used and no longer available.		\$156.00	
<b>D</b>	VISTAS (SET:TXT/DICT/LAB/WKBK)(W/5 CDS & 3 CD-ROMS)	BLANCO	VISTA	2ND	The book is out of print or difficult to acquire in adequate numbers.	Yes	\$-160.00	
								<b>\$-4.00</b>

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	Avancemos Level 3 Textbook	McDougal Littell	McDougal Littell	2nd	The content of Avancemos is more updated and more in touch with today's student. It's technology components are more sophisticated. NOTE: THE 2010 EDITION IS NOW AVAILABLE.		\$68.25	
	Avancemos Level 3	McDougal Littell	McDougal Littell	First	The context of Avancemos is more updated and more in touch with today's student. Its technology components are more sophisticated.		\$68.25	
	Avancemos Workbook	McDougal Littell	McDougal Littell	First	The context of Avancemos is more updated and more in touch with today's student. It's technology components are more sophisticated.		\$14.10	
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	REALIDADES (PRACTICE WKBK 3)	PRENTICE HALL	PHHSD		The proposed new text is more accessible to students in terms of readability.	Yes	-\$11.50	
	REALIDADES (LVL3)	PRENTICE HALL	PHHSD		The proposed new text will better help students reach course objectives.	Yes	-\$77.75	
	Avancemos Level 3	McDougal Littell	McDougal Littell	First		No	This text was adopted at the April 2009 Board meeting, but the publisher recently released the 2010 edition, which will be available over a longer period of time, thus limiting the need to change editions due to availability of the textbook.	-\$68.25
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