





# SAINT LOUIS PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Date: September 21, 2010

To: Dr. Kelvin R. Adams, Superintendent

From: Dr. Carlinda Purcell, Dep. Supt. - Academics

## VENDOR SELECTION METHOD:

☒ RFP/Bid RFP 006-1011  
☐ Sole Source  
☐ Contract Renewal Previous Bd. Res. #  
☐ Membership

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10-14-10-03

## SUBJECT:

To approve the purchase of the winter and spring season sports equipment from two vendors (Johnny Mac Sporting Goods and Curt Smith Sporting Goods) as determined by the responses to the referenced RFP. The cost of the combined purchase is not to exceed \$61,000.00.

## BACKGROUND:

The equipment included in the RFP was for Girls - basketball, soccer, and track, and Boys - basketball, wrestling, tennis, baseball and track. Three vendors responded to the RFP and based on pricing, two were selected.

CSIP: Goal # SLPS Goal #2 - Process and Performance Row # 120 MSIP: 6.4.4

FUNDING SOURCE: (Fund Type) - (Function) - (Object Code) - (Location Code) - (Project Code)

Fund Source: 110 - 1422 - 6411 - 833 - 00 GOB	Requisition #: 10120334, 10120333
Amount: \$ 61,000.00	
Fund Source: - - - -	Requisition #:
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Amount:	
Cost not to Exceed: \$ 61,000.00	Pending Funding Availability Vendor #: Various

Department: Public High League Office

Requestor: Martin Jenkins

Dr. Carlinda Purcell, Dep. Supt. - Academics

Angela Banks, Interim Budget Director  
  
 Enos Moss, CFO/Treasurer  
  
 Dr. Kelvin R. Adams, Superintendent





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Item Description	Quantity	Johnny Mac		Curt Smith		Riddell		Total Cost		Selected	
		Price	Manufacturer	Price	Manufacturer	Price	Manufacturer			Vendor	Manufacturer
<b>Baton:</b> Aluminum	10	\$ 2.29	Gill	\$ 3.18	INSPO	\$ 3.85	Riddell	\$ 22.90		JM	Gill
<b>Cartridges:</b>											
22 Blank Caliber - Loud Fire per box	0										
32 Blank Caliber - Loud Fire per box	2	\$ 34.00	Gill	\$ 34.36				\$ 68.00		JM	Gill
<b>Cross Bar:</b> 14 ft., 10" Fiberglass Round, NFHS Approved Required Brand: Gill 522 <b>No Substitution</b>	0										
<b>Shots:</b> 12 lb., Iron, Outdoor.	3	\$ 19.99	Gill	\$ 32.10	Gill			\$ 59.97		JM	Gill
<b>Starting Blocks:</b> (M-F Athletic) #4045 (Cinder & All Weather Block) Required Brand: Gill #420 <b>No Substitution</b>	10	\$ 74.99	Gill	105 or 69.96	Gill or Champion			\$ 749.90		JM	Gill
<b>Hurdles:</b> UCS #4001 Rocker	0										
<b>Starting Pistol:</b> 32 Caliber (M-F Athletic)	1	\$ 139.00	Gill	\$ 115.70	Gill			\$ 115.70		CS	Gill
<b>High Jump Standard:</b> NFHS Approved, cost per pair Required Brand: Gill #7040 <b>No Substitution</b>	0										
<b>Measuring Tape:</b> 100' Fiberglass Required Brand: Gill #985 <b>No Substitution</b>	2	\$ 13.79	Gill	\$ 18.60	Gill	\$ 11.25	Riddell	\$ 27.58		JM	Gill
Track Total								\$ 4,810.52			

<b>Winter Total</b>	\$ 21,812.28
<b>Spring Total</b>	\$ 18,326.93
<b>Grand Total</b>	\$ 40,139.21
<b>Grand Total - Johnny Mac</b>	\$ 27,061.67
<b>Grand Total - Curt Smith</b>	\$ 13,077.54
<b>Grand Total - Riddell</b>	\$ -
<b>Grand Total</b>	\$ 40,139.21

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Wrench with handle.	2	\$ 8.29	Gill	\$ 8.00	Gill	\$ 7.04	Riddell	\$ 16.00	CS
<b>Heel Cups:</b> Unpadded (12 per box)									
Preferred Brands: Cramer, Gill	0								
<b>Heel Cups:</b> Padded (12 per box)									
Preferred Brands: Cramer, Gill	0								
<b>One Piece Track Suit:</b> Spandex lycra material, In school Colors - one color with school name on front.									
Required Brands: Pacific Coast, Hind, In-Sport	20	\$ 30.99	INSPORT	\$ 23.69	Cobblestone			\$ 619.80	JM
<b>No Substitutions.</b>									
<b>Indoor Plastic Coated Putting ShoIs:</b>									
12 lb. Boys Shot									
Required Brand: Gill	1	\$ 61.99	Gill	\$ 59.86	Gill			\$ 59.86	CS
<b>Shot Carrier:</b> For 2 shots									
Preferred Brands: Gill, Blazer	0								
<b>Timer:</b> Stopwatch. Kenrick Accusplit (625CL Sports timer - Liquid Crystal Display.									
Schools may select either or both timers.									
<b>No Substitutions Permitted</b>									
	3	\$ 16.99	Accusplit	\$ 20.90	Accusplit			\$ 50.97	JM
<b>Tote Bags:</b> Bags 14" x 24" vinyl material, side handles, kull zipper, Lettering - one color school name and ID number									
Preferred Brands: Addidas, Nike	0								
<b>No Substitutions</b>									
<b>Tights:</b> Light, silky anton/lycra - unisex running tights, elastic waistband with drawstring and stirrup feet.									
Sizes XS thru XXL. Adult Sizes Only.									
Designate Color: Black, Silver, Navy, Royal Blue, Raspberry, Scarlet, Turquoise, Gold, or Maroon.									
Required Brand: In-Sport	13	\$ 18.99	INSPORT					\$ 246.87	JM
<b>No Substitution</b>									

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**Boys Track & Cross Country Program**

<b>Uniform:</b>										
<b>Shirt:</b> 100% nylon tricort mesh, full length, sleeveless, full contour cut, narrow shoulder straps, ribbed knit neck and armholes trimmed in contrasting school colors. Screen Print School name. Sizes XS thru XXL. Adult Sizes Only. To be available in many colors. Preferred Brands: Russell, In-Sport, Hind, Ascis	65	\$ 18.88	Russell	\$ 12.90	Cobblestone			\$ 1,227.20	JM	Russell
<b>Pants:</b> featherweight, 100% nylon taffeta, 2-ply, boxer style, 1 & 1/4" elastic waistband, slit sides, bartacked, reinforced crotch, inseam 3". Contrasting school colors. Sizes XXS thru XXL. Adult Sizes Only. Required Brands: Russell, In-Sport, Hind, Ascis <b>No Substitutions.</b>	65	\$ 13.49	Russell	\$ 8.75	Cobblestone			\$ 876.85	JM	Russell
<b>Warm-Up Jackets and Pants Set</b>										
<b>Jacket:</b> 100% nylon, full zipper, 2" school name and number on front left chest in contrasting school color, raglan sleeves with lining. Sizes XS thru XXL. Adult Sizes Only. Preferred Brands: Russell, Holloway, Rawlings, Nike	0									
<b>Pants:</b> To match jacket. 1" number on left front leg in contrasting school color. Front nylon zipper leg opening. Sizes XS thru XXL. Adult Sizes Only. Preferred Brands: Russell, Holloway, Rawlings, Nike.	20	\$ 31.99	Russell					\$ 639.80	JM	Russell
<b>Shoes, Sprint:</b> White nylon suede and natural leather with seven detachable spikes. Preferred Brands: Asics, Nike	0									
<b>Spikes and Wrench:</b> Gill Preferred.										
Spikes - 3/8" (per 100)	1	\$ 10.00	Gill	\$ 7.44	Gill			\$ 7.44	CS	Gill
Spikes - 1/2" (per 100)	1	\$ 10.00	Gill	\$ 7.84	Gill			\$ 7.84	CS	Gill
Spikes - 1/4" (per 100)	1	\$ 10.00	Gill	\$ 6.94	Gill	\$ 7.25	Riddell	\$ 6.94	CS	Gill
Spikes - 1/8" (per 100)	1	\$ 10.00	Gill	\$ 6.90	Gill	\$ 7.25	Riddell	\$ 6.90	CS	Gill

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Boys Tennis Program										
<b>Game Shirt:</b> Polo Style, 50% Cotton/50% polyester, lacoste mesh knit, 3 button front, Left Front Chest Embroidered										
Preferred Brands: Addidas, Nike, Holloway, Russell										
White	26	\$ 26.99	Nike	\$ 26.30	Outer Banks			\$ 701.74	JM	Nike
School Color	26	\$ 26.99	Nike	\$ 26.30				\$ 701.74	JM	Nike
<b>Shorts:</b> 100% stretch nylon, elastic waistband, approximately 5" in seam length of pant legs.										
Preferred Brands: Nike Addidas, Holloway										
White	16	\$ 21.00	Nike	\$ 12.29	Badger w pockets			\$ 336.00	JM	Nike
School Color	36	\$ 21.00	Nike	\$ 12.29	Badger w pockets			\$ 756.00	JM	Nike
<b>Rackets:</b> anodized aluminum frame - perfect balance - strong nylon strings. Head cover included in price.										
Adult Sizes Only.										
Specify handle size desired:										
4&3/8" 4&1/2 4&5/8										
Preferred Brands: Wilson, Penn	16	\$ 44.99	Wilson	\$ 110.00	Wilson			\$ 719.84	JM	Wilson
<b>Tennis Balls:</b> Official (yellow color) from National Federation approved list. Cans of 3.										
Preferred Brands: Penn, Wilson	165	\$ 2.89	Penn	\$ 2.86	Wilson			\$ 476.85	JM	Penn
Tennis Total								\$ 3,692.17		

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<b>Baseballs:</b> Must have NFHS Authenticating mark on ball, official, from the National Federation approved list. Balls are ordered by the dozen. Required Brand: Rawlings R100NF-10021037 (HGX) <b>No Substitutions.</b>	37	\$ 58.29	Rawlings	\$ 49.96	Rawlings			\$ 1,848.52	CS
<b>Scorebooks:</b> Official National Federation for State High Schools Brand: Peterson #7BS Please Indicate Number of Books Desired	16	\$ 3.49	CS Peterson	\$ 4.39	National Federation	\$ 3.75	Riddell	\$ 55.84	JM
Baseball Total								\$ 9,824.24	

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<b>Fielders Gloves:</b> Leather Only. Adult Sizes Only. 11" Size									
Right Handed _____ Left Handed _____									
Required Brand: Rawlings <b>No Substitutions</b>	3	\$ 69.99	Rawlings	\$ 33.00	Rawlings			\$ 99.00	CS
<b>First Base Mitt:</b> Leather Only. Adult Sizes Only.									
Right Handed _____ Left Handed _____									
Required Brand: Rawlings <b>No Substitutions</b>	0			\$ 24.00	Rawlings			\$ -	CS
<b>Helmet Caddy:</b> made from heavy duty reinforce vinyl, will hold 8 helmets. Easily rolls up for storage and transport. Can be attached to chain link fence. Black Only.									
Preferred Brands: Rawlings, Louisville Slugger, Schutt	1	\$ 33.89	Rawlings	\$ 14.90		\$ 25.25	Riddell	\$ 14.90	CS
<b>Bat Caddy:</b> made from heavy duty reinforced vinyl, will hold 8 bats. Mesh pockets for easy viewing of bats. Easily rolls up for storage and transport. Can be attached to chain link fence. Black Only.									
Preferred Brands: Rawlings, Schutt, Louisville Slugger	1	\$ 33.99	Rawlings			\$ 24.49	Riddell	\$ 33.99	JM
<b>Pitcher's Plate:</b> Rubber (same for softball and baseball)	0								
<b>Home Plate:</b> Rubber (same for softball and baseball)	0								
<b>Baseball Bases:</b> Set of three (15" x 15" x 3") 2 heavy straps w pegs	1	\$ 39.88	TAG	\$ 36.39		\$ 38.00	Riddell	\$ 36.39	CS
<b>Baseball Bat:</b> Aluminum, official high school 2 5/8" barrel (K117A)-3 style									
Must be stamped NHFS.									
32" _____ 33" _____ 34" _____									
Preferred Brands: Easton, Louisville Slugger <b>No Substitutions</b>	7	\$ 119.00	Louisville or Easton	\$ 49.60	Louisville Slugger			\$ 347.20	CS
<b>Softball/Baseball Belts:</b> 1-1/2" elastic belt with matching leather tabs. School Colors are Available.	70	\$ 2.98	TAG	\$ 2.79		\$ 3.95	Riddell	\$ 195.30	CS

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<b>Catchers Helmet:</b> Hockey style helmet with cage attached, piece molded type shell. Must be stamped with "NOC-SAE" approval. Sizes Small thru XL (Adult Sizes Only) Preferred Brands: Schutt, Riddell, Rawlings	1	\$ 82.00	Rawlings	\$ 48.00	Rawlings	\$ 59.95	Riddell	\$ 48.00	CS
<b>Caps:</b> 100% polyester, unlined in solid school color with one or two initials on bib. Adjustable sizes. Required Brand: Richardson <b>No Substitutions.</b>	310	\$ 7.99	Richardson	8.39 or 10.59	Richardson Pro Mesh 1 color or 2 color			\$ 2,476.90	JM
<b>Protective Batting Helmets:</b> One piece polycarbonate shell, double ear flap, changeable protection, adjustable size liner. Must be stamped with "NOC-SAE" approval. Adult Sizes Only. Required Brands: Rawlings PL75, Schutt. <b>No Substitutions.</b>	15	\$ 14.99	Rawlings	\$ 10.97	Rawlings			\$ 164.55	CS
<b>Ball Bag:</b> Zipper opening, heavy vinyl material to hold at least two (2) dozen balls. Required Brand: Rawlings DBZ <b>No Substitutions.</b>	1	\$ 15.29	Rawlings	\$ 10.40	Rawlings			\$ 10.40	CS
<b>Body Protectors:</b> Short style model, with extended shoulder piece, 3 sectioned. Required Brands: Wilson Tru-Fit (A3202), Rawlings <b>No Substitution.</b>	1	\$ 34.89	Rawlings	\$ 28.00	Rawlings			\$ 28.00	CS
<b>Leg Guards:</b> Professional model, must be available in school colors, come in pairs Preferred Brands: Wilson A3400, Rawlings OMW	1	\$ 39.99	Rawlings	\$ 36.64	Rawlings	\$ 64.95	Riddell	\$ 36.64	CS
<b>Catchers Throat Protector:</b> with snaps or Velcro fasteners Preferred Brands: Rawlings TP5, Wilson	2	\$ 4.50	Rawlings	\$ 5.00	Rawlings			\$ 9.00	JM
<b>Catchers Mitt:</b> Mitt for left or right handed players. Leather only. Adult Sizes Only. Required Brand: Rawlings SG280 <b>No Substitutions.</b>	1	\$ 109.00	Rawlings	\$ 35.89	Rawlings			\$ 35.89	CS



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Wrestling Total								\$ 1,958.14		
<b>Spring Sports</b>										

## Boys Baseball Program

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<b>Knee Pads:</b> 11" Lycra elastic covered, with spacer or opening in back. Sold in pairs. Circle Color: Natural, Light Gold, Purple, Black, Royal Blue, Kelly Green Required Brand: Matman 40 <b>No Substitutions</b>	30	\$ 21.00	Matman	\$ 19.99	Asics			\$ 630.00	JM    Matman
<b>Face Guard:</b> Designed for use with M22 Cliff Keen head guard; padded on both sides. Need documented evidence to use.    White Only. Cliff Keen FG3	1	\$ 26.39	Cliff Keen	\$ 38.60	Cliff Keen			\$ 26.39	JM    Cliff Keen
<b>Cleanser:</b> Liquid disinfectant - 1 gallon bottle (vinyl mat cleaner) Kenckan Plus <b>No Substitution.</b>	5	\$ 31.49	Kenshield	\$ 36.00	Kenckan Plus			\$ 180.00	CS    Kenckan Plus
<b>Tape:</b> Pressure sensitive tape, roll 4" x 84', clear for taping mats together. Matman. <b>No Substitution.</b>	28	\$ 2.95	Matman	\$ 5.69	Matman			\$ 82.60	JM    Matman

