

ACTION MEMORANDUM

To: Bibb County Board of Education
From: Jamie Cassady, Assistant Superintendent of Student Support Services
Jennifer Donnelly, Executive Director of PEC
Elaine Wilson-Beverly, Executive Director of Procurement
Subject: Teachtown Curriculum

Summary:

The Program for Exceptional Children is recommending the purchase of the Jigsaw Learning DBA Teachtown enCORE Curriculum for use in our Access Classes. This curriculum provides a comprehensive three-tiered curriculum for grade k-12 for students with cognitive deficits. Included with this product will be consumable materials and classroom sets of level literature.

Background:

The Procurement Department issued RFP 24-033 on 03/29/2024; The bid closed on 04/24/2024. We had a total of three respondents. The bid was evaluated and scored based on the criteria within the RFP. The PEC Department has reviewed and selected a new curriculum for students with cognitive deficits. After careful evaluation it has been determined that Jigsaw Learning, LLC DBA: Teachtown enCORE Curriculum has the best proposal to offer. The Teachtown enCORE Curriculum has both online and hands-on components for students and teachers. The materials provide engaging lessons along with on-going progress monitoring support on students' individual goals.

TeachTown is an adapted, comprehensive, core curriculum for students with moderate to severe disabilities. It includes leveled, differentiated content across English Language Arts, Math, Science and Social Studies and includes content to fill all instructional time in these areas.

Recommendation:

The Program for Exceptional Children is recommending the board of education approve the purchase of Jigsaw Learning, DBA: TeachTown for students with cognitive deficits at a cost of \$414,128.15 paid for through IDEA Flowthru Funds.

Superintendent's Comments and Approval:

Superintendent's Comments	Approved/Disapproved
Dr. Dan A. Sims	Approved