



Build a Foundation for Reading and Math

Students greatly benefit when teachers have access to high-quality instructional materials. These materials ensure teachers can offer content that is rigorous and on grade level, while also supporting the acceleration of students who are behind. Recognizing the importance of ensuring these materials are available to educators, the Legislature passed HB 1605 (88R). HB 1605 establishes a new instructional material review and approval process for the State Board of Education to evaluate and approve high-quality materials and provides school systems formula funding to purchase those materials.¹⁶



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RIGOROUS CONTENT



**SUPPORTED
TEACHERS**

**IMPROVED STUDENT
OUTCOMES**

High-Quality Instructional Materials

LEARNING QUALITY



Ensure full coverage of Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills (TEKS).



Are aligned to evidence-based best-practices in the relevant content areas of reading/language arts, math, science, and social studies.



Support all learners, including students with disabilities, emergent bilingual/English learners, and students identified as gifted and talented.



Enables frequent progress monitoring through embedded and aligned assessments.



Features implementation supports, including teacher and student-facing lesson-level materials.

IMPLEMENTATION QUALITY



New Resources for High-Quality Instructional Materials

House Bill 1605 was passed in 2023 with biennial funding incentives for Texas school systems to provide high-quality instructional materials to teachers.

\$540M¹⁷

for acquiring materials

\$175M

for implementation supports