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Boys Wrestling Program											
<b>Wrestling Singlets:</b> One piece wrestling suit in school color, 100% lycra, high cut front, back and arm holes, short straight legs. Trim in contrasting school color on meck, arm wells and leg trim, 4" school lettering on front left chest in contrasting school color. Must meet NFHS specifications. Required Brand: Matman #JML85GEUX	3	\$ 49.88	Matman					\$ 149.64	JM	Matman	
<b>Warm-up Top:</b> 100% nylon shell material with lining, pull-over warm-up with hood and long set-in sleeves, half zipper front. Trim in contrasting school colors on 2&1/4 cuffs and waistband. School name on left front chest and 1" number on left sleeve in contrasting school colors. Sizes XS thru XXL. School Color _____	0										
<b>Shoes:</b> Asics nylon Sizes 4 thru 15. White with black stripes. <b>No Substitutions.</b>	15	\$ 37.99	Asics	\$ 34.89	Asics			\$ 523.35	CS	Asics	
<b>Scorebooks:</b> Cliff Keen SB7 <b>No Substitutions.</b>	8	\$ 5.27	Cliff Keen	\$ 5.60	Cliff Keen			\$ 42.16	JM	Cliff Keen	
<b>Flip Over Score Cards:</b> Designed specifically for wrestling; center panel indicates period, large 6" numbers, score appears on both sides, can be used as a stand-up or over the side of the scoring table. One set of number to be in red and the other set in white, scores from 0 to 21 points. Cliff Keen 1M21	0										
<b>Head (Ear) Guard:</b> Five strap unit, chin strap attached, only one size byt adjustable and washable. Circle color - White, Red, Blue, Green, Light Gold, Purple, Black, Maroon, Orange, Navy, Kelly Green, Required Brands: Cliff Keen E41, Matman 30, Asics	30	\$ 19.27	Matman	\$ 10.80	Asics			\$ 324.00	CS	Asics	

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<b>Reversible Jersey:</b> Sleeveless, 100% nylon mesh material, No Lettering, Adult Sizes Only. XS thru XXXL. Preferred Brands: Champion, Nike, Russell	136	\$ 9.95	Russell	\$ 7.48	Alleson Pro Mesh	\$ 17.49	Riddell	\$ 1,017.28	CS
<b>Ball Carrier:</b> for six balls, vinyl coated nylon with zippered opening. Lettering included in price. Required Brand: Rawlings. <b>No Substitutions.</b>	1	\$ 29.99	Rawlings	\$ 26.00	Rawlings			\$ 26.00	CS
<b>Scorebooks:</b> Official National Federation for State High Schools Indicate Number of Books Needed (Public High League will order)	13	\$ 4.28	Gared	\$ 9.14	National Federation	\$ 5.00	Riddell	\$ 55.64	JM
<b>Basketballs:</b> Must have NFHS Authenticating mark on ball, official, leather, from the National Federation approved list. Required Ball: Wilson Solution WTB0700 <b>No Substitutions.</b>	63	\$ 49.99	Wilson	\$ 42.36	Wilson			\$ 2,668.68	CS
<b>Basketball Total</b>								\$ 19,854.14	

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Winter Sports												
Boys Basketball Program												
Game Uniforms												
Shirts: Dry Fit, moisture management material Hemmed side panel no more than 2" neck and arm, 1" arm trim on side inserts. Screen print 6" numbers on front of shirt and 8" numbers on back, in contrasting school colors to match trim. Sizes 30 thru 56 Must be NFHS Compliant Preferred Brands: Badger, Rawlings, Russell, Nike												
White, with specified trim and numbers in school colors (2)			25	\$ 61.99	Rawlings or Nike	\$ 28.46	54MMR		\$ 1,549.75	JM	Nike	
School color with contrasting specified trim and numbers			85	\$ 61.99	Rawlings or Nike	\$ 28.46	54MMR		\$ 5,269.15	JM	Nike	
Shorts: Elastic drawstring. 2 color, 2" side inserts down legs with crotch piece and hemmed V-notched legs. Pants trimmed to match jerseys. Size 24 thru 50 Must be NFHS Compliant.												
White, with specified trim and numbers in school colors (2)			15	\$ 59.99	Rawlings or Nike	\$ 17.80	54MMP		\$ 899.85	JM	Nike	
School color with contrasting specified trim			75	\$ 59.99	Rawlings or Nike	\$ 17.80	54MMP		\$ 4,499.25	JM	Nike	
Shooting Shirts: V-neck. Hemmed bottom with slit on sides, to include 2 color lettering. Short Sleeved. Sizes XS thru XXXL.												
White			10	\$ 59.99	Rawlings	\$ 14.96			\$ 599.90	JM	Rawlings	
School Color			40	\$ 59.99	Rawlings	\$ 14.96			\$ 2,399.60	JM	Rawlings	
Practice Shorts: Standard weight 100% nylon material, 2 ply, all elastic waistband, 9" inseam, long mesh - tricot mesh. Sizes XS thru XXL. Preferred Brands: Champion, Rawlings, Russell, Nike												
Specify Color _____			136	\$ 9.95	Russell	\$ 6.39	Allison Pro Mesh	\$ 15.49	Riddell	\$ 869.04	CS	Allison

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Measuring Tape: 100' Fiberglass Required Brand: Gill #985 No Substitution	4	\$ 13.89	Gill	\$ 18.86	Gill	\$ 11.25	Riddell	\$ 55.56	JM
Track Total								\$ 4,627.75	

Winter Total

\$ 12,015.81

Spring Total

\$ 7,481.63

Grand Total

\$ 19,497.44

Grand Total - Johnny Mac

\$ 13,095.26

Grand Total - Curt Smith

\$ 6,402.18

Grand Total - Riddell

\$ -

Grand Total

\$ 19,497.44

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<b>Tights:</b> Light, silky antlon/lycra - unisex running tights, elastic waistband with drawstring and stirrup feet. Sizes XS thru XXL. Adult Sizes Only. Designate Color: Black, Silver, Navy, Royal Blue, Raspberry, Scarlet, Turquoise, Gold, or Maroon. Required Brand: In-Sport <b>No Substitution</b>	15	\$ 18.99	INSPORT					\$ 284.85	JM	INSPORT
<b>Baton:</b> Aluminum. Indicate a Color	2	\$ 2.29	TAG	\$ 3.70		\$ 3.85	Riddell	\$ 4.58	JM	TAG
<b>Cartridges:</b>										
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<b>Cross Bar:</b> 14 ft., 10" Fiberglass Round, NFHS Approved Required Brand: Gill 522 <b>No Substitution</b>	0									
<b>Shots:</b> 8 lb., 13 oz. Iron, Outdoor.	3	\$ 44.95	Gill	\$ 28.30	Gill			\$ 84.90	CS	Gill
<b>Starting Blocks:</b> (M-F Athletic) #4045 (Cinder & All Weather Block) Required Brand: Gill #420 <b>No Substitution</b>	5	\$ 74.99	GILL	105.4 or 69.96	Gill or Champion			\$ 374.95	JM	Gill
<b>Hurdles:</b> UCS #4001 Rucker	3	\$ 95.99	Gill					\$ 287.97	JM	Gill
<b>Starting Pistol:</b> 32 Caliber (M-F Athletic)	0									
<b>High Jump Standard:</b> NFHS Approved, cost per pair Required Brand: Gill #7040 <b>No Substitution</b>	0									

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Item Description	Quantity	Johnny Mac		Curt Smith		Riddell		Selected	
		Price	Manufacturer	Price	Manufacturer	Price	Manufacturer	Total Cost	Vendor
Shoes: For Indoor and outdoor practice. Adult Womens Sizes Only. Preferred Brand: Converse Road Star #BOG135 or equal	0								
<b>Spikes and Wrench: Gill Preferred</b>									
Spikes - 3/8" (per 100)	0								
Spikes - 1/2" (per 100)	0								
Spikes - 1/4" (per 100)	3	\$ 10.00	Gill	\$ 7.44	Gill	\$ 7.25	Riddell	\$ 22.32	CS
Spikes - 1/8" (per 100)	3	\$ 10.00	Gill	\$ 7.44	Gill	\$ 7.25	Riddell	\$ 22.32	CS
Wrench with handle.	2	\$ 8.29	Gill	\$ 7.50	Gill	\$ 7.04	Riddell	\$ 15.00	CS
<b>Heel Cups: Unpadded (12 per box)</b> Preferred Brands: Cramer, Gill	0								
<b>Heel Cups: Padded (12 per box)</b> Preferred Brands: Cramer, Gill	0								
<b>One Piece Track Suit: Spandex lycra material. In school Colors - one color with school name on front.</b> Required Brands: Pacific Coast, Hind, In-Sport <b>No Substitutions.</b>	35	\$ 31.88	INSPO	\$ 28.89				\$ 1,115.80	JM
<b>Indoor Plastic Coated Putting Shots:</b> 8 lb 13 oz Girls Required Brand: Gill	1	\$ 54.95	Gill	\$ 56.00	Gill			\$ 54.95	JM
<b>Shot Carrier: For 2 shots</b> Preferred Brands: Gill, Blazer	3	\$ 18.19	Gill	\$ 16.90	Gill			\$ 50.70	CS
<b>Timer: Stopwatch. Kenrick Accusplit (625CL)</b> Sports timer - Liquid Crystal Display. Schools may select either or both timers. <b>No Substitutions Permitted</b>	5	\$ 16.99	Accusplit	\$ 21.00	Accusplit			\$ 84.95	JM
									Accusplit



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**Uniform and Equipment Order List**  
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Item Description	Quantity	Johnny Mac		Curt Smith		Riddell		Total Cost	Selected		
		Price	Manufacturer	Price	Manufacturer	Price	Manufacturer		Vendor	Manufacturer	
Girls Track & Cross Country Program											
Uniform:											
Shirt: 100% nylon trikot mesh, full length, sleeveless, full contour cut, narrow shoulder straps, ribbed knit neck and armholes trimmed in contrasting school colors. Screen Print School name. Sizes XS thru XXL. Adult Womens Sizes Only. To be available in many colors. Preferred Brands: Russell, In-Sport, Hind, Asics	45	\$ 18.88	Russell	\$ 15.44	Cobblestone			\$ 849.60	JM	Russell	
Pants: featherweight, 100% nylon taffeta, 2-ply, brief style compression, 1 & 1/4" elastic waistband, alt sides, bartacked, reinforced crotch, inseam 3". Contrasting school colors. Sizes XS thru XXL. Adult Womens Sizes Only. Required Brands: Russell, In-Sport, Hind, Asics No Substitutions.	45	\$ 13.99	Russell	\$ 10.48	Cobblestone			\$ 629.55	JM	Russell	
Warm-Up Jackets and Pants Set											
Jacket: 100% nylon, full zipper, 2" school name and number on front left chest in contrasting school color, raglan sleeves with lining. Sizes XS thru XXL. Adult Womens Sizes Only Preferred Brands: Russell, Holloway, Rawlings, Nike	0										
Pants: To match jacket. 1" number on left front leg in contrasting school color. Front nylon zipper leg opening. Sizes XS thru XXL. Adult Womens Sizes Only. Preferred Brands: Russell, Holloway, Rawlings, Nike.	10	\$ 32.99	Russell					\$ 329.90	JM	Russell	
Shoes, Sprint: White nylon suede and natural leather with seven detachable spikes. Adult Womens Sizes Only. Preferred Brands: Asics, Nike	0										

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Item Description	Quantity	Johnny Mac		Curt Smith		Riddell		Selected	
		Price	Manufacturer	Price	Manufacturer	Price	Manufacturer	Total Cost	Vendor
<b>Shin Guards:</b> molded orange fiber, with one adjustable elastic strap. Preferred Brands: Athletic Specialties, Soccer Sport or Frost	35	\$ 12.99	Brine	\$ 4.66				\$ 454.65	JM
<b>Soccer Ball:</b> Game Balls must have NFHS Authenticating mark on ball from National Federation approved list.									
Practice Ball, official Leather Brine #SBVOR2	13	\$ 19.99	Brine	\$ 26.00	Brine			\$ 259.87	JM
Game Ball, Wilson, Avanti Size 5	5	\$ 63.99	Wilson	\$ 58.00	Wilson			\$ 290.00	CS
<b>Soccer Net:</b> Official goal nets, 2.5mm Orange Kwick Goal (24x8x10) cost per pair	0								
No Substitution.									
<b>Soccer Total</b>								\$ 2,853.88	

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Item Description	Quantity	Johnny Mac		Curt Smith		Riddell		Selected			
		Price	Manufacturer	Price	Manufacturer	Price	Manufacturer	Total Cost	Vendor	Manufacturer	
Spring Sports											
Girls Soccer Program											
Game Shirts: "V" neck, short sleeve, 1/4" length raglan; 100% dry fit material with contrasting school color neck and arm trim. Womens Sizes Only. Required Brands: Nike or Addidas (No substitutions)											
White with specified trim, numbers and lettering	15	\$ 29.99	Nike	\$ 24.48	Nike			\$ 367.20	CS		Nike
School Color with specifice trim, numbers and lettering	20	\$ 29.99	Nike	\$ 24.48	Nike			\$ 489.60	CS		Nike
Game Shorts: 100% poly/nylon, boxer style. Shorts may be order to match shirt or in contrasting school colors, 5" inseam. Womens Sizes Only Specify Color to match shirt. Required Brands: Nike or Addidas. (No substitutions)											
White with specified trim	15	\$ 18.99	Nike	\$ 13.88	Nike			\$ 208.20	CS		Nike
School Color with specified trim	20	\$ 18.99	Nike	\$ 13.88	Nike			\$ 277.60	CS		Nike
Goalie Jerseys: "V" neck, full length sleeve, 100% dry fit material with contrasting colors neck and arm trim. Must be available in various colors. Sizes Womens XS thru XXL.	5	\$ 31.99	Nike	\$ 23.60	High 5			\$ 118.00	CS		High 5
Goalie Pants: Elastic waist pants with drawcord, 7" inseam; 85% polyester & 15% spandex; padded sides. Must be available in either long or short pant. Sizes XXS thru XXL. Specify Long _____ Short _____	4	\$ 29.99	High Five	\$ 27.00	High 5			\$ 108.00	CS		High 5
Goalie Gloves: Goat skin, pebbled palm and back. Soccer Sport #370 or Sportscraft # 17640	4	\$ 20.79	Reusch	\$ 18.89				\$ 75.56	CS		TBD
Stockings: 100% stretch nylon, knee length, in school color to match shirt and pants. Preferred Brand: Twin City	90	\$ 3.89	Twin City	\$ 2.28	Twin City			\$ 205.20	CS		Twin City

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		Price	Manufacturer	Price	Manufacturer	Price	Manufacturer	Total Cost	Vendor
<b>Shooting Shirts:</b> V-neck. Hemmed bottom with slit on sides, to include 2 color lettering. Short Sleeved. Womens Sizes Only.									
White	15	\$ 59.99	Nike	\$ 21.49				\$ 899.85	JM
School Color	0								
<b>Practice Shorts:</b> Standard weight 100% nylon material. 2 ply, all elastic waistband. 9" inseam, long mesh - tricot mesh. Womens Sizes Only: Preferred Brands: Champion, Rawlings, Russell, Nike Specify Color _____	106	\$ 9.95	Russell	\$ 6.39		\$ 15.49	Riddell	\$ 677.34	CS
									Alleson
<b>Reversible Jersey:</b> Sleeveless, 100% nylon mesh material. No Lettering. Womens Sizes Only: Preferred Brands: Champion, Nike, Russell	116	\$ 9.95	Russell	\$ 7.88		\$ 17.49	Riddell	\$ 914.08	CS
									Alleson
<b>Ball Carrier:</b> for six balls, vinyl coated nylon with zippered opening. Lettering included in price. Required Brand: Rawlings. <b>No Substitutions.</b>	4	\$ 29.99	Rawlings	\$ 26.00	Rawlings			\$ 104.00	CS
									Rawlings
<b>Scorebooks:</b> Official National Federation for State High Schools Indicate Number of Books Needed (Public High League will order)	9	\$ 4.28	Gared	\$ 9.14	Natl Federation	\$ 5.00	Riddell	\$ 38.52	JM
									Gared
<b>Basketballs:</b> Must have NFHS Authenticating mark on ball, official, leather, from the National Federation approved list. Required Ball: Wilson Solution WTB0701 <b>No Substitutions.</b>	56	\$ 49.99	Wilson	\$ 42.36	Wilson			\$ 2,372.16	CS
									Wilson
<b>Basketball Total</b>								\$ 12,015.81	

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Item Description	Quantity	Johnny Mac		Curt Smith		Riddell		Selected		
		Price	Manufacturer	Price	Manufacturer	Price	Manufacturer	Total Cost	Vendor	Manufacturer
Winter Sports										
Girls Basketball Program										
Game Uniforms										
Shirts: Dry Fit, moisture management material Hemmed side panel no more than 2" neck and arm, 1" arm trim on side inserts. Screen print 6" numbers on front of shirt and 8" numbers on back, in contrasting school colors to match trim. Womens Sizes Only. Must be NFHS Compliant Preferred Brands: Badger, Rawlings, Russell, Nike										
White, with specified trim and numbers in school colors (2)	32	\$ 62.99	Nike or Rawlings	\$ 25.96	Alleson			\$ 2,015.68	JM	Nike
School color with contrasting specified trim and numbers	25	\$ 62.99	Nike or Rawlings	\$ 25.96	Alleson			\$ 1,574.75	JM	Nike
Shorts: Elastic drawstring, 2 color, 2" side inserts down legs with crotch piece and hemmed V-notched legs. Pants trimmed to match jerseys. Womens Sizes Only. Must be NFHS Compliant.										
White, with specified trim and numbers in school colors (2)	47	\$ 59.99	Nike or Rawlings	\$ 17.89	Alleson			\$ 2,819.53	JM	Nike
School color with contrasting specified trim	10	\$ 59.99	Nike or Rawlings	\$ 17.89	Alleson			\$ 599.90	JM	Nike





# SAINT LOUIS PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Date: September 21, 2010

To: Dr. Kelvin R. Adams, Superintendent

From: Dr. Carlinda Purcell, Dep. Supt. - Academics

## VENDOR SELECTION METHOD:

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## SUBJECT:

To approve a purchase from Zaner Bloser for the Pre-K Handwriting Program and supporting materials at a cost not to exceed \$22,853.34.

