

Literacy Update

Division of Curriculum and Instruction

LRSD

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ADOPTIONS

- K-5 Resources Selected (Wit and Wisdom) Materials

(Wilson) Foundations K-2 and Just Words 3-8)

The website for Wit and Wisdom is: <https://greatminds.org/english>

The website for Wilson Learning is: <https://www.wilsonlanguage.com/programs>

- Dylexia –In progress Wilson and Spire –2 Finalists (Decision made by End of April)

Curriculum Creation

- Restructure K-12 Literacy Staff to Create K-12 Literacy Director
- Create scope and sequence documents aligned to standards
- Work with facilitators and teachers in June and July to complete the curriculum guides
- Teachers will complete an application process for participation in curriculum writing
- Update website with new curriculum documents

Training

- All K-5 teachers will receive 1 day of training on the new resource –Early August
- All K-5 Teachers will receive 2 days of training on Foundations and 1 day on writing
- Complete 3 remaining days of R.I.S.E. for grades 3-5 (17 schools)
- On-going implementation support for R.I.S.E. teachers

Monitoring Instruction

- Instructional Focus Walks
- ADE Partnership (4 elementary schools)- intense support and coaching

Summer School Efforts

- Summer school planning in progress
- 3 sites – Principals and 3 Lead facilitators selected
- 51 teacher positions posted
- Opportunities for R.I.S.E. observations
- Edmentum used to give additional support and track student progress
- 2 days of training planned for teachers at the end of May

ATTACHMENTS

- Executive Summary
- K-5 Literacy Resources <https://greatminds.org/english>
<https://www.wilsonlanguage.com/programs>
- Dyslexia Criteria- Plan
- R.I.S.E. Participation
- Director of K-12 Literacy Job Description