



November 19, 2024

Re: Our Commitment to producing a Non-Common Core Edition of 95 Phonics Core Program

Dear Dr. Young and Members of SBOE:

95 Percent Group, in consultation with TEA officials during this ongoing review process, has agreed to produce, by March 24, 2025, an edition of 95 Phonics Core Program that removes all references to Common Core State Standards. 95 Percent Group has already begun this process of making the new edition of 95 Phonics Core Program.

- Attached documentation that outlines the changes that will be made to 95 Phonics Core Program. Existing references to CCSS within the existing edition of 95 Phonics Core Program are few; we commit to removing them.
- Attached email correspondence with TEA, which identifies March 24 as an acceptable deadline for making these changes.
- Attached is a sample that shows the removal of Common Core references from a 95 Phonics Core Program lesson. This is a representative lesson.
- Attached you will find our response to the IMRA rubric review, which may be helpful in your discussions.

We look forward to working with TEA and SBOE throughout this materials review and approval process. Should you have any questions, please contact me or Jennifer Harris, Chief Product Officer, at jharris@95percentgroup.com or (847) 737-8109.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Brad Lindaas'.

Brad Lindaas

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95 Phonics Core Program Commitment to New Edition

Final Audit Report

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