## BACKGROUND:

The funding for this program will be provided by the Early Reading First Grant. This handwriting program was selected to be consistent with the program being used in grades K - 5.

CSIP: Goal # SLPS Goal #2 - Process and Performance Row # 59 MSIP: 7.4

FUNDING SOURCE: (Fund Type) - (Function) - (Object Code) - (Location Code) - (Project Code)

Fund Source: 299 - 2239 - 6411 - 840 - QJ GOB	Requisition #: 10120312
Amount: \$ 22,853.34	
Fund Source: - - - -	Requisition #:
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Cost not to Exceed: \$ 22,853.34	Pending Funding Availability
	Vendor #: 600001986

Department: Early Childhood and Early Childhood

Requestor: Dr. Sheryl Davenport

Dr. Carlinda Purcell, Dep. Supt. - Academics

Angela Banks, Interim Budget Director

Enos Moss, CFO/Treasurer

Dr. Kelvin R. Adams, Superintendent



# Implementation/Inservice Proposal

for

## St. Louis School District

### Handwriting

Zaner-Bloser believes in partnering with districts to provide a successful implementation of our programs and curriculum. To facilitate this, we will provide to St. Louis at no charge, implementation training. This is delivered by National Literacy Consultants and is product based. The training will include: knowledge of program design, lesson structure, components, and can include modeling of specific lesson components. The training is always hands-on and structured so that teachers have the experience and confidence to seamlessly implement the new program in their classroom.

It would be our recommendation that this implementation training be delivered in three hour sessions (53 teachers maximum per session) and differentiated by grade level.

For Handwriting the following groups would apply:

- Pre-K - 2 groups
- Kindergarten – 2 groups
- Grade 1 – 2 groups
- Grade 2 – 2 groups
- Grade 3- 2 groups
- Grade 4 – 2 groups
- Grade 5 – 2 groups

As educators we need to differentiate our instruction to meet the needs of our students, we will also differentiate the training so that each group of teachers has the instruction and support that they need to be successful.



STUDENT EDITION

	Publisher/Series	Publisher/Series	Publisher/Series	Publisher/Series	
Letters grouped by commonality of strokes					
Practice and Application lessons throughout the text help assess students' progress					
Pretests and Posttests					
Letterform models and screened models at all levels					
Red baseline, broken midline, and descender space through grade 3					
Writing below a model to help with spacing					
End-of-line assessment (stop and check)					
Writing/composition activities in each lesson or section					
Meaningful practice					
A Model Box, with numbered directional arrows, clearly demonstrates proper stroke sequence and direction for letters, numerals, and punctuation marks					
Write quickly					
Green starting dots in K-3					
Subtotal					

Additional notes:

TEACHER EDITION

	Publisher/Series	Publisher/Series	Publisher/Series	Publisher/Series	
Visual, auditory, and kinesthetic activities					
Model close-up boxes with accurate stroke descriptions for each letter					
Questioning strategies					
Corrective strategies					
Practice Masters					
A three-step lesson plan: a. Present the letter b. Write and evaluate c. Apply					
Cross-curriculum connections					
Writing activities					
Modeling examples					
Multi-sensory activities					
Instructions for right- and left-handers					
School to Home involvement materials and suggestions					
Coaching hints					
Research information					
Occupational therapists' suggestions					
Subtotal					

Additional notes:




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Most children today are lacking in reading and writing skills. These skills are important for adult life, and developing them early on is important to a child's future success. Encouraging a child to read by rewarding them with custom trophies or custom plaques can help develop a child's love of reading and writing. Parents must be responsible for helping their children develop into adulthood, and developing the communication skills that reading and writing entail is a vital step in this developmental process. Handwriting is a key that links all these things together. It may not seem important to us in today's society, but handwriting is a powerful learning tool that is on the decline and needs to be taught to every child.

In today's culture handwriting seems outdated. Our culture these days relies so much on symbols, fast food signs, traffic signs, brand names in television commercials, that the words involved are often an afterthought, or not present at all. In addition, computers and printing make handwriting seem out of date and a practice that is no longer needed as children can learn to just type whatever they need to write. Texting makes people leave out a lot of the letters, which is great for convenience, but can be detrimental, causing people to forget how to spell the real words. Handwriting counteracts all these detriments, teaching people spelling and writing and connecting them more intimately with the language they are writing in.

Writing and reading go hand in hand. When we write something our brain must read and process it several times. Handwriting is important too. Handwriting is a reflection of a person's individuality, and its development can reflect the development of an individual. With printed word there is a more standardized text, lacking the personal touch of someone's handwriting. This makes printed word less personal and creates an emotional disconnect between the written word and the reader, experts argue. Without personality, printed word is impersonal and cold. This is why developing a child's handwriting skills is so important.

There are certain standards for handwriting, but these are only how to hold the pen or pencil, the direction of writing, and the basic shapes of the letters being written. But after children learn how to do these basic steps, they can continue on and express their personality through the way their letters are written. Many experts argue that handwriting is an essential part of a child's learning process. Research shows that when kids have poor spelling, their lack of handwriting skills carry over into other subjects. In math, a child may get their numbers backwards or misspell words because their handwriting skills are not up to par. When children have to think more about handwriting, they can't think as much about whatever they are writing, whether it be writing in a history class or in a math class. When children don't have to think about handwriting consciously, when it becomes an automatic process, they perform much better at in other areas.

Chuck R. Stewart has found buying custom trophies and custom plaques online is a great reward for young children at the end of the basketball season.

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### The Importance of Legible Handwriting

In this digital age, one would think that everyone would be typing, texting, and Twittering their memos, letters, notes, and short messages. My own writing benefitted from the advent of the word processor. For years, even into my adult years, my writing suffered. I was ineffectual in communicating my ideas and thoughts because, as hard as I tried, my fingers could not keep up with the flow of thoughts in my mind. By the time I recorded one point, three more had already come, went, and were lost. Now my fingers fly across the keyboard at 80+ words a minute and my fingers, finally, can keep up with the flying thoughts and ideas.

However, despite my unbelief, there are those out there who still handwrite! When I meet with attorneys, notes are taken on a legal pad. Attending meetings with district personnel, I've noticed that no one uses a laptop to take notes. Again, the ubiquitous legal pad is the tool of choice. Agreements are hammered out in longhand first and signed, only to be processed into more formal documents later. I'd even venture to say that if each of you look at all the written communication that you produce, you would find that the majority of it is in handwriting. It follows, then that if handwriting still plays an important part in how we communicate with others, it's important to make our handwriting as legible and neat as possible.

In my post on [stereotyping](#), I noted that others judge us through built-in filters that may bias their opinion of us. Although given a bad reputation, stereotyping is a built-in ability that allows our brains to categorize what we see, hear, feel, and experience into general categories so that we don't have re-evaluate each thing or situation that we encounter: We've been there, done that, and this is what it means. One of those stereotypes that exist for most humans is that bad handwriting is equated with bad ideas, poor thinking, sloppy habits, and failure. As a result, the person who has not taken the time to develop good, legible handwriting finds themselves at a disadvantage in our competitive world.

A good example comes from the old self-help program, "Where There's A Will There's an 'A'". The creator of that program told a story of action research he had done at his university. In it he gave his students the required end-of-course test that included essays in the familiar blue books. He gave a number of books to his wife, who simply re-wrote the students' essays in neater and more legible handwriting. He, then, word processed the same books. When finished, he presented the students' blue books to his graduate assistants to grade. Later, after the passage of time, he included his wife's re-copied blue books in the next batch that the assistants graded. Finally, even later, he included the word processed essays with another batch of blue books. The result was that the students' original blue books received the lowest grades. The wife's re-copied and neaten versions received higher scores than the originals. Finally, the word processed papers received the highest scores of all. This is interesting, since not one word was changed in any of the books, only the legibility. His conclusions led him to include the importance of legibility on classwork and tests to those who purchased his program and advised them to take all tests with erasable ink so that corrections could be made neatly.

Some of the benefits of legible handwriting include:

- Clearer thought processes for the writer - No longer having to struggle with the "how" of writing (i.e., how to

form the letters), the brain is freed to work on idea formation and composition. The result is better written compositions.

- Easier reading and interpretation for the reader - The reader no longer has to interpret sloppy pen strokes to figure out what is being said and is able to concentrate on the evaluation of the writer's ideas.
- More receptive audiences to the writing - At least one study has shown that easy-to-read documents result in an audience that is more receptive of the ideas that the document presents.

Consider this:

"Make no mistake, if handwriting has a poor appearance, the writer is judged poorly by our culture. This won't end tomorrow. Surface features will always attract far more attention than underlying structures. For a person who has poor handwriting, the road ahead is difficult. In spite of the high quality of his ideas and information, the writer will bear a lifelong burden. But such a fate is unnecessary...for those who know how writers develop their skill in handwriting."

--Donald Graves, "A Fresh Look at Writing"

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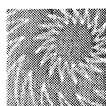
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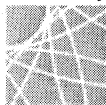
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Wow, this is timely. Just wrote about how bad my own handwriting is...clearly a personal development project... =)

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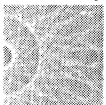
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I've come over here from a link in Lifehacker, and I have to say that I find this post dubious at best. Firstly, it is a well known stereotype that doctors have terrible handwriting (one which is borne out by my own experiences). Secondly, I've never heard of these stereotypes about people with poor handwriting that you seem to suggest through the use of your quote are commonplace, and thirdly, that study you quoted is fatally flawed. Of course people marking essays are going to give lower grades to essays containing ideas that they've come across before. In fact, on my degree course, original thinking was one of the qualities needed to score top marks.

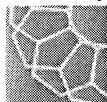
The study would have to be repeated with the poorly hand-written essays handed in first, followed by the neatly written ones and finally the typed ones and the results compared before it would be possible to draw any conclusions from this experiment at all.

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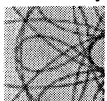
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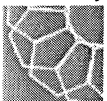
I took technical Studies and there in college the first English class we took was proper English spelling and grammar. Basically we were learned how to write like English Majors and how all these points you discuss will define us and show our abilities. Next semester we were taught in our second English class that everything in our first English class was basically a waste, and we were taught how to really communicate with other people through semi correct grammar and neatness. So yes perfect writing may get you a job but realistic writing gets the job done. After all in the work place I do not have all day to make sure my hand writing is neat or nothing would get done. Remember if it does not make scene to someone else then no matter how perfect the grammar spelling and neatness is nothing more then scribbles.

Posted by: Croom | [June 26, 2009 at 05:01 PM](#)



Ian-- Point well made. Thank you.

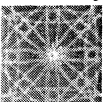
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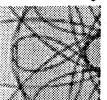
Yes! I agree with all your points.

Posted by: Mark | [June 26, 2009 at 11:23 PM](#)



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Tes Teq -

Me, too. Playing with different formats for a while this AM. I get bored after it stays the same for a while. :)

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## The Importance of Teaching Handwriting

August 2006

After a long period of neglect in education, attention to teaching handwriting in the primary grades may finally be returning. This attention can benefit many youngsters, including those with learning disabilities (LDs) involving handwriting, which may accompany reading disabilities, writing disabilities, nonverbal learning disabilities, and attention deficit hyperactivity disorder.

Although word-processing programs and assistive technology are undeniably boons to children with writing problems, technological advances do not eliminate the need for explicit teaching of handwriting. Furthermore, very modest amounts of instructional time in the earliest grades – kindergarten and grade one – may help to prevent later writing difficulties for many children.

### Why handwriting is important

Contrary to the view that handwriting is a trivial skill, handwriting actually is important for a number of reasons.

One involves the concept of mental resources to which I have alluded in several other columns, in relation to reading and mathematics as well as writing. Just as effortful word decoding may impair reading comprehension, or lack of automatic recall may reduce the mental resources available for learning advanced computational algorithms in math, labored handwriting creates a drain on mental resources needed for higher-level aspects of writing, such as attention to content, elaboration of details, and organization of ideas.

Because handwriting is a basic tool used in many subjects – taking notes, taking tests, and doing classroom work and homework for almost every content area as well as in language arts classes – poor handwriting can have a pervasive effect on school performance.

Moreover, when handwriting is perceived as arduous and time-consuming, motivation to write may be greatly reduced, leading to a lack of practice that may further compound difficulties with writing.

Finally, handwriting in the earliest grades is linked to basic reading and spelling achievement; for example, when children learn how to form the letter *m*, they can also be learning its sound. Attention to the linkages among handwriting, reading, and spelling skills can help to reinforce early achievement across these areas.

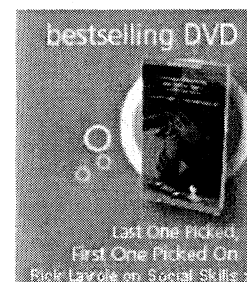
### Manuscript or cursive?

At one time, manuscript (print) writing was typically taught in first grade, whereas cursive was introduced later, usually in third grade. Historically, some authorities argued for the superiority of one form over the other for children with LDs, most often for the superiority of cursive over manuscript.

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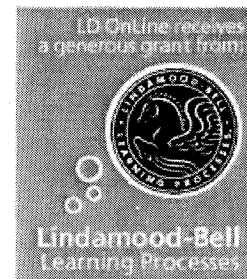
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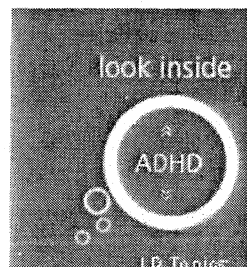
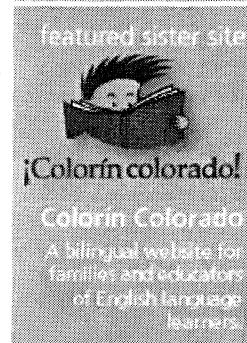
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However, there is little evidence that cursive is easier to learn than manuscript, and there are clear advantages to having children focus on the form of writing similar to what they must read in print.

Most critically, children should be able to use at least one form to produce legible, reasonably effortless writing, and instruction should focus on the form that appears most likely to lead to that outcome, especially for older children with handwriting difficulties.

### **Assessment of handwriting skills**

Assessment of handwriting should incorporate observations of execution, legibility, and speed of writing.

Execution includes correct and consistent pencil hold, posture, and letter formation. Counterproductive habits in these latter areas are not always obvious from looking only at writing samples and can greatly impede progress in handwriting. For instance, young children may "draw" a letter such as *m* using separate strokes, starting on the right side of the letter. Forming the letter beginning on the left side, without lifting the pencil from the paper, is much more conducive to building eventual speed of writing.

Legibility involves the readability of letters, as well as spacing within and between words.

Speed is important as children advance beyond the first few grades so that they can use writing efficiently in a variety of tasks.

If children have learned both manuscript and cursive, as is often the case with older youngsters, then assessment should consider the execution, legibility, and speed of both forms of writing.

### **Instruction in handwriting**

Relatively modest investments of instructional time devoted to handwriting – perhaps the equivalent of ten or fifteen minutes daily – may pay off in preventing later writing problems, including difficulties with higher-level composition skills.

The early years of schooling are especially critical for handwriting instruction; once children have formed counterproductive habits in handwriting, such as poor pencil hold or inefficient letter formation, those habits can be difficult to change.

Even for young children, however, handwriting instruction should occur in the context of a broader program of written expression in which children learn many other writing skills and develop motivation to write.

Of course, children also should have access to word-processing programs and assistive technology, with appropriate accommodations as needed for individual students.

Here are a few specific suggestions for teaching handwriting:

- **Teach children consistent formation of letters using a continuous stroke if possible.**

Children should learn a highly consistent way to form a given letter every time they write it. Although some letters, such as *f* and *t*, require lifting the pencil from the paper to make a second stroke, teach letter formation using a continuous stroke (without lifting the pencil from the paper) when possible.

