



Indiana Department of Education

SUPPORTING STUDENT SUCCESS

Textbook Adoption Publisher Assurances

House Enrolled Act 1429 was passed by the Indiana General Assembly during the 117th General Session. HEA 1429 outlines the review process and the assurances required by publishers in order for their curricular materials to be reviewed. Please see the detailed information below that will govern the review process.

- IC 20-20-5.5-2(a) states that the department staff shall evaluate curricular materials. The evaluation must include an evaluation of: the curricular materials' alignment to the academic standards adopted by the state board under IC 20-31-3-1; and the appropriateness of the reading level of the curricular materials.
- IC 20-20-5.5-2(b) states that the department shall publish a report that describes the method used to conduct the evaluation required under subsection (a) and that contains the results of the evaluation. The report must: provide a list of each curricular material evaluated and a summary of the evaluation for each curricular material; be updated annually; and provide a listing and summary review for the curricular materials that are aligned to the academic standards adopted by the state board under IC 20-31-3-1 for English/Language Arts; Reading; Mathematics; Science; Social Studies; Miscellaneous; and World Languages.
- IC 20-20-5.5-2(d) states that in order to be included in the report under subsection (b), a publisher must provide the department a written exact and standard statewide price for each curricular material.

Please provide the following information for your textbooks submitted for review for **K-6 Reading**:

Publisher Name: Benchmark Education (Please note that in the Book Title below BL stands for Benchmark Literacy.)

Book Title	Grade Level	ISBN	Copyright Year	Price
BL Gr K Whole & Small Group with Resources	Grade K	978-1-4509-5697-0	2011	\$ 2,800
BL Writer's Workshop Gr K		978-1-4509-6019-9	2012	\$ 349
BL StartUp Phonics		978-1-4509-5687-1	2011	\$ 695
BL Gr 1 Whole & Small Group with Resources	Grade 1	978-1-4509-5698-7	2011	\$ 2,800
BL Writer's Workshop Gr 1		978-1-4509-6020-5	2012	\$ 349
BL BuildUp Phonics		978-1-4509-5688-8	2011	\$ 695
BL Gr 2 Whole & Small Group with Resources	Grade 2	978-1-4509-5699-4	2011	\$ 2,800
BL Writer's Workshop Gr 2		978-1-4509-6930-7	2012	\$ 349
BL SpiralUp Phonics		978-1-4509-5689-5	2011	\$ 695
BL Gr 3 Whole & Small Group with Resources	Grade 3	978-1-4509-6077-9	2011	\$ 2,950
BL Writer's Workshop Gr 3		978-1-4509-6931-4	2012	\$ 349
BL Word Study Skills Set 1 Start		978-1-4509-6935-2	2011	\$ 695
BL Gr 4 Whole & Small Group with Resources	Grade 4	978-1-4509-6078-6	2011	\$ 2,950
BL Writer's Workshop Gr 4		978-1-4509-6932-1	2012	\$ 349
BL Word Study Skills Set 2 Build		978-1-4509-6936-9	2011	\$ 695
BL Gr 5 Whole & Small Group with Resources	Grade 5	978-1-4509-6079-3	2011	\$ 2,950
BL Writer's Workshop Gr 5		978-1-4509-6933-8	2012	\$ 349
BL Word Study Skills Set 3 Spiral		978-1-4509-6937-6	2011	\$ 695
BL Gr 6 Whole & Small Group with Resources	Grade 6	978-1-4509-6080-9	2011	\$ 2,950
BL Writer's Workshop Gr 6		978-1-4509-6934-5	2012	\$ 349
BL Word Study Skills Set 4 Extend		978-1-4509-6938-3	2011	\$ 695

Please initial each box below to indicate your agreement with each item. Agreement with each of these statements is not a condition of submission but this information will be made available to schools as part of the review process.

X	I assure that the materials submitted for evaluation meet the NIMAS requirements outlined in section IC 20-26-12-24(i).
X	I assure that the materials submitted for evaluation will be made available in alternate formats as required to meet the needs of students with disabilities.
X	I assure that I will make the materials submitted will be made available to local education agencies for no less than six years from the date of the published review.
X	I assure that I will make the materials submitted for evaluation available to local education agencies at the price indicated on the attached Schedule A for no less than six years.

I understand that any materials I submit will be evaluated according to IC 20-20-5.5; that the materials cannot be withdrawn from the review once submitted; and that I will not be able to appeal or submit written comments upon completion of the evaluation.

Peter G. Clifford

Name of Person with Authority to Bind the Company

10/31/11
Date

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Signature of the Person with Authority to Bind the Company

**Breakdown of Components in Benchmark Literacy
Whole Group and Small Group**

Gr. K	Whole Group	10 Shared Reading Big Books with 6 matching small books per title 10 Reader's Theater Lap Books with 6 matching small books per title 20 Comprehension Posters (double-sided) 10 Fluency Posters
	Small Group	420 Leveled Texts (6 copies each of 70 titles) with Teacher Guides and Comprehension Question Cards
Gr. 1	Whole Group	10 Shared Reading Big Books with 6 matching small books per title 10 Reader's Theater Lap Books with 6 or 12 matching small books per title 20 Comprehension Posters (double-sided) 10 Fluency Posters
	Small Group	900 Leveled Texts (6 each of 150 titles) with Teacher Guides and Comprehension Question Cards
Gr. 2	Whole Group	10 Shared Reading Big Books with 6 matching small books per title 10 Reader's Theater Scripts in 6- or 12-packs with Teacher's Guides 20 Comprehension Posters (double-sided) 10 Fluency Posters
	Small Group	540 Leveled Texts (6 each of 90 titles) with Teacher Guides and Comprehension Question Cards
Gr. 3	Whole Group	20 Genre Posters (double-sided) 10 Reader's Theater Scripts in 6- or 12-packs with Teacher's Guides 20 Comprehension Posters (double-sided) 10 Fluency Posters
	Small Group	480 Leveled Texts (6 each of 80 titles) with Teacher Guides and Comprehension Question Cards
Gr. 4	Whole Group	20 Genre Posters (double-sided) 10 Reader's Theater Scripts in 6- or 12-packs with Teacher's Guides 20 Comprehension Posters (double-sided) 10 Fluency Posters
	Small Group	420 Leveled Texts (6 each of 70 titles)
Gr. 5	Whole Group	20 Genre Posters (double-sided) 10 Reader's Theater Scripts in 6- or 12-packs with Teacher's Guides 20 Comprehension Posters (double-sided) 10 Fluency Posters
	Small Group	480 Leveled Texts (6 each of 80 titles) with Teacher Guides and Comprehension Question Cards
Gr. 6	Whole Group	20 Genre Posters (double-sided) 10 Reader's Theater Scripts in 6- or 12-packs with Teacher's Guides 20 Comprehension Posters (double-sided) 10 Fluency Posters
	Small Group	480 Leveled Texts (6 each of 80 titles) with Teacher Guides and Comprehension Question Cards