

DISCUSSION ITEMS

March 23, 2023



Instructional Materials Adoption: Social Studies Core Material

School Board Policy IJJ - TEXTBOOK / SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIALS SELECTION AND ADOPTION

- The Board will approve the budget for the purchase of new textbooks and supplementary books.
- The Superintendent shall establish textbook selection procedures that shall provide for the appropriate involvement of staff members, students, and community members.
- Written notice to parents and other community members will be provided and parents will be involved in the instructional materials adoption process.
- Public notice regarding the instructional materials adoption process will be provided.
- The textbook and supplementary materials selection process must include a review of options available on the multiple lists provided for in Section 22-15-8 of the New Mexico Statutes Annotated.
- The procedures established may provide for textbook selection committees.
- Recommendations from such textbook selection committees will be forwarded to the Superintendent.

Social Studies Core Material: Continued

- Notice to parents and public was provided on the GISD Website
- Each campus created a textbook review committee
- Parents were included on the campus textbook committees
- Campus committees had the opportunity to review text samples on campus, attend publisher presentations and review material/information posted on the [NMPED Website](#)
- Campus committees reviewed each title and submitted a rubric
- [Elementary](#), [Middle](#), and [High](#) School Review Procedures

Social Studies Core Material - Continued

- **McGraw Hill**

- K - 3rd, 5th, 6th, 8th, United States (10th), World (11th)
 - No 4th, Govt/Econ (12th)

- **Cengage**

- 8th, United States (10th), World (11th), Govt/Econ (12th)
 - No K-6

- **Houghton Mifflin Harcourt (HMH)**

- 8th, United States (10th), World (11th), Govt. (12th)
 - No K-6, Econ.

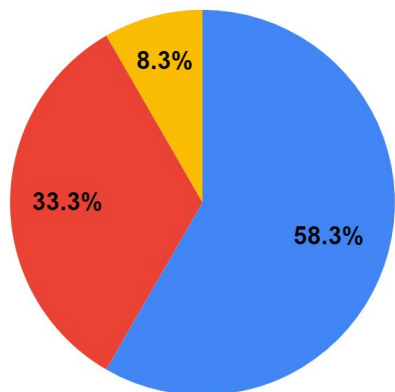
- **SAVVAS**

- K - 5th, 6th, 8th, United States (10th), World (11th), Govt/Econ (12th)

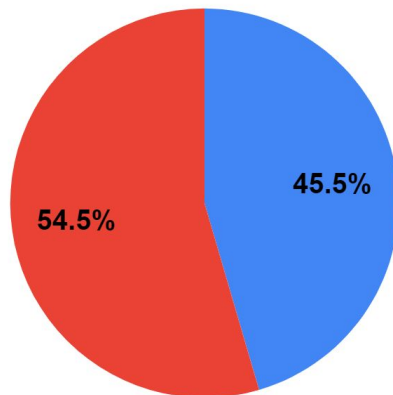
- ***No Core NM History Available from any publisher - 4th, 7th, 9th***

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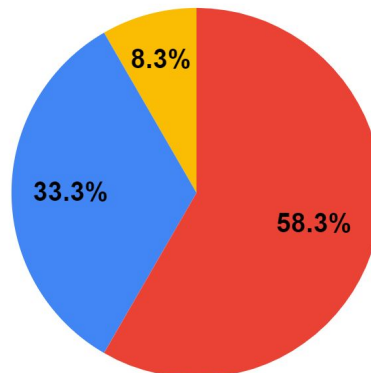
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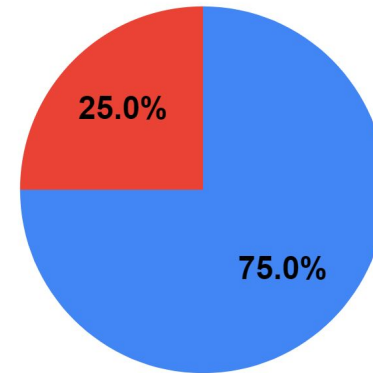
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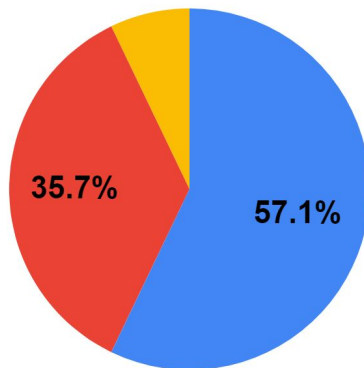
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4th



5th



- **SAVVAS** Preferred in Grades - K, 3, 4, 5
- **McGraw Hill** Preferred in Grades - 1, 2
 - Only SAVVAS submitted for 4th