For example, teach children to write the letter *b* by starting at the top with a vertical stroke, then making the loop to

the right without lifting the pencil, rather than having children form the vertical line and the loop in separate strokes.

- **Focus initially on learning the motor pattern rather than perfect legibility or size.**

When children are learning to form a new letter, it is helpful to begin with large movements such as forming the letter in the air; have children use a sweeping movement with the entire arm, not just the hand. This initial practice should emphasize learning the motor pattern with correct formation of the letter (e.g., as discussed for the letter *b* above) rather than writing the letter on paper with perfect legibility or size.

- **Teach similarly formed letters together, and use an instructional sequence that takes into account both ease of formation and frequency in words.**

For instance, the manuscript letters *c*, *a*, and *d* all begin with the same loop and can be taught in one group; *i* should be taught before *y* because it is simpler to form and is needed more frequently to write words.

- **Separate reversible letters such as *b* and *d*.**

Children appear less likely to confuse visually similar letters if they have learned one letter of a confusable pair well prior to introduction of the other letter of the pair. In addition, it can be helpful to teach children to form confusable letters differently; for example, *b* starts at the top whereas *d* starts with the loop.

- **Use written arrow cues to help children remember how to form letters.**

Especially when the teacher is working with large groups of youngsters, monitoring each child while he or she is writing may be difficult. Written arrow cues for tracing dotted letters and copying letters are important so that children do not inadvertently practice incorrect letter formation repeatedly.

- **For children at beginning stages of reading and spelling, integrate handwriting instruction with instruction in letter sounds.**

For instance, while children are practicing writing a given letter, they can also be saying the sound the letter makes.

- **In teaching cursive, explicitly teach connections between letters as well as formation of single letters.**

Unlike manuscript writing, cursive writing involves making connections between letters within a word. Once children can form individual letters, explicit teaching of letter connections is important.

Connections involving four letters – cursive *b*, *o*, *v*, and *w* – followed by a subsequent letter (e.g., as in the words *bed*, *on*, *have*, *will*) are often especially confusing for children, because unlike most cursive connections, these do not involve going back down to the bottom line before writing the subsequent letter.

- **Aim for speed as well as legibility.**

Whether children are learning manuscript or cursive, speed should not be emphasized until children can form letters legibly and from memory. With either form, however, children must eventually develop enough speed to use writing efficiently in tasks such as note-taking or test-taking.

It also is useful to distinguish different standards for legibility depending on the purpose for writing; for example, in taking notes, "messy" handwriting is entirely

acceptable as long as children can easily read their own writing.

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- From Illegible to Understandable
- Helping Students Who Struggle to Write
- Prevention and Intervention of Writing Difficulties for Students with Learning Disabilities
- Tech Tools for Students with Learning Disabilities

### Other helpful links

- National Center for Learning Disabilities: Dysgraphia Fact Sheet

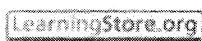
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## SUBJECT:

To approve a purchase from Pearson Education for Pre-K Communication Arts textbooks, teacher and student resources at a cost not to exceed \$16,603.30.

## BACKGROUND:

The funding for this program will be provided by the Early Reading First Grant. This purchase is to provide additional textbooks and resources for the increased number of students at this level.

CSIP: Goal # SLPS Goal #2 - Process and Performance Row # 59 MSIP: 7.4

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Department: Early Childhood and Early Childhood

Requestor:

Dr. Sheryl Davenport

Dr. Carlinda Purcell, Dep. Supt. - Academics

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## Independent Research Finds English Learners Significantly Improve Reading and Language Skills with Pearson's 'Reading Street' Curriculum

Glenview, IL March 17, 2009 -- Today, there are five million students enrolled in U.S. classrooms across the nation as English language learners, with a significant percentage of them struggling to keep up academically with their English-speaking peers. English learners continue to drop out of schools at an unprecedented rate, but independent research now indicates that an innovative curriculum for elementary students significantly improves students' reading ability while also enhancing their English language skills -- a finding that could potentially reverse the disturbing drop-out trend.

The English language learner (ELL) components of Pearson's Reading Street, a research-based reading program for pre-kindergarten through sixth grade, were recently studied by independent research firm Magnolia Consulting, LLC. Magnolia's final report, *A Study of Pearson's Reading Street ELL Component*,

indicates that elementary school students using the ELL materials as a part of the Reading Street program made "significant gains" in reading skills and in English language development. Of even greater importance, multiple students were able to exit the ELL program after just one year of exposure to these components; and these students became reclassified as "Fluent English Proficient" (FEP), as defined by the U.S. Department of Education.

Magnolia Consulting researcher and report co-author Dr. Carol Haden said, "We documented that English language learners who used Reading Street's ELL components made significant gains on standardized test scores in oral reading fluency and language proficiency."

Tests administered included the Dynamic Indicators of Basic Early Literacy Skills (DIBELS) assessment, AIMSweb, the Massachusetts English Language Assessment-Oral (MELA-O) and the Arizona English Language Learner Assessment (AZELLA). Results examples:

Students using Reading Street ELL materials demonstrated significant gains in reading fluency on the DIBELS Oral Reading Fluency (ORF), with mean scores for second-grade students more than doubling, an increase of 46.8 points, over the school year. Third-grade student scores increased 36.9 points, a gain of 62 percent. These gains are further enhanced by the fact that the percentage of second-grade students considered high risk decreased from 36 percent to 27 percent and the low-risk student population rose from 24 percent to 40 percent.



"Pearson's emphasis on independent efficacy studies allows us to learn more about what helps students succeed in school. Magnolia's research confirms that English language students can learn effectively when provided with the right tools to focus their reading skills and vocabulary development in connection with the main reading program," said Marcy Baughman, Pearson's Director of Academic Research. She added, "Pearson has committed to the development and creation of research-based materials to help ensure we are effective at shrinking the achievement gap for English learners."



The report's co-researcher and co-author Dr. Stephanie Baird Wilkerson said, "An equally promising outcome of the study was the consistently high ratings the materials received from the implementing teachers.

**Teachers found the Reading Street ELL components to be particularly effective in supporting oral language development, vocabulary development, and in engaging student interest and motivation in reading and speaking, all key elements of an effective English learning program."**

Teachers reported that the Reading Street materials were highly effective, useful, valuable and engaging, connecting students to their classroom instruction and reinforcing reading skills and language acquisition. Study results show that teachers perceived the majority of students -- 66 percent -- to be highly engaged with the ELL materials.

Teachers also said that the materials were easy to implement and straightforward to incorporate into their workflow. Teachers gave the top rating to the Reading Street ELL posters, especially valuable for engaging students in classroom discussion, assessing and building vocabulary, and developing writing skills. They also attributed high scores to the ELL Teaching Guide, specifically the Picture It! activity, lessons related to the readers, and the vocabulary and word card activities. And all teachers indicated that they used and liked the section in the back of the ELL readers with questions for discussion and suggestions for writing and extending language.

One participating teacher said of her students, "They are reading better. They're able to pronounce the words and read faster. I'm seeing it from the DIBELS--constant repetition of summaries and readers helping with their fluency."

Another teacher commented, "Students keep seeing the same words, even while learning something new. They incorporate the words into their vocabulary. There is a lot of reinforcement of concepts."

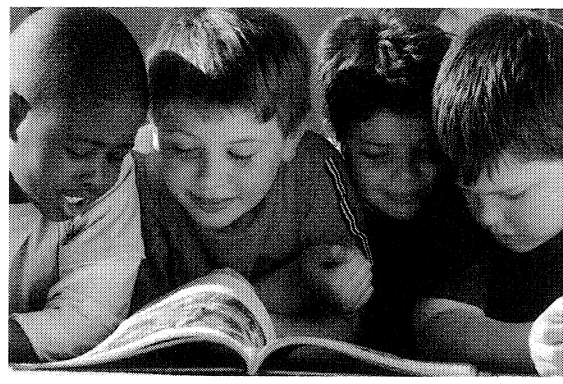
Developed by a team of national reading and ELL experts and founded on scientific research, Pearson's Reading Street focuses on priority skills that are designed to help teachers build readers through a wealth of reliable print and digital teaching tools for instruction, pacing, assessments, and

grouping. The ELL materials offer additional support for teachers assisting students with their reading and English acquisition skills.

Pearson's English Language Learning and Literacy expert Jesus Cervantes said, "Pearson is dedicated to breaking the disturbing cycle of ELL dropouts. The Reading Street components were specifically designed to tackle this problem head-on. The design of these learning materials was based on scientific research; now this new efficacy study is further validation that Reading Street has a dramatic impact on English learners' reading, comprehension and speaking abilities." Cervantes added, "ELL students, like their peers, are benefiting from Reading Street's differentiated instruction, which personalizes learning and prioritizes skill instruction at each grade level, helping teachers focus on the right skill, at the right time, for every student."

Cervantes noted that states are estimating more than 56,000 new English language learner teachers will be needed in the next five years. He emphasized Pearson's continued investment in research-based programs for 21st century educators that include intervention tools to customize learning for each student as well as providing professional development for teachers.

Magnolia evaluators examined five teachers and 84 students in four elementary schools in two school districts using pullout and whole-class Structured English Immersion programs during the 2007-2008 school year.



More than five million students in 10,000 schools across America are learning with the Reading Street program. For more information, visit Reading Street or <http://www.pearsonschool.com/>.





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## SUBJECT:

To approve a purchase from Scholastic for Pre-K class sets of library books and materials at a cost not to exceed \$22,035.71.

## BACKGROUND:

The funding for this program will be provided by the Early Reading First Grant. This purchase is to provide sets of library books to support the read along activities in the Pre-K classrooms.

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## Cozy Corner™

### Aligns to Head Start

The purpose of *Head Start* is to promote the school readiness of low-income, preschool-age children by enhancing their cognitive, social, and emotional development. This must take place in a learning environment that **supports children's growth in language, literacy, social and emotional functioning, approaches to learning, and other areas**. The chart below shows how Scholastic *Cozy Corner* aligns to critical parts of *Head Start*.

Key Criteria for Head Start	Cozy Corner
<p>1. Provide high-quality, preschool programs to ensure that children participating in the program develop and demonstrate school readiness skills and abilities, which at a minimum include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Language knowledge and skills, including oral language and listening comprehension</li> <li>• Literacy knowledge and skills, including phonological awareness, print awareness and alphabetic knowledge</li> <li>• Mathematics knowledge and skills</li> <li>• Science knowledge and skills</li> <li>• Cognitive abilities related to academic achievement and child development</li> <li>• Approaches to learning related to child development and early learning</li> <li>• Social and emotional development related to early learning and problem solving</li> <li>• Abilities in creative arts</li> <li>• Physical development</li> </ul>	<p><b>Cozy Corner</b> is an innovative early language and literacy program that reaches across the community and curriculum to support older toddlers, younger preschoolers, early childhood educators, librarians, and families. It builds upon the rich tradition of Storytime by sharing <u>quality children's books, engaging in topic-rich conversations</u>, and heightening curiosity through music and active learning. It addresses the critical need for <u>school readiness</u> using research-based, best practices.</p> <p>The program primarily consists of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <u>10 Storytime Plans</u> with easy-to-implement routines that support the criteria and mission of <i>Head Start</i></li> <li>• <u>Putumayo Kids theme CDs</u> to get children ready for Storytime</li> <li>• <u>Nursery Rhyme flip chart</u> to reinforce action rhymes</li> <li>• <u>Character Cards</u> to allow children to retell the story in their own way</li> <li>• <u>Theme-related trade books</u> to read-aloud</li> <li>• <u>Storytime Program Guide</u> for extension activities for the classroom and home</li> <li>• <u>Read-Aloud Big Book</u> for each theme using interactive reading strategies as outlined in the Storytime Plan</li> </ul> <p><b>Cozy Corner</b> focuses on the whole child as they:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Learn six proven language and literacy skills, including developing narrative skills, vocabulary, letter knowledge, phonological sensitivity, and print motivation</li> <li>• Listen to read-aloud books and talk about the unit theme, which increases their <u>oral language and listening comprehension</u></li> <li>• Play while developing <u>age-appropriate social and emotional skills</u>, such as friendship, feelings, rules, self control, and creative problem solving, in the context of real-world and imaginative content</li> <li>• Encounter a variety of curriculum-linked <u>science, early math, and social studies themes</u>, including position words, community workers, animals, and weather</li> <li>• Learn from <u>physical movement, music, and drama</u> through fun action songs and rhymes</li> </ul>

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## Cozy Corner Alignment to Head Start

Key Criteria for Head Start	Cozy Corner
<p>2. Provide programs that ensure that limited English proficient students progress towards acquisition of the English Language while making meaningful progress, including that made through the use of culturally and linguistically appropriate instructional services</p>	<p><b>Cozy Corner</b> incorporates practices and activities that support limited English proficient students through:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Program Guide, which includes <u>English Language Learner support</u> for each of the program's 10 themes</li> <li>• Family letters in <u>English and Spanish</u></li> <li>• Putumayo Kids music CDs, which use songs from a <u>variety of cultural traditions</u></li> <li>• <u>Oral language and vocabulary</u> lessons and activities</li> </ul>
<p>3. Provide family literacy services that integrate:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Interactive literacy activities between parents and their children</li> <li>• Training for parents regarding how to be the primary teacher for their children</li> </ul>	<p><b>Cozy Corner</b> Storytime Plans include <u>effective parental involvement</u> components, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <u>Activities</u> that help families incorporate early language and literacy skills into their daily interactions with children</li> <li>• <u>Instructive phrases</u> to help teachers and families better understand how their children are benefiting from the activities</li> <li>• <u>Take-home activities</u> for children to do with their parents, including a reproducible bilingual <i>My Book</i></li> </ul>
<p>4. Provide high-quality professional development, including activities that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Are part of a sustained effort to improve outcomes for children and their families, including children of diverse backgrounds and needs</li> <li>• Are developmentally appropriate for the children</li> <li>• Advance teachers' understanding of research-based, instructional strategies, curricula, and ongoing assessments</li> </ul>	<p><b>Cozy Corner</b> provides a variety of <u>embedded, professional development and support</u> for <i>Head Start</i> teachers and staff. It effectively teaches them how to receive, use, and apply research-based practices.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <u>Program Guide</u> contains insights from experts, substantive suggestions for expanding the themes into classroom curriculum topics, family involvement materials in both English and Spanish, and ELL support</li> <li>• <u>Storytime Plans</u> include research and guidance for setting up and exploring the theme, reading suggestions for the three theme-related books, extension activities for home and school, and lists of resources for extended study</li> <li>• <u>Theme &amp; Skills List</u> aligns each theme with the targeted language and literature skill, social/emotional concept, early childhood theme/curriculum link, character cards, Big Book, read-aloud books, and audio components</li> </ul>
<p>5. Provide ongoing self-assessment of each <i>Head Start</i> program by measuring children's skills that research has demonstrated are related to children's school readiness and later success in school</p>	<p><b>Cozy Corner</b> provides <u>assessment support</u> through:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Program Guide, which includes a routine to <u>summarize and reflect upon children's accomplishments</u></li> <li>• <u>Observation</u> of children as they talk about the stories and participate in activities</li> <li>• <u>Parental input</u> from their program-guided interactions with their children</li> </ul>

