

BIBB COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
Dr. Dan A. Sims, Superintendent

ACTION MEMORANDUM

To: Bibb County Board of Education
From: Olena Stadnik, Director of Elementary Services
Susan Jones, Assistant Superintendent of Teaching & Learning (Interim)
Subject: Renewal of Voyager Passport Intervention Curriculum

Summary:

Voyager Passport is a research-based intervention curriculum designed to provide comprehensive, explicit, and systemic reading instruction. During daily 45-minute lessons, students receive explicit instruction in all five essential components of reading: phonemic awareness, phonics, comprehension, fluency, and vocabulary.

Background:

The purpose of the Early Intervention Program (EIP) is to provide additional instructional resources to help students who are performing below grade level obtain the necessary academic skills to reach grade-level performance in the shortest possible time (GADOE EIP Guidelines).

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Recommendation:

It is recommended that the Board of Education authorizes the Superintendent to approve the renewal of the Voyager Passport intervention curriculum to be implemented with K-5 Early Intervention Program (EIP) students during the 2024-2025 school year. The cost will not exceed \$242,568.00, which will come from General funds.

Superintendent's Comments and Approval:

Superintendent's Comments	Approved / Not Approved
Dr. Dan A. Sims	Approved