Advance Notice
June 13, 2012

Elementary Reading: Book Rooms and Comprehension Adoption – Hard

Action to be taken: I move the Board approve the Benchmark and Good Habits, Good Readers Book Rooms, Rigby leveled reader extension for levels A – C, and the Making Meaning Comprehension curriculum as recommended.

Curriculum materials for elementary leveled Book Room and reading comprehension for grades K-5 have been recommended by the materials selection committee, recommended by our Instructional Materials Committee and will be presented at the June 13th board meeting for formal approval.

These comprehension materials and guided reading book sets align with the Common Core State Standards and will provide rigorous learning opportunities and appropriate challenge for all students in grades Kindergarten through Grade 5.The leveled readers enable our teachers to provide reading materials at the instructional reading level for each student. The materials will be used in conjunction with the Fountas and Pinnell Phonics materials that have been approved for grades K-2.

The materials have been on public display from May 18 through June 1 and no public comments have been submitted. Additionally, no public comments regarding the materials have been submitted via our online reading adoption webpage.