## Scope and Sequence

Storytime Theme	Target Language & Literary Skill	Social/Emotional Concept	Curriculum Link	Big Book	Read-Aloud 1	Read-Aloud 2	Theme CD
1 <b>Up, Down, All Around!</b>	Print Motivation: developing an interest in and enjoyment of books	Self-control and pride in accomplishment (Development of Self)	Me	<i>Itsy Bitsy Spider</i> by Iza Trapani	<i>Ruby in Her Own Time</i> by Jonathan Emmet	<i>Rosie's Walk</i> by Pat Hutchins	Latin Playground
2 <b>Jump for Joy!</b>	Print Awareness: exploring how books work	Feelings (Social Development)	Me and My Friends	<i>Miss Mary Mack</i> by Mary Ann Hoberman	<i>Grumpy Bird</i> by Jeremy Tankard	<i>Yo! Yes?</i> by Chris Raschka	Animal Playground
3 <b>On the Move!</b>	Narrative skills: describing everyday actions	Self-awareness (Development of Self)	Going Places	<i>Goodnight, Gorilla</i> by Peggy Rathmann	<i>This Way, Ruby</i> by Jonathan Emmet	<i>The Great Gracie Chase</i> by Cynthia Rylant	World Playground
4 <b>Snap, Crackle, Moo!</b>	Phonological Awareness: listening to and creating onomatopoeia	Listening to and engaging others (Social Development)	Community Helpers	<i>My Daddy Snores</i> by Nancy H. Rothstein	<i>Book! Book!</i> by Deborah Bruss	<i>If You're Happy and You Know It</i> by James Warhola	Sing Along With Putumayo
5 <b>Munch a Bunch!</b>	Vocabulary: naming things and concepts	Personal preferences (Development of Self)	Food	<i>I Am an Apple</i> by Jean Marzollo	<i>How Do Dinosaurs Eat Their Food?</i> by Jane Yolen and Mark Teague	<i>Chameleon!</i> by Joy Cowley	Caribbean Playground
6 <b>1, 2, 3! Repeat After Me!</b>	Phonological Awareness: identifying rhymes	Relating to others (Social Development)	Animals	<i>Is Your Mama a Llama?</i> by Deborah Guarino	<i>Tanka Tanka Skunk</i> by Steve Webb	<i>Let's Play in the Forest (While the Wolf...)</i> by Claudia Rueda	African Dreamland
7 <b>Beep! Beep! Vroom!</b>	Alphabetic Knowledge: exploring letter names	Natural curiosity (Development of Self)	Transportation	<i>Alphabet Rescue</i> by Audrey and Bruce Wood	<i>The Wheels on the Race Car</i> by Alexander Zane	<i>Duck on a Bike</i> by David Shannon	Brazilian Playground
8 <b>Splash! Splash!</b>	Vocabulary: naming things and concepts	Knowledge of others and how our actions affect others (Social Development)	The World Around Us	<i>My River</i> by Shari Halpern	<i>Ten Little Fish</i> by Audrey and Bruce Wood	<i>One Duck Stuck</i> by Phyllis Root	Hawaiian Playground
9 <b>Rain or Sun, Stories Are Fun!</b>	Alphabetic Knowledge: exploring letters and their sounds	Adjusting to change and taking care of oneself (Development of Self)	Weather	<i>Caps, Hats, Socks, and Mittens</i> by Louise Borden	<i>The Deep Blue Sea</i> by Audrey and Bruce Wood	<i>Come On, Rain!</i> by Karen Hesse	Reggae Playground
10 <b>Imagine That! Bears!</b>	Narrative skills: creating oral stories	Solving problems and becoming resilient (Development of Self)	Real and Make-Believe	<i>The Little Mouse, The Red, Ripe Strawberry...</i> by Don and Audrey Wood	<i>Maybe a Bear Ate It!</i> by Robie H. Harris	<i>Polar Bear Night</i> by Lauren Thompson	Asian Dreamland







# SAINT LOUIS PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Date: September 21, 2010

To: Dr. Kelvin R. Adams, Superintendent

From: Dr. Carlinda Purcell, Dep. Supt. - Academics

## VENDOR SELECTION METHOD:

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## SUBJECT:

To approve a contract with Project Construct to provide professional development training in Communication Arts for Pre-K teachers during the period October 15, 2010 to December 31, 2010. The cost will not exceed \$45,000.

## BACKGROUND:

The funding for this program will be provided by the Early Reading First Grant. Project Construct's framework is used by the District and is supported by the Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education (DESE) as the foundation for Pre-K instruction.

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FUNDING SOURCE: (Fund Type) - (Function) - (Object Code) - (Location Code) - (Project Code)

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Department: Early Childhood and Early Childhood

Requestor:

Dr. Sheryl Davenport

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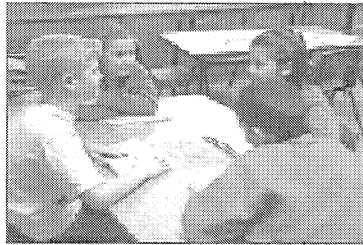
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Dr. Kelvin R. Adams, Superintendent



# What Is Project Construct?

Developed by the Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education in 1986, Project Construct is a learner-centered curriculum and an approach to teaching for preschool, primary and elementary grades. It was developed from research demonstrating that learners *construct* knowledge through interactions with their physical and social environments.



## What does a Project Construct classroom look like?

In a preschool, a four-year old begins a letter to Mommy, connecting letters and sounds in an attempt to write words: "Dr Mom hau ar u...." In a second-grade class, small groups of students work together, solving a math problem and creating posters to explain their solutions to their classmates. In a fifth-grade class, two ten-year-olds sit together in a quiet corner, deep in conversation about the characters in the book they are reading.

What do these scenes have in common? They are all examples of children constructing knowledge, confident they can succeed in learning. They are also scenes that take place daily in Project Construct classrooms.

In a Project Construct classroom, each child is valued and respected, both as a learner and as a person. Educators using Project Construct

support children's development as individuals, as learners, and as members of a classroom community. Along with a thorough understanding of curriculum (what children need to know and be able to do at each grade level), teachers in

Project Construct classrooms

- use students' interests to motivate and engage them in learning,
- encourage children to collaborate and work together,
- allow children to take initiative, express opinions, and make choices,
- view children's errors as learning opportunities,
- assess children's thinking, as well as their work, in order to teach more effectively.

Project Construct teachers

also believe that the classroom environment is an important tool for helping children learn. Room arrangements and daily schedules, while carefully designed, are flexible.

Student work is on display everywhere, signaling to students that the room belongs to them. There are tables for children to work together in groups and individual spaces for independent work. Ultimately, however, each Project Construct classroom is unique and designed to meet the changing needs of its students and teachers.

While Project Construct teachers each have their own ways of involving students in the subject matter, you can be sure of one thing;



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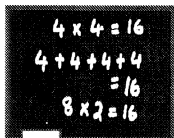
they all believe that high expectations and rich learning environments challenge students to reach their maximum potential.

### ***How will Project Construct benefit my child?***

The Project Construct approach provides clear advantages to students. Preschool-age children arrive at kindergarten ready and eager to learn, while school-age children are better prepared for the assessments demanded by new academic standards, confident in themselves as successful learners.

In Project Construct classrooms, students solve realistic problems, explain their thinking, and examine their reasoning. They also learn to function as members of a community. As a result, they attain deep understandings in the core content areas, become critical thinkers and creative problem-solvers, develop cooperative and collaborative skills, and develop a love of learning.

In addition, the Project Construct curriculum is closely linked to both state and national standards. Like the Show-Me Standards—Missouri’s rigorous academic standards—the Project Construct curriculum is shaped by the belief that student success depends on both a solid foundation of content knowledge and the ability to apply it to real problems and new situations. Also like the Show-Me Standards, the Project Construct curriculum is built on the understanding that “active, hands-on learning” benefits students of all ages. As stated in the Standards document, this kind of learning “stays in the mind long after the tests are over


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and acts as a springboard to success beyond the classroom.”

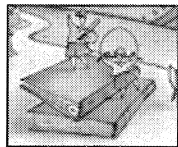
### ***What part do families play in Project Construct?***

Learning is a lifelong journey that adults and children go on together. As parents and families, you are not just important companions on this journey, you are necessary partners. You are your children’s first and primary teachers and thus have a very important role in the Project Construct classroom. Your child’s teacher will be happy to provide you with information on ways you can support your child’s learning, both at home and at school. Family involvement significantly increases the chances of a student’s success, and together, we can prepare our children to meet the challenges of a new era and ensure a brighter tomorrow.

For more information about Project Construct and the Project Construct National Center, please visit our web site or call us.

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## Project Construct

### Pathways Home

Project Construct is a long-term educational improvement effort developed by the Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education. Currently being implemented in 212 school districts in Missouri and 10 school districts in other states, its framework of curriculum and assessment is being elaborated by continuing field testing and input from participating educators.

The following is excerpted from an informational leaflet distributed by the [Project Construct National Center](#) (see [Contacts](#)).

*"Project Construct* is a process-oriented curriculum and assessment framework for working with children ages three through seven. *Project Construct* is based on constructivist theory, which states that children construct their own knowledge and values as a result of interactions with the physical and social world. The project design provides for a variety of resources, including curriculum material and assessment instruments, support pieces for educators and parents that address a range of theoretical and practical concerns, and guidelines for teacher evaluation and professional development. Instruction is provided through thirty-hour-long institutes, with continuing education made available through a series of follow-up workshops and advanced institutes. In addition, experienced *Project Construct* consultants, including classroom teachers and administrators, are available to provide guidance for those who are new to the project. . . .

*Project Construct* was developed to fulfill a need for a curriculum and assessment framework that supports young children's characteristic ways of learning while at the same time providing teachers, parents, and administrators the information they need to make appropriate decisions regarding the education of young children. . . .

The *Project Construct Assessment System* will help teachers document children's attainment of the goals for students. The system has two primary components: one part is based on informal assessment techniques and is designed to monitor students' day-to-day progress, while the other part reflects a more structured approach and is most useful for summative evaluation. Both components feature performance-based methods and promote developmentally appropriate assessment practices."



### References

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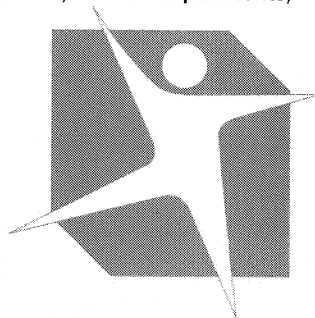
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# PROJECT CONSTRUCT NATIONAL CENTER

## ***Project Construct —***

**an approach to teaching  
based on what we know  
about learning...**

***Teaching.*** Designed for preschool, primary, and elementary students, Project Construct is a rigorous, contextualized, learner-centered approach to teaching that encourages students to explore questions, test ideas, investigate possibilities, conduct experiments, invent strategies and solutions, and apply what they learn to new situations.



## ***Learning.***

Project Construct is derived from the belief that learning is a lifelong process in which learners construct knowledge through interactions with their physical and social environments. Through "hands-on, minds-on" learning experiences, students in Project Construct classrooms attain deep understandings in the core content areas, while they also learn to work collaboratively with adults and peers in vibrant learning communities.

### ***Project Construct***

The Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education (MoDESE) initiated Project Construct in 1986 in response to a widespread call for significant reform in early childhood education. At its inception, Project Construct was intended to offer Missouri's early childhood educators a structure for implementing theory- and research-based practice. Over time, the project enjoyed overwhelming success. As a result, the Project Construct National Center was established in 1992 to promote and support constructivist education in a more comprehensive way for preschool through the elementary grades, both inside and outside Missouri. Since then, with the continued sponsorship of MoDESE, the National Center has facilitated the professional growth of thousands of educators.

### ***Project Construct Approach***

The Project Construct approach to teaching and learning is built on the idea that the teacher is a professional whose day-to-day decisions in the classroom influence the student's development. Within a framework for curriculum and assessment, the teacher has considerable autonomy in choosing or designing experiences that will actively involve students and best promote learning.

Educators implementing Project Construct share the following beliefs about learning:

- Learning is a constructive, developmental process. Our minds naturally classify, order, organize, interpret, represent, and create as we attempt to make sense of our environment and our lives.
- Learning is fostered through communication, collaboration, and reflection. The classroom is a mini-society, a diverse community of learners engaged in constructive activity, accountable talk, and reflection.
- Academic disciplines and developmental domains are interactive and interrelated, each influencing the other. Within this context, educators must

use their knowledge of how children develop in order to facilitate each student's conceptual and sociomoral growth.

The Project Construct approach is based on goals for students that reflect current knowledge about how children learn, state and national standards, and the values of an interdependent, democratic society. The project design provides a variety of resources, including curriculum materials and assessment instruments, as well as support pieces for parents and administrators.

### ***Accountability***

Project Construct provides a means for educators to be accountable for meeting learning objectives and to translate what

environments, where each child is valued and respected, both as a learner and as an individual. The foundations for academic learning in Project Construct classrooms are embedded in the social and physical environments and integrated into contexts that are meaningful to children and appropriate to their stages of development.

### ***Institutes***

The Project Construct National Center offers early childhood and elementary educators the opportunity to be part of an ongoing, comprehensive professional-development program. The program begins with attendance at an introductory institute—offered in conjunction with academic credit—that provides training in theory-based practice and implementation of Project Construct.

Institutes are staffed by practicing educators, who are supported and informed by university researchers, teacher educators, and nationally recognized educational consultants and policy makers. These institute facilitators, who also receive ongoing professional-development in both educational practice and working with adult learners, are the 'front line' for Project Construct. They represent a truly teacher-to-teacher, collaborative model for professional growth and lifelong learning.

Since we believe that ongoing support and assistance is crucial for sustaining teachers' growth and change, the National Center is committed to providing continuing support to all institute participants as well. Our comprehensive follow-up support program provides a variety of additional resources, coaching, mentoring, and networking opportunities for educators implementing Project Construct.

### ***Site-Based Professional-Development Services***

Research indicates that site-based, job-embedded professional development is one of the most effective ways to promote best practices, which in turn leads to improved student outcomes. The National Center offers a variety of site-based services that can be tailored to meet specific program needs. These services include in-service workshops; in-class coaching, modeling, and mentoring; customized institutes; reading and discussion groups; and ongoing staff development during the school year.

### ***Resources for Teacher Educators and Administrators***

In addition to supporting in-service educators, the National Center also offers a variety of resources for pre-service teachers or educators interested in implementing this approach. These include publications, videos and DVDs, as well as downloadable documents that are available at no charge on our Web site.

For more information, including dates and locations of upcoming professional-development opportunities, contact us at

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### ***Academic Collaborations:***

The Project Construct Initiative continues to evolve in order to reflect the most current scientific research on children's learning and development and best practices for adult learners. We partner with teacher-educators at universities, colleges, and community colleges to stay at the forefront of research-based innovations in early childhood education, as well as to provide academic credit for our institutes.

they know about how children learn into appropriate teaching practices. Teachers using Project Construct make their classrooms powerful learning



**SAINT LOUIS PUBLIC SCHOOLS****Date:** September 21, 2010**To:** Dr. Kelvin R. Adams, Superintendent**From:** Dr. Carlinda Purcell, Dep. Supt., Academics**VENDOR SELECTION METHOD:**

- ☐ RFP/Bid  
☒ Sole Source  
☒ Contract Renewal  
☐ Ratification

Previous Bd. Res. #: 08-26-08-07

Agenda Item: 10-14-10-08  
 Information: ☐  
 Conference: ☐  
 Action: ☒

**SUBJECT:**

To approve a sole source contract renewal with Follett Software Company to provide library automation technical support to all St. Louis Public Schools beginning October 25, 2010 and ending June 30, 2011 in the amount not to exceed \$21,895.15.

**BACKGROUND:**


Each year technical support for the library automation systems must be procured to ensure continuation of the license agreement.

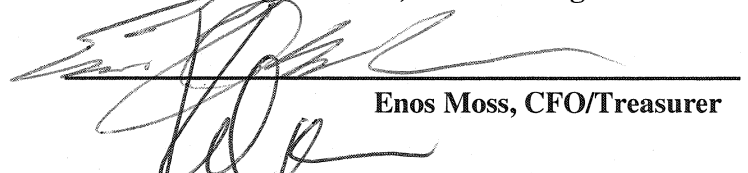
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**Department:** Curriculum & Instruction**Requestor:** Sheila Smith-Anderson

  
 Dr. Carlinda Purcell, Dep. Supt., Academics

  
 Angela Banks, Interim Budget Director

  
 Enos Moss, CFO/Treasurer

  
 Dr. Kelvin R. Adams, Superintendent



# REQUEST FOR SOLE SOURCE PURCHASE

<b>Requestor:</b> Sheila Smith-Anderson	<b>Date:</b> September 15, 2010
<b>Department / School:</b> Curriculum and Instruction	<b>Phone Number:</b> 314-345-4486
<i>Definition: Sole Source is a good or service that is <u>only</u> available from one (1) source (vendor manufacturer, etc...)</i>	
<b>Unique Goods / Services Requested for Sole Source Purchase (describe in detail below)</b>	
This software company hosts the database of all library books in St. Louis Public School. This is an ongoing contract as not to disturb library services to schools.	
<b>Vendor Name:</b> Follett Software Company	<b>Email:</b> <a href="mailto:sdunne@fsc.follett.com">sdunne@fsc.follett.com</a>
<b>Vendor Contact:</b> Sean Dunne	<b>Phone Number:</b> 800-323-3397
<b>Justification Information</b>	
<b>1. Why the uniquely specified goods are required?</b>	
This is a continuing contract with the software company. Without the continuation, students would be inhibited from checking out books on an electronic system and the district would have no means of collecting data from the usage of the library.	
<b>2. Why good or services available from other vendors /competitors are not acceptable?</b>	
This was the most competitive bid at its inception.	
<b>3. Other relevant information if any (i.e., attach manufacturer's statement verifying exclusive availability of product etc...)</b>	
See attached letter from vendor.	
<b>4. List the Names of other Vendors contacted &amp; Price Quotes:</b>	
Not applicable	
<i>I certify the above information is true and correct and that I have no financial, personal or other beneficial interest in the specified vendor.</i>	
<b>Your sole source request will not be approved without the required signatures below:</b>	
Department Head	Date
CFO	Date
Superintendent	Date





September 09, 2010

Sheila Smith-Anderson  
Director of Curriculum and Instruction  
St. Louis City Public School District  
801 N. 11th Street  
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Dear Ms. Smith-anderson:

Thank you for your inquiry regarding Follett Software Company's ("FSC") products and services. FSC is the sole source of the Destiny® and TetraData® suite of products, all of which are supported by FSC's advanced proprietary technology. We offer customers unique functionality and proprietary components in our products, coupled with superior maintenance and supporting services. Upon your decision and confirmation to us of this sole source offering, we will provide you with our standard licensing terms and additional information necessary to convert your system to the Destiny or TetraData platform.

