



STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

MEMORANDUM

TO: District Superintendents
State Board of Education
District Instructional Materials Coordinators

FROM: Matthew Ferguson
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DATE: October 31, 2023

RE: 2023 Instructional Materials Public Review

The Instructional Materials Review Panels have finalized their instructional materials recommendations for the 2023 adoption cycle. The student editions of each of the recommended programs will be on display from November 3 through December 4, 2023, at eight review locations across the state and available virtually using publisher-provided links. A report of the Review Panel recommendations with citizen comments from the public review will be submitted to the State Board of Education on December 12, 2023. Upon approval of the panel recommendations, districts and schools will receive notification of the newly adopted materials.

We would like to invite you and members of your district and community to participate in the public review. Attached is a copy of the press release that provides the link to the South Carolina Department of Education's website to access information on the virtual public review. Please assist us by distributing this information to the appropriate people in your district and schools.