● SAVVAS

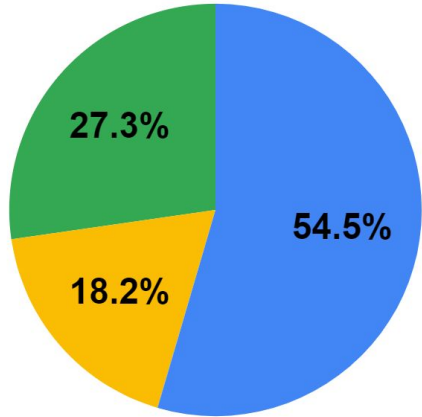
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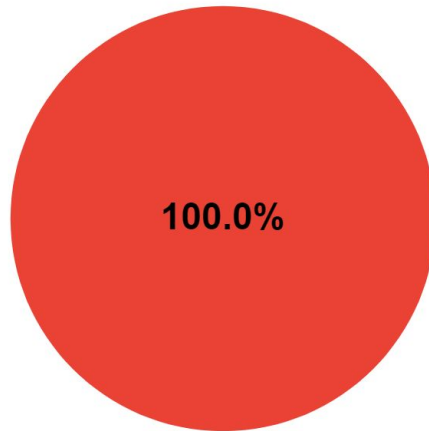
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6th



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8th

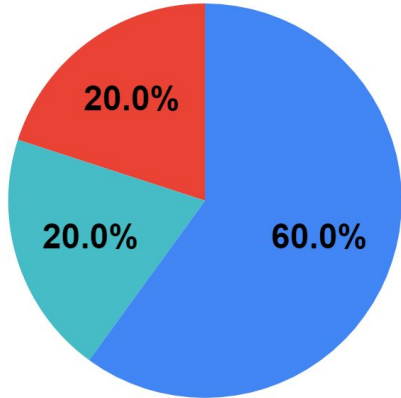


● McGraw Hill

- **SAVVAS** - Preferred in Grade 6
- **McGraw Hill** - Preferred in Grade 8

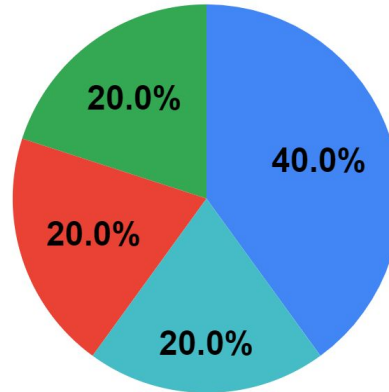
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US History



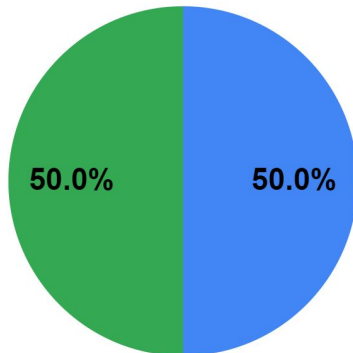
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World History



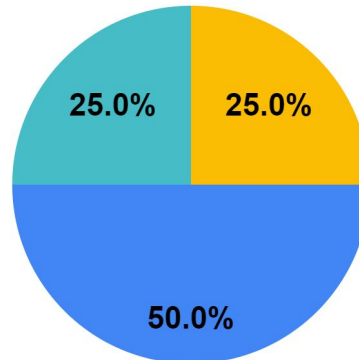
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Government



● SAVVAS ● HMH

Economics



● Equal (SAVVAS and Cengage) ● SAVVAS ● Cengage

- **SAVVAS**
 - Preferred in US History, World History, Economics
- **SAVVAS and HMH**
 - Tied for Preference in Government

Instructional Materials Adoption: Continued

SAVVAS and McGraw Hill offer the only near comprehensive K-12 programs.

Both

- Have digital access to online material and text.
- Have compatibility with Google Classroom and Schoology (LMS)
- Have supplemental materials and tools to support ELs and SPED Students

SAVVAS

- Identical spanish/english material K-5, 6, 8, translation tools in 9-12 digital texts
- K-5 student text are write in consumables, 8-12 traditional student texts
- K-5 Leveled Readers (English/Spanish)
- 9-12 Primary Source/Reading guide (consumable)
- Copyright Dates - K-5, 6, 8 (2019) 9-12 (2022, 2023)

McGraw Hill

- Identical spanish/english material K-5,
 - Student Edition, Student Inquiry Journal, Explorer Magazine, Research Companion in Spanish/English
- 6 and 8 - 12 student editions in Spanish
- Did not submit Government/Economics as the 2024 Edition was not published.
- Copyright Dates - K-5 (2020) 6, 8, 9-12 (2023)

Instructional Materials Adoption: Next Steps

- Work with finance, technology, and follow up with campuses to make final decision.
 - What is the experience with current adoptions from SAVVAS and McGraw Hill?
 - Students, teachers and technology
 - What is offered as part of the package from publishers and cost?
- Follow up with publishers on details regarding availability of material
- NM History - No core material and minimal supplemental material available
 - Focus on finding resources to support 4th and 7th grade students.
 - Pause on 9th grade material until new graduation requirements are place in rule by NMPED.
- Supplemental material - Sociology, Psychology, AP
 - To be selected after core material process is completed.

Update on Broadband Project

Program Enrollment

- Officially started last week
- Chaparral towers are in place and functioning
- Free Filtered Internet is available for families with students enrolled in GISD
- Reduced Rate Internet is available for families who qualify (up to \$30 per month rate reduction)
- Chaparral Wireless supports families in the enrollment process

Demonstration: Anatomage Table

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Thank you.