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Reading Program Service - Reading Counts!®  
Reading Program Service - Lexiles®  
State Standards  
TitlePeek™  
WebMARC  
WebPath Express™

**Annual Licensing and Maintenance:** Destiny Asset Manager™  
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Destiny Media Manager™  
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Reading Program Service - Reading Counts!®  
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**Follett Services:** Automated Retrospective Conversion (enhancing electronic records)  
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Implementation Services (Networking and System Integration Consultation)  
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MARC Entry Service from shelflist  
Reading Program Service Data Service for Accelerated Reader®  
Reading Program Service Data Service for Reading Counts!®  
Reading Program Service Data Service for Lexiles®  
Technical Support Services  
TetraData Customer Support  
TetraData Data Services (Data Design, Data Engineering, QA Engineering)  
TetraData Professional Learning  
TetraData Project Management  
TetraData Technical Services (Security Engineering, Custom Reports Engineering)  
WebPath Express Recon Service

**Labels:** Accelerated Reader Book Labels (based upon customer data)  
Data Entry Laser-Print Labels (based upon customer data)  
Data Entry Spine Labels (based upon customer data)  
Lexile Book Labels-Spine (based upon customer data)  
Polythermal Labels-Data Entry-B&W-Sheet (based upon customer data)  
Polythermal Labels-Data Entry-Color-Sheet (based upon customer data)  
Reading Counts Book Labels (based upon customer data)

**Hardware:** 3820 Cordless Scanner  
Follett Panther™  
Follett Transaction Tracker Receipt Printer  
ImageTeam® 3800 Linear Imaging Scanner  
In-Hand™  
Follett Infigo™ Thermal Receipt Printer

**Miscellaneous:** MARC Authority Format Guide  
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Pathways to Knowledge: Information Skills Model  
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Sincerely,

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George Gatsis  
Vice President, Product Management and Development



September 09, 2010

Sheila Smith-Anderson  
Director of Curriculum and Instruction  
St. Louis City Public School District  
801 N. 11th Street  
Saint Louis, MO 63101

Dear Ms. Smith-anderson:

Thank you for your inquiry regarding Follett Software Company's ("FSC") products and services. FSC is the sole source of the Destiny® and TetraData® suite of products, all of which are supported by FSC's advanced proprietary technology. We offer customers unique functionality and proprietary components in our products, coupled with superior maintenance and supporting services. Upon your decision and confirmation to us of this sole source offering, we will provide you with our standard licensing terms and additional information necessary to convert your system to the Destiny or TetraData platform.

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Quote Issued: 09/03/2010  
Quote Expires: 11/30/2010

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73205P	SUPPORT/CATALOG+ SU Ref# 5191097	09-30-10	09-30-11 1@ 12Mth(s)	\$170.00	\$144.50
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Site Total: \$289.00  
Applied Discount(s)  
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Item	Description	Current Exp Date	New Exp Date	Price	Discount Price
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Your Annual Follett Software Service and/or Support Agreement(s) will expire soon. The attached page(s) includes an itemized list (by site) of Support, EMA and/or Online services, with each item expiration date, that require renewal

Sub Total For All:	\$25759.00
MultiSite/Quantity Discount:	(\$3863.85)

Total: (Please add all applicable Taxes)	\$21895.15
Currency: USD	

To renew your Support and/or Online Agreement(s), please send the following information:

- Purchase Order or Check (please reference Quote #)
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**SAINT LOUIS PUBLIC SCHOOLS****Date:** September 21, 2010**To:** Dr. Kelvin R. Adams, Superintendent**From:** Dr. Jesolyn Larry, Interim Info.Technology Officer**VENDOR SELECTION METHOD:**

- ☐ RFP/Bid  
☒ Sole Source  
☒ Contract Renewal  
☐ Ratification

Previous Bd. Res. #:

Agenda Item: 10-14-10-09  
 Information: ☐  
 Conference: ☐  
 Action: ☒

**SUBJECT:**

To approve a sole source renewal contract with ArcMail Technology, a CDS Office Technologies, Inc. company, for hardware and software support of the ArcMail email archiver appliance that is used to store emails. The support will be provided October 15, 2010 through June 30, 2012 at a cost not to exceed \$19,499.00.

**BACKGROUND:**

This appliance is used to search and retrieve emails in lawsuits and internal disciplinary actions. To ensure that the equipment runs properly, the hardware and software support is needed. The data containing the number of successful retrievals is maintained in Technology Services.

**CSIP:** Goal 2: Process Performance**Row:** 89**MSIP:** 6.4.4**FUNDING SOURCE:** (ex: 110 Fund Type – 2218 Function– 6411 Object Code - 111 Location Code – 00 Project Code)

<b>Fund Source:</b> 110-2828-6319-981-75	GOB	<b>Requisition #:</b> 10120255
<b>Amount:</b> \$19,499.00		
<b>Fund Source:</b>		<b>Requisition #:</b>
<b>Amount:</b>		
<b>Fund Source:</b>		<b>Requisition #:</b>
<b>Amount:</b>		
<b>Cost not to Exceed:</b> \$19,499.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Pending Funding Availability	<b>Vendor #:</b> 600001508

**Department:** Technology Services**Requestor:**

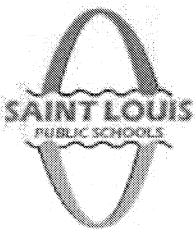
  
 Dr. Jesolyn Larry, Interim Info.Technology Officer

  
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 Dr. Kelvin R. Adams, Superintendent





## Vendor Performance Report

Type of report: Final <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Quarterly <input type="checkbox"/>		Report Date: 9-17-2010
Dept / School: Information Technology		Reported By: J. F. Larry
Vendor: ARCMail		Vendor #: 600001508
Contract # / P.O. #:		Contract Name:
Contract Amount: \$ 19,499.00		Award Date: 05-28-07
Purpose of contract (Brief Description): To provide maintenance and support for the hardware/software used for archiving District email.		
Performance Ratings: Summarize the vendor's performance and circle the number which best describes their performance in that category. See Vendor Performance Report Instructions for explanations of categories and numeric ratings ( <i>please attach additional sheets if necessary</i> ). Ratings 5 = Exceptional; 4 = Very Good; 3 = Satisfactory; 2 = Marginal; 1 = Unsatisfactory		
Category	Rating	Comments (Brief)
Quality of Goods / Services	5 4X 3 2 1	
Timeliness of Delivery or Performance	5 4X 3 2 1	
Business Relations	5 4 X 3 2 1	
Customer Satisfaction	5 4 X 3 2 1	
Cost Control	5 4 X 3 2 1	
Average Score	4	Add above ratings: divide the total by the number of areas being rated.
Would you select / recommend this vendor again? Please be aware that an answer of yes authorizes the Purchasing Department to seek renewal of the available option year for this contract. All items and conditions within the current contract shall be honored during this renewal period.		
Please Check    Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		





## Sole Source Letter

To whom it may concern,

This letter serves to notify you that CDS Office Technologies, Inc. is the sole provider of the ArcMail Defender Email Archiving Product to St. Louis Public School District. No other organization offers our unique, tamperproof, easy to use email archiving solution and they are our single source provider for the acquisition of new products and the development of our maintenance agreements in MO and IL.

Warmest regards,

Chad Bowerman

Regional Sales Manager – Central

ArcMail Technology





## Coyne, Kevin

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**From:** Larry, Jesolyn  
**Sent:** Monday, September 20, 2010 3:11 PM  
**To:** Walker, Samona N.  
**Cc:** Coyne, Kevin  
**Subject:** FW: Arc Mail Quote 9-20-10  
**Attachments:** Quote 092010-1-St. Louis Schools.pdf

Samona,  
Please print this quote.

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**From:** Dylan Bayliss [mailto:dbayliss@cdsofficetech.com]  
**Sent:** Monday, September 20, 2010 3:05 PM  
**To:** Larry, Jesolyn  
**Subject:** RE: Arc Mail Quote 9-20-10

Dr. Larry, I am waiting on confirmation that we can do the prorate for just 8 months.

In the interim, I have provided a quote for the one year and (9) months to end your term on June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2012 and well as the prorate for (3) years to end your term on June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2014. The list costs are \$20,990.28 for (21) month and \$40,210.88 for the (44) month term. We would charge:

Oct-2010~June-30 <sup>th</sup> -2012- (21months)	\$19,499.00
Oct-2010~June-30 <sup>th</sup> -2014- (45months)	\$37,499.00

Dylan Bayliss  
Territory Manager



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**From:** Larry, Jesolyn [mailto:Jesolyn.Larry@slps.org]  
**Sent:** Monday, September 20, 2010 1:49 PM  
**To:** Dylan Bayliss  
**Subject:** Re: Arc Mail Quote 9-20-10

Give quote to end on June 30, 2011 and June 30, 2012. I'll compare and get back with you. Thanks so much.

Sent from my iPhone

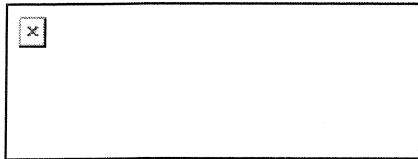
On Sep 20, 2010, at 1:40 PM, Dylan Bayliss <[dbayliss@cdsofficetech.com](mailto:dbayliss@cdsofficetech.com)> wrote:

No problem..did you still want to prorate for the additional 8 months to get the contract to begin/end on your year end or did you want to prorate for 1 month and sign a 37month term after Oct. 25<sup>th</sup>? We can work with you and provide the documentation to support it.

Regards

Dylan Bayliss

Territory Manager



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# SAINT LOUIS PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Date: September 23, 2010

From: Dr. Kelvin R. Adams, Superintendent

## VENDOR SELECTION METHOD:

- ☐ RFP/Bid  
☐ Sole Source  
☐ Contract Renewal  
☒ Ratification

Previous Bd. Res. #:

Agenda Item: 10-14-10-10  
 Information: ☐  
 Conference: ☐  
 Action: ☒

## SUBJECT:

To ratify a contract with Collaborative Strategies, Inc. to provide search consulting services for the period of August 12, 2010-October 30, 2010 at a cost not to exceed \$15,000.

## BACKGROUND:

Future services will include:

1. Edit position announcements and post free websites. Monitor and qualify candidates who have responded.
2. Begin calling out to networks to surface possible candidates.

CSIP: Goal 3: Resource

Row: 153

MSIP: 5.1

FUNDING SOURCE: (ex: 110 Fund Type – 2218 Function– 6411 Object Code - 111 Location Code – 00 Project Code)

Fund Source: 110-2321-6319-810-00	GOB	Requisition #:
Amount: 15,000.00		
Fund Source:		Requisition #:
Amount:		
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Amount:		
Cost not to Exceed: \$15,000.00	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pending Funding Availability	Vendor #: 600014250

Angela Banks, Interim Budget Director

Enos Moss, CFO/Treasurer

Dr. Kelvin R. Adams, Superintendent



COLLABORATIVE STRATEGIES, INC.

12825 Flushing Meadows Drive, Suite 200 St. Louis, Missouri 63131 (314) 523 9500 fax (314) 523 9505

August 12, 2010

**Confidential**

Dr. Kelvin Adams  
Superintendent  
SLPS  
801 N. 11<sup>th</sup> St.  
St. Louis, MO 63101  
Cc: Rick Sullivan

*Via email*

Dear Dr. Adams:

Thank you for meeting with me the other day and helping me to understand the SLPS need for a COO. I have since received and reviewed the COO description that you sent via email along with the resume you have in the pipeline and the references for the other candidate.

When we met, we discussed a targeted approach to recruiting a COO. You expressed a strong preference for someone who has a demonstrated track record of results for a professional organization - be it business, non-profit or government - with deep knowledge of finance, operations, facilities, construction, transportation, IT, HR, risk management and oversight. You want an "A" player who can take care of the non-academic and non-public relations aspects of running the schools, freeing you up to handle those vital responsibilities.

We agreed that posting the position in non-traditional places such as e-sites like LinkedIn and Craig's List supplemented by a strong networking outreach to a diverse range of St. Louis contacts would be a solid approach to raising the odds of finding qualified candidates.

We discussed a 2-phase approach whereby Jason Growe and Gina Hoagland will work on this engagement:

Phase 1 – Collaborative Strategies, Inc. (CSI) will work on surfacing candidates by targeted outreach to trusted referral sources and possible interested and qualified parties directly. We will use the official position description you sent as a starting point, but craft that into a position announcement that will succinctly state the key objectives, qualifications and requirements of the position. We will share or post nothing without your prior approval. *If after a period of a few weeks Jason and I are not satisfied that the candidate flow is robust, we will stop the effort and not charge the SLPS anything.*

Phase 2 – If Phase 1 goes well and candidates emerge, we will bill the SLPS up to \$5K for our time and effort in finding, qualifying and providing those qualified candidates to you. If the search costs will go beyond \$5K, as they likely will given a pool of good candidates and your preference to have us help with further qualification and selection, we will develop an estimate that can be presented and approved by your board.

All CSI work is based on consultants' hourly rates. The non-profit hourly rates applicable to the SLPS are:

Jason Growe	\$150/hour
Gina Hoagland	\$300/hour

Dr. Adams, I want to give this a try because NOTHING in our City deserves higher attention than the education of our future generations of leaders and community members. The investment we make today will yield dividends beyond our lifetimes. I hope that Jason and I can find you some great people to consider. Thank you for your service to our City and our region.

Sincerely,



Gina Hoagland  
President





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September 20, 2010

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Superintendent  
SLPS  
801 N. 11<sup>th</sup> St.  
St. Louis, MO 63101  
Cc: Rick Sullivan

*Via email*

Dear Dr. Adams:

As you know from my August 12, 2010 letter, we explored the potential for a two-phased approach to providing the SLPS with search consulting services. I am now satisfied that the preliminary interest shown by qualified candidates as a result of our networking efforts justifies taking this search to the next level.

Jason and I have followed through on our part of the engagement to surface qualified candidates. By the end of this month, September, our efforts will total just under \$5,000 and we would like to bill the SLPS for that activity.

Specific activities undertaken on your behalf will be described in our September invoice but will include hours from August and September to:

- Edit position announcement and post to free websites. Monitor and qualify candidates who have responded. Results are:
  - About 15 responses, but most are not a fit given our position description and there are many from out of town.
- Begin calling out to networks to surface possible candidates. Collect resumes, garner informal recommendations and leads to referral sources and candidates and conduct phone outreach to possible targets. Results are:

- We have one individual scheduled for an interview this week with you and Jason.
- Jason and I will be interviewing two additional candidates this week and deciding whether to send 1 or both of them on to you.
- Continue to surface qualified candidates through our networking efforts. Results:
  - We continue to build a list of terrific referral sources and targets.

I expect that you will want to retain our services to help you continue to surface good candidates and to qualify the ones we have. As such, our efforts on your behalf will now surpass the \$5,000 mark in total. Let's discuss how best for me to provide you with a proposal that you can bring to your board for a vote. Depending on the depth of assistance you desire and the length of time it takes to find THE candidate, I estimate that this next phase of assistance may require as little as another \$5,000 up to an additional \$15,000 for CSI's services. Please note that the estimate does not include the cost of other expenses such as psychological testing for finalists, which would be performed and billed by an entity other than CSI.

Sincerely,



Gina Hoagland  
President









# SAINT LOUIS PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Date: September 21, 2010

To: Dr. Kelvin R. Adams, Superintendent

From: Roger L. CayCe, Exec. Director - Operations/Bldg. Comm.

## VENDOR SELECTION METHOD:

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Agenda Item:  
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Action:

<input type="checkbox"/>	10-14-10-11
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

## SUBJECT:

To ratify the purchase of uniforms and equipment from Leon Uniform Company for the 2010 - 2011 school year for the Safety and Security staff at a cost not to exceed \$7,568.00.

## BACKGROUND:

Leon Uniform Company has provided the District's Safety and Security officers with uniforms and equipment for the past five years. The company has provided quality products and exemplary service.

