

Agenda Item Title: Studies Weekly Social Studies Curriculum Materials Purchase

Board Meeting Date: June 23, 2026

Department: Curriculum and Instruction

Presented by: Dr. Trey Duke

Board Agenda Category:

Consent Agenda

Action Item

Reports and Information

Requires City Council Approval: Yes No

Summary

MCS requests approval to purchase Studies Weekly Tennessee social studies instructional materials for students in grades Kindergarten through fifth grade for the 2026-2027 school year. The materials provide standards-aligned social studies resources designed specifically for Tennessee academic standards and include grade-level instructional content for elementary students across MCS. The total cost of the purchase is \$49,128.30 and includes materials for approximately 6,422 student licenses and classroom subscriptions across grades K-5. This purchase represents the annual purchase of our district adopted instructional materials for Social Studies.

Staff Recommendation

Approval of the purchase of Studies Weekly social studies instructional materials in the amount of \$49,128.30 for the 2026-2027 school year.

Fiscal Impact

The total cost of the instructional materials purchase is \$49,128.30 and will be paid from budgeted Curriculum and Instruction funds from the general-purpose budget.

Connection to MCS's Five-Year Strategic Plan

- Known:** Every student will be *known* through whole-child programs and support.
- Safe:** Every student will be *safe* through equitable access to buildings, facilities, and infrastructure that meets their needs.
- Challenged:** Every student will be *challenged* by learning from highly effective educators and employees.
- Empowered:** Every student will be *empowered* through academic success