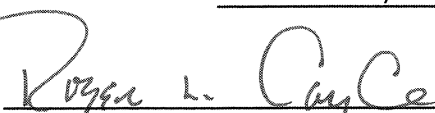
CSIP: Goal # SLPS Goal #2 - Process and Performance Row # 126 MSIP: 6.6.1

FUNDING SOURCE: (Fund Type) - (Function) - (Object Code) - (Location Code) - (Project Code)

Fund Source: 110 - 2333 - 6411 - 829 - 00 GOB	Requisition #: 10120183
Amount: \$ 7,568.00	
Fund Source: - - - - -	Requisition #: _____
Amount: _____	
Fund Source: - - - - -	Requisition #: _____
Amount: _____	
Cost not to Exceed: \$ 7,568.00	Pending Funding Availability Vendor #: 600003852


Department: Safety & Security

Requestor: Colonel Lisa Taylor

  
Roger L. CayCe, Exec. Director - Operations/Bldg. Comm.

  
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24	46	55
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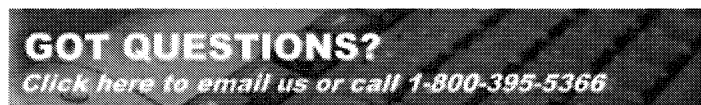
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		52-54	\$53.95	

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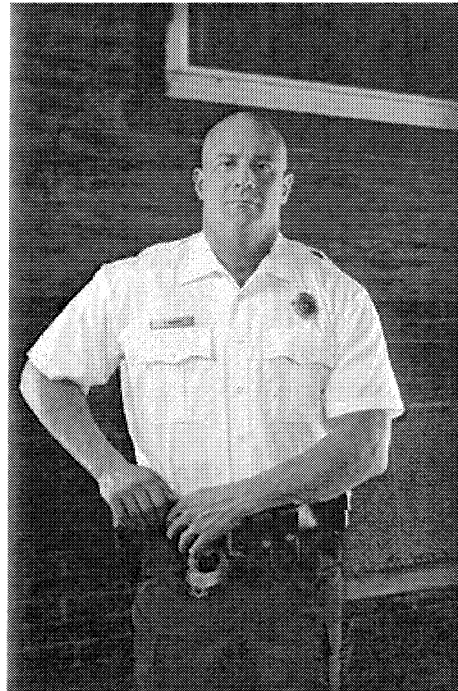


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#### MAX Comfort – NANO-DRY™

technology provides permanent moisture wicking action to keep you more comfortable from the first time you wear it, to the 100th. Inherent stretch completes the comfort story.

#### Short Sleeve Shirts Are Now Duty Maxx 75/35% Poly/Rayon Blend

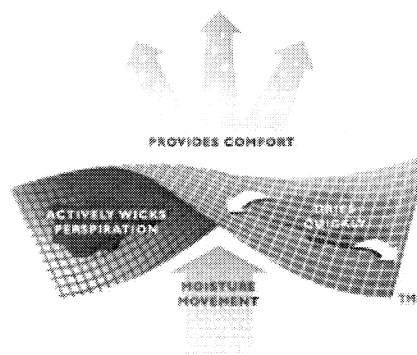
#### MAXPerformance - NANO-DRY™

technology produces a technically superior fabric, engineered to offer durability and comfort unsurpassed by other rayon blend uniforms. Our open weave, tropical fabric is rugged without being rough.

#### MAX Protection - NANO-DRY™

technology even protects you when your job requires you to be in the sun, with a built-in

sunscreen that provides the maximum apparel rating of UPF 40+.






















### Duty Max Shirt Features

- Top-Fused banded dress collar on long-sleeve and convertible collar on short-sleeve for professional appearance
- Large, functional pleated pockets with lined scalloped flaps with hook and loop closures
- Pen opening in left pocket and pocket flap
- Badge eyelets with internal support straps above left pocket
- Five Creaset® permanent pressed-in military creases
- Cross-stitched shoulder straps with functional button
- Cotton-blended inner yoke and collar band for comfort
- Fully lined placket fronts
- Extra long tails for added mobility
- Dark Navy Styles: pocket flaps, shoulder straps and fronts accommodate metal buttons
- High impact Melamine buttons
- Machine washable

### Hard To Find Zipper Front Versions IN-STOCK

#### Men's Duty Max Button Front

Color	Style	Lot No.	Sizes	Cost	Buy
White	Short Sleeve	5580	14.5-17.5	\$45.95	
		5580-OS1	18-20	\$51.95	
		5580-OS2	22	\$56.95	
	Long Sleeve	540	14.5-17.5	\$48.95	
		540-OS1	18-20	\$53.95	
		540-OS2	22	\$59.95	
Grey	Short Sleeve	5541	14.5-17.5	\$45.95	
		5541-OS1	18-20	\$51.95	
		5541-OS2	22	\$56.95	
	Long Sleeve	541	14.5-17.5	\$48.95	
		541-OS1	18-20	\$53.95	
		541-OS2	22	\$59.95	
Silvertan	Short Sleeve	5582	14.5-17.5	\$45.95	
		5582-OS1	18-20	\$51.95	
		5582-OS2	22	\$56.95	
	Long Sleeve	542	14.5-17.5	\$48.95	
		542-OS1	18-20	\$53.95	

Medium Blue	Short Sleeve	542-OS2	22	\$59.95	
		5586	14.5-17.5	\$45.95	
		5586-OS1	18-20	\$51.95	
	Long Sleeve	5586-OS2	22	\$56.95	
		546	14.5-17.5	\$48.95	
		546-OS1	18-20	\$53.95	
Navy	Short Sleeve	546-OS2	22	\$59.95	
		5584	14.5-17.5	\$45.95	
		5584-OS1	18-20	\$51.95	
	Long Sleeve	5584-OS2	22	\$56.95	
		544	14.5-17.5	\$48.95	
		544-OS1	18-20	\$53.95	
French Blue	Short Sleeve	544-OS2	22	\$59.95	
		5589	14.5-17.5	\$45.95	
		5589-OS1	18-20	\$51.95	
	Long Sleeve	5589-OS2	22	\$56.95	
		549	14.5-17.5	\$48.95	
		549-OS1	18-20	\$53.95	
		549-OS2	22	\$59.95	

**Men's Duty Max Zipper Front**

Color	Style	Lot. No.	Sizes	Cost	Buy
White	Short Sleeve	Z5580	14.5-17.5	\$51.95	
		Z5580-OS1	18-20	\$56.95	
		Z5580-OS2	22	\$62.95	
	Long Sleeve	Z540	14.5-17.5	\$53.95	
		Z540-OS1	18-20	\$58.95	
		Z540-OS2	22	\$64.95	
Grey	Short Sleeve	Z5541	14.5-17.5	\$51.95	
		Z5541-OS1	18-20	\$56.95	
		Z5541-OS2	22	\$62.95	
	Long Sleeve	Z541	14.5-17.5	\$53.95	
		Z541-OS1	18-20	\$58.95	
		Z541-OS2	22	\$64.95	
Silvertan	Short Sleeve	Z5582	14.5-17.5	\$51.95	
		Z5582-OS1	18-20	\$56.95	
		Z5582-OS2	22	\$62.95	
	Long Sleeve	Z542	14.5-17.5	\$53.95	
		Z542-OS1	18-20	\$58.95	
		Z542-OS2	22	\$64.95	
Medium Blue	Short Sleeve	Z5586	14.5-17.5	\$51.95	
		Z5586-OS1	18-20	\$56.95	
		Z5586-OS2	22	\$62.95	
		Z546	14.5-17.5	\$53.95	

Navy	Long Sleeve	Z546-OS1	18-20	\$58.95	
		Z546-OS2	22	\$64.95	
	Short Sleeve	Z5584	14.5-17.5	\$51.95	
		Z5584-OS1	18-20	\$56.95	
		Z5584-OS2	22	\$62.95	
		Z544	14.5-17.5	\$53.95	
French Blue	Long Sleeve	Z544-OS1	18-20	\$58.95	
		Z544-OS2	22	\$64.95	
	Short Sleeve	Z5589	14.5-17.5	\$51.95	
		Z5589-OS1	18-20	\$56.95	
		Z5589-OS2	22	\$62.95	
		Z549	14.5-17.5	\$53.95	
	Long Sleeve	Z549-OS1	18-20	\$58.95	
		Z549-OS2	22	\$64.95	
























**Women's Duty Max Button Front**

Color	Style	Lot No.	Sizes	Cost	Buy
White	Short Sleeve	9780	32-42	\$45.95	
		9780-OS1	44-46	\$51.95	
	Long Sleeve	9540	32-42	\$48.95	
		9540-OS1	44-46	\$53.95	
Grey	Short Sleeve	9741	32-42	\$45.95	
		9741-OS1	44-46	\$51.95	
	Long Sleeve	9541	32-42	\$48.95	
		9541-OS1	44-46	\$53.95	
Silvertan	Short Sleeve	9782	32-42	\$45.95	
		9782-OS1	44-46	\$51.95	
	Long Sleeve	9542	32-42	\$48.95	
		9542-OS1	44-46	\$53.95	
Medium Blue	Short Sleeve	9786	32-42	\$45.95	
		9786-OS1	44-46	\$51.95	
	Long Sleeve	9546	32-42	\$48.95	
		9546-OS1	44-46	\$53.95	
Navy	Short Sleeve	9784	32-42	\$45.95	
		9784-OS1	44-46	\$51.95	
	Long Sleeve	9544	32-42	\$48.95	
		9544-OS1	44-46	\$53.95	
French Blue	Short Sleeve	9789-3	32-42	\$45.95	
		9789-OS1	44-46	\$51.95	
	Long Sleeve	9549	32-42	\$48.95	
		9549-OS1	44-46	\$53.95	

**Women's Duty Max Zipper Front**

Color	Style	Lot No.	Sizes	Cost	Buy
	Short Sleeve	Z9780	32-42	\$51.95	



White	Long Sleeve	Z9780-OS1	44-46	\$56.95	
		Z9540	32-42	\$53.95	
		Z9540-OS1	44-46	\$58.95	
Grey	Short Sleeve	Z9741	32-42	\$51.95	
		Z9741-OS1	44-46	\$56.95	
		Z9541	32-42	\$53.95	
Silvertan	Long Sleeve	Z9541-OS1	44-46	\$58.95	
		Z9782	32-42	\$51.95	
		Z9782-OS1	44-46	\$56.95	
Medium Blue	Short Sleeve	Z9542	32-42	\$53.95	
		Z9542-OS1	44-46	\$58.95	
		Z9786	32-42	\$51.95	
Navy	Long Sleeve	Z9786-OS1	44-46	\$56.95	
		Z9546	32-42	\$53.95	
		Z9546-OS1	44-46	\$58.95	
French Blue	Short Sleeve	Z9784	32-42	\$51.95	
		Z9784-OS1	44-46	\$56.95	
		Z9544	32-42	\$53.95	
	Long Sleeve	Z9544-OS1	44-46	\$58.95	
		Z9789	32-42	\$51.95	
		Z9789-OS1	44-46	\$56.95	
	Long Sleeve	Z9549	32-42	\$53.95	
		Z9549-OS1	44-46	\$58.95	

Prices subject to change without notice



**SAINT LOUIS PUBLIC SCHOOLS****Date:** September 21, 2010**To:** Dr. Kelvin R. Adams, Superintendent**From:** Dr. Carlinda Purcell, Dep. Supt., Academics**VENDOR SELECTION METHOD:**

- ☐ RFP/Bid  
☐ Sole Source  
☐ Contract Renewal  
☒ Membership

Previous Bd. Res. #:

Agenda Item: 10-14-10-12  
 Information: ☐  
 Conference: ☐  
 Action: ☐

**SUBJECT:**

To ratify approval of the membership fees for AdvancED Education – North Central Accreditation for the secondary schools for the 2010/2011 school year in an amount not to exceed \$8,125.00.

**BACKGROUND:**

North Central accreditation (membership) fees provide SLPS with local support for accreditation through state/regional office as well as international leadership. Specifically, fees help to pay the costs associated with on-site external review visits, customized technical assistance, professional development and access to higher education programs and scholarships for students.

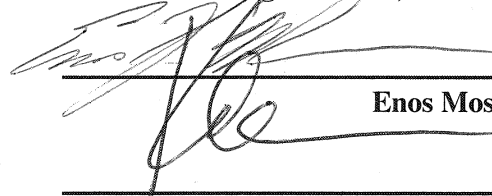
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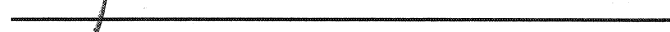
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**Department:** Academics**Requestor:** Dan Edwards

  
 Dr. Carlinda Purcell, Dep. Supt.-Academics

  
 Angela Banks, Interim Budget Director

  
 Enos Moss, CFO/Treasurer

  
 Dr. Kelvin R. Adams, Superintendent

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Atlanta, GA 31193-3823

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## INVOICE

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Phone: 404-679-4502  
877-679-4502

Customer No. 69117  
Master Invoice Number 69117-041510  
Invoice Date 04/15/10  
Due Date 07/31/10

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Saint Louis Public School  
DR. DAN EDWARDS  
801 N 11TH ST  
SAINT LOUIS MO 63101-1015

Invoice Total \$ 8,125.00



Invoice No.	Description	Total Price
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IS-108526	ACCREDITATION FEES 10-11 15511 Cleveland Jr. Naval Academy	625.00
IS-108532	ACCREDITATION FEES 10-11 15531 Roosevelt High School	625.00
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IS-108610	ACCREDITATION FEES 10-11 216995 Gateway Institute of Technology	625.00
IS-108671	ACCREDITATION FEES 10-11 224564 McKinley Classical Leadership Academy	625.00
IS-108694	ACCREDITATION FEES 10-11 45188 Soldan International Studies High Sch	625.00
IS-108695	ACCREDITATION FEES 10-11 45193 Metro High School	625.00

Invoice Total 8,125.00

This invoice is for your SACS CASI/NCA CASI/ AdvancED 2010/2011 accreditation fees. These fees are non-refundable.  
Failure to pay will result in loss of accreditation. SACS CASI and NCA CASI are divisions of AdvancED.

RETURN THIS PORTION WITH YOUR PAYMENT

Saint Louis Public School  
Dr. Dan Edwards  
801 N. 11th Street  
St. Louis, MO 63101-1401

Send Remittance to:

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Approved -  
Carlynda Purcell  
8/12/10



## **NCA CASI, SACS CASI, and AdvancED Accreditation Fees for 2010-11**

Enclosed, please find your annual accreditation fee invoice for the 2010-11 school year. As you may know, we send the invoice in the spring each year for the upcoming year's fees. This timing gives you flexibility with regard to the budget year of payment and assists with planning expenses for the coming year. Payment is due July 31, 2010.

Your accreditation fees enable us to provide you with local support for accreditation through your state/regional office as well as international leadership and representation through AdvancED, the parent organization for NCA CASI and SACS CASI. Specifically, your fees help pay the costs associated with on-site external review visits, customized technical assistance, web-based reporting, professional development, publications, and tools that support you in your efforts to continuously improve.

We are happy to report that our 2010-11 accreditation fee schedule is the same as for this year. AdvancED's accreditation fees remain among the lowest in the country among regional accrediting associations and other major private accrediting associations, and we believe our low fees and industry-leading accreditation standards and service represent an outstanding value.

### **Questions & Answers**

**Who is AdvancED?** AdvancED accredits public and private schools across the United States and around the world through the accreditation divisions of the North Central Association Commission on Accreditation and School Improvement (NCA CASI) and the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Council on Accreditation and School Improvement (SACS CASI). For more information about AdvancED, please visit us at [www.advanc-ed.org](http://www.advanc-ed.org).

**Why am I receiving this invoice?** The enclosed invoice is for your annual accreditation fees for the 2010-11 school year. All applicant, candidate, and accredited institutions pay annual accreditation fees to cover the costs of services and support associated with the accreditation process.

**What are the benefits of accreditation?** The benefits of accreditation are many, including: an external mark of quality, transferability of credits for students crossing state and national lines, access to higher education programs and scholarships for students, school and district improvement services, support in achieving governmental requirements, quality feedback aimed at helping you improve, access to a wide range of improvement resources and professional development, and information on best practices. Through AdvancED, your accreditation connects you with a network of 27,000 schools that are dedicated to continuous improvement.

**Who can I contact for more information?** For questions regarding the enclosed invoice, please contact Alysia Gradney ([agradney@advanc-ed.org](mailto:agradney@advanc-ed.org)) at 404-679-4502 or toll-free at 877-679-4502. You can also fax any questions to us at 770-346-9266.

Thank you again for your commitment to accreditation and for all you do to advance the quality of education. We look forward to serving you in the 2010-11 school year.

## Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

Give form to the  
requester. Do not  
send to the IRS.

Print or type  
See Specific Instructions on page 2.

Name (as shown on your income tax return)

**Advance Education, Inc.**

Business name, if different from above

**AdvancED**

Check appropriate box: ☐ Individual/Sole proprietor ☒ Corporation ☐ Partnership  
☐ Limited liability company. Enter the tax classification (D=disregarded entity, C=corporation, P=partnership) ▶ .....  
☐ Other (see instructions) ▶

☐ Exempt  
payee

Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.)

**2520 Northwinds Parkway Suite 600**

City, state, and ZIP code

**Alpharetta, GA 30009**

Requester's name and address (optional)

List account number(s) here (optional)

### Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on Line 1 to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the Part I instructions on page 3. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see *How to get a TIN* on page 3.

Social security number

or

Employer identification number

**20 8613765**

**Note.** If the account is in more than one name, see the chart on page 4 for guidelines on whose number to enter.

### Part II Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

1. The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me), and
2. I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding, and
3. I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below).

**Certification instructions.** You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the Certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions on page 4.

Sign  
Here

Signature of  
U.S. person ▶

*Monty K. Allen*

Date ▶

### General Instructions

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.

#### Purpose of Form

A person who is required to file an information return with the IRS must obtain your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) to report, for example, income paid to you, real estate transactions, mortgage interest you paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, or contributions you made to an IRA.

Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alien), to provide your correct TIN to the person requesting it (the requester) and, when applicable, to:

1. Certify that the TIN you are giving is correct (or you are waiting for a number to be issued),
2. Certify that you are not subject to backup withholding, or
3. Claim exemption from backup withholding if you are a U.S. exempt payee. If applicable, you are also certifying that as a U.S. person, your allocable share of any partnership income from a U.S. trade or business is not subject to the withholding tax on foreign partners' share of effectively connected income.

**Note.** If a requester gives you a form other than Form W-9 to request your TIN, you must use the requester's form if it is substantially similar to this Form W-9.

**Definition of a U.S. person.** For federal tax purposes, you are considered a U.S. person if you are:

- An individual who is a U.S. citizen or U.S. resident alien,
- A partnership, corporation, company, or association created or organized in the United States or under the laws of the United States,
- An estate (other than a foreign estate), or
- A domestic trust (as defined in Regulations section 301.7701-7).

**Special rules for partnerships.** Partnerships that conduct a trade or business in the United States are generally required to pay a withholding tax on any foreign partners' share of income from such business. Further, in certain cases where a Form W-9 has not been received, a partnership is required to presume that a partner is a foreign person, and pay the withholding tax. Therefore, if you are a U.S. person that is a partner in a partnership conducting a trade or business in the United States, provide Form W-9 to the partnership to establish your U.S. status and avoid withholding on your share of partnership income.

The person who gives Form W-9 to the partnership for purposes of establishing its U.S. status and avoiding withholding on its allocable share of net income from the partnership conducting a trade or business in the United States is in the following cases:

- The U.S. owner of a disregarded entity and not the entity,





# SAINT LOUIS PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Date: September 21, 2010

To: Dr. Kelvin R. Adams, Superintendent

From: Dr. Carlinda Purcell, Dep. Supt. - Academics

## VENDOR SELECTION METHOD:

☐ RFP/Bid  
☐ Sole Source  
☐ Contract Renewal *Previous Bd. Res. #*  
☒ Membership

Agenda Item:  
 Information:  
 Conference:  
 Action:

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10-14-10-13

## SUBJECT:

To ratify the approval of the membership with the International Baccalaureate Organization (IB) for Metro Academic and Classical High School for the 2010-2011 school year at a cost not to exceed \$10,000.

## BACKGROUND:

The International Baccalaureate Diploma Program prepares students for university education by balancing subject breadth and depth, fostering understanding of the interrelationship of knowledge across disciplines, and assessing student learning through multiple formats, including rigorous externally moderated exams with published global standards. On successful completion of the two-year program students are eligible for admission to universities throughout the world, are able to earn up to a full year of advanced placement in college and are the recipients of numerous scholarships specifically for IB students. The program emphasizes the development of the whole student—physically, intellectually, emotionally and ethically; it aims to develop inquiring, knowledgeable and caring young people who help to create a better and more peaceful world through intercultural understanding and respect.

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Department: Metro Academic & Classical HS

Requestor: Wilfred Moore

Dr. Carlinda Purcell, Dep. Supt. - Academics

Angela Banks, Interim Budget Director

Enos Moss, CFO/Treasurer

Dr. Kelvin R. Adams, Superintendent





International Baccalaureate Organization  
Finance department  
475 Riverside Drive, Suite 240  
New York NY 10115 USA

1 212 696-4464  
1 212 481-9708  
[ibabilling@ibo.org](mailto:ibabilling@ibo.org)

# Sales invoice

## Facture

## Factura

Judith Gainer  
Metro Academic & Classical High School  
4015 McPherson Avenue  
St Louis  
MO 63108  
United States

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Número de factura	
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9/1/2010 - 8/31/2011

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For authorized schools based in USA please send check payments to:  
Pour les écoles autorisées basées aux Etats Unis d'Amérique, veuillez transmettre le paiement par chèque à :  
Para los Colegios del Mundo del IB de los Estados Unidos, sírvase enviar los pagos con cheque a:

International Baccalaureate Organization  
Post Office  
PO Box 5950  
New York NY 10087-5950

For authorized schools based in Canada please send check payments to:  
Pour les écoles autorisées basées aux Canada, veuillez transmettre le paiement par chèque à :  
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International Baccalaureate Organization  
PO Box 15081 Station "A"  
Toronto, Ontario, M5W 1C1 Canada

For Wire Transfer details and candidate school payments please visit IB website  
Pour les transferts bancaires ainsi que pour les paiements des écoles candidates, veuillez vous référer au site internet de IB  
Si desea más información sobre los giros bancarios o sobre los pagos a colegios solicitantes visite el sitio web público del IB  
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Please quote school account number and invoice number on all payments  
Veuillez indiquer le numéro de compte de l'établissement et le numéro de facture pour tous les paiements adressés à l'IB.  
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Please send a copy of this invoice with your payment  
Veuillez joindre une copie de cette facture a votre paiement  
Se ruega adjuntar a su pago una copia de esta factura





# SAINT LOUIS PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Date: September 21, 2010

To: Dr. Kelvin R. Adams, Superintendent

From: Dr. Carlinda Purcell, Dep. Supt. - Academics

## VENDOR SELECTION METHOD:

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## SUBJECT:

To ratify the Agency Agreement with the Urban League Head Start Program to provide the framework for the cooperative efforts between the Urban League Head Start Program and SLPS. The program will be for the period July 1, 2010 to June 30, 2011 and there will be no cost to the District.

## BACKGROUND:

The Head Start Program will help maximize the use of available local resources in providing special education programs and related services to identified young children with disabilities and their families.

CSIP: Goal # SLPS Goal #2 - Process and Performance Row # 133 MSIP: 7.1.2

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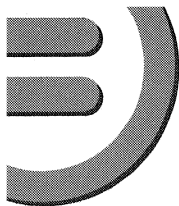
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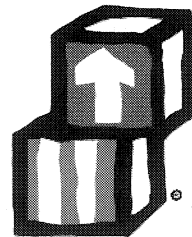
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August 16, 2010

Paula Knight  
Associate Superintendent  
Elementary School  
Saint Louis Public School  
801 N. Eleventh Street  
Saint Louis, Missouri 63101


Dear Ms Knight:

Enclosed is a copy of the proposed **Memorandum of Understanding** involving the St. Louis Public Schools and the Urban League Head Start Concerning Head Start and Early Childhood Special Education (Part B and IDEA) for your review.

As part of the Head Start regulations a written Memorandum of Understanding is needed for the services that are already being provided by the St. Louis Public Schools. I am requesting that the necessary signatures with dates be secured and the document be returned to us as soon as possible if you are in agreement. A copy with all signatures will be forwarded to you.

I you have any concerns; please do not hesitate to call James A. Smith or me at (314) 867-9100. I look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

  
Dr. Seretha Curry, Director  
Urban League Head Start

Cc James A. Smith

Memorandum of Understanding  
Involving  
The St. Louis Public Schools  
And  
The Urban League Head Start  
Concerning  
Head Start and Early Childhood Special Education (Part B of IDEA)

**Purpose**

The purpose of this Memorandum of Understanding is to facilitate communication and coordination between the St. Louis Public Schools and the Urban League of Metropolitan St. Louis' Head Start Program (Urban League Head Start). This agreement is guided by the Head Start Program Performance Standards (45-CFR Parts-1301-1306, 1308), Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), the State Regulations implementing Part B of the IDEA, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). This document is not intended to create any new binding requirements for the St. Louis Public Schools and the Urban League Head Start program. This document reflects current legislative and regulatory requirements as well as recommended practices. It is the expectation that the Urban League Head Start and the St. Louis Public Schools will use this document as a guide to create local collaboration responsive to the needs of the St. Louis community.

While this document addresses issues related to children with disabilities and their families, the participants in this agreement are committed to promoting integration of all early childhood programs and resources that address the needs of all young children in the City of St. Louis, MO. Examples include, but are not limited to: Missouri Preschool Project programs, Parents as Teachers, Even Start, Title I Preschools. Child Care Block Grant programs, Migrant and Homeless programs, etc.

**Objectives**

The objectives of this Memorandum of Understanding are:

- To provide a framework for the development of interagency agreements and cooperative efforts between the Urban League Head Start Program and the St. Louis Public Schools.
- To maximize the use of available local resources in providing special education programs and related services to young children with disabilities and their families in the City of St. Louis.
- To ensure coordination of services to children with disabilities served by the Urban League Head Start and the St. Louis Public Schools.
- To clarify roles and responsibilities of the St. Louis Public Schools (LEA), Urban League Head Start Program, and families.
- To provide information to St. Louis Public Schools' administrators and program staff in about Head Start's Performance Standards regarding services and responsibilities for children with disabilities.

- To provide information to Head Start administrators and program staff about LEA services and responsibilities for children with disabilities under IDEA, state law, and regulations.
- To provide opportunities for local Head Start program and LEA staff to discuss mutual accomplishments and concerns.
- To encourage and support collaboration among Head Start Programs and State agencies in the further development of high quality early childhood and parent education services citywide.

### **Agency Mandates**

#### **Urban League Head Start (HS)**

To recruit and enroll children with disabilities in accordance with Head Start Performance Standard 1305.6(c) which states "At least 10 percent of the total Number of enrollment opportunities in each grantee and each delegate agency during an enrollment year must be made available to children with disabilities..."

#### **Local Education Agency (LEA)**

To identify children with disabilities age birth to twenty-one and provide special education and related services to all children with disabilities ages 3 to 21 in compliance with IDEA, the Missouri State Regulations implementing Special Education, and the LEA Compliance Plan.

Confidentiality/Release of Information-Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (FERPA): School districts and Head Start programs shall obtain written consent of the parent before disclosing personally identifiable information from the education records of a child. The written consent must be signed and dated by the parent and shall include the following; a) a specification of the records to be disclosed, b) the purpose of the disclosure, and c) the party or parties to whom the disclosure may be made. Part B of IDEA provides for the parent's right to revoke consent at any time.

## **AGENCY RESPONSIBILITIES AND RECOMMENDED PRACTICES**

### **IDENTIFICATION OF CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES**

#### **Head Start**

To screen all Head Start enrolled children with a developmental screen within 45 calendar days after the start of Head Start services. Screening provides information in the following areas:

- Visual/Motor
- Language
- Cognition
- Gross Motor/Body Awareness
- Social/Emotional
- Complete Physical Including:
  - a. Vision Testing
  - b. Hearing Testing

To share screening information with LEA staff for those children referred by the Urban League Head Start to LEA according to Head Start Performance Standards.

To review all previous screening and evaluation data when receiving referrals from LEA.

#### **LEA**

State law requires districts to annually assist in Child Find by publicizing the school's responsibility for providing special education for eligible children 3-21 and conducting an annual census of children birth to 21 suspected of having disability.

Every school district offers Parents as Teachers services, and one of the functions of Parents as Teachers is conducting screenings for children age one to five. Screening may be conducted earlier than age one if there is a developmental concern.

Upon obtaining parent permission, screening results for children referred by or enrolled in Head Start Program will be shared with Head Start staff.

#### **Area of Collaboration**

Each agency will meet their responsibility for screening through a collaborative effort, not duplicating services, and sharing information with the parent/guardian written permission.

## **REFERRAL FOR EVALUATION**

### **Urban League Head Start**

To refer a child to the LEA for evaluation as soon as the need is evident, starting as early as the child's third birthday with written permission of the parent/guardian of the child.

To share screening information with LEA staff for those children referred by HS to LEA according to HS Performance Standards.

To provide HS staff with information regarding IDEA Procedural Safeguards.

### **LEA**

To inform parents of their rights (Procedural Safeguards) when their children are referred to ECSE for evaluation. The IDEA provides families with certain rights for obtaining and continuing services for children with disabilities. Procedural Safeguards cover the following areas:

- Written Notice and Consent
- Independent Educational Evaluation
- Access to Records
- Confidentiality of Information
- Destruction of Records
- Parent Participation
- Disciplinary Actions
- Limitation on Reimbursement for Private School Placement
- Due Process Procedures/Admin Hearing Rights
- Child Complaints
- Attorney's Fees

To make available information about these procedural safeguards to local Head Start Programs.

Obtain the parent's written consent for release of information and records for children enrolled in HS prior to initiation of the evaluation if Head Start's referral form does not cover this.

To review referral information from Head Start to determine if an evaluation is warranted.

To provide the parent/guardian with a notice of action refused when the LEA determines evaluation is not warranted.

### **Area of Collaboration**

Data on instructional strategies and teacher's observation of the child's performance while in Head Start can be used by the LEA to assist with decisions related to evaluation. Head Start and the LEA will collaborate and establish referral procedures. Head Start can help the parent understand the special education process and help the parent make a referral. A common release of information form will be used which clearly indicates the parent's wishes to request an evaluation by the school district. The Urban League Head Start and LEA will collaborate to assist families in understanding IDEA Procedural Safeguards.



## **EVALUATION**

### **Head Start**

To ensure that a comprehensive multi-disciplinary evaluation is made available to all Head Start children suspected of having a disability.

To assist the family in obtaining the necessary services within the time frame specified in the Head Start regulations.

To share information and records with the local school district.

To participate with the local school district at the request of the family in the comprehensive assessment process.

To assist the family in keeping evaluation appointments with the LEA.

### **LEA**

With the input of the parent, to review existing information to determine if there is sufficient data to determine:

- Whether the child has a particular category of disability
- Present levels of performance and educational needs of the child
- Whether the child needs special education and related services

To provide notice of intent to evaluate prior to determining eligibility if no additional assessment is needed and to obtain written consent of the parent prior to conducting any necessary tests or other assessment instruments.

To conduct or obtain necessary assessments for all preschool children suspected of having a disability.

To notify the parent of the eligibility staffing early enough to ensure an opportunity to participate.

To involve the Urban League Head Start in the evaluation process including, but not limited to notifying Head Start of scheduled assessment dates, times and places, reviewing evaluation information and records provided by Head Start, sharing evaluation information with parent's permission, and observing in the Urban League Head Start classroom.

### **Area of Collaboration**

Observation may be a part of the evaluation process for the LEA. The Urban League Head Start site provides an appropriate environment for observation and possibly other assessments. The LEA will include Urban League Head Start in the eligibility staffing with the parent's permission.

## **ELIGIBILITY DETERMINATION**

### **Head Start**

To participate in the LEA's eligibility staffing for those children enrolled in the Urban League Head Start program.

When the parent has received a notice of action refused because the LEA does not plan to evaluate, Head Start may convene a multi-disciplinary team, including the family, for an evaluation. An LEA representative will be invited to participate. This team studies the results of the Head Start evaluations and determines that the child is or is not in need of special education/related services. A child whom Head Start determines is in need of special education/related services are designated as a child with a disability under Head Start regulations and a Head Start IEP is developed.

To inform the family of differences in Head Start and LEA eligibility criteria for services.

### **LEA**

To write an evaluation report, synthesizing information about the child. Information from Head Start, the parent, and other outside sources will be considered by the LEA evaluation team for possible inclusion in the evaluation report. This report will specify the child's eligibility or ineligibility for early childhood special education services. Eligibility is based on criteria referenced in Missouri's State Plan for Part B of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act.

To include the parent, and with parent's consent, invite Urban League Head start to participate in the meeting to determine eligibility.

For those children enrolled in Head Start, with parent consent, to notify Head Start in writing of eligibility determination by providing them a copy of the child's evaluation report.

To schedule an IEP meeting and provide notification to the parent of this meeting when the child is determined eligible for early childhood special education. The parent shall be notified that they and the district may invite other people with knowledge or special expertise about their child to the meeting.

### **Area of Collaboration**

Head Start and LEA staff should be cross-trained so they understand their respective eligibility requirements and can explain the differences to families. Head Start and the LEA will work collaboratively to help ensure that the parents attend the eligibility staffing.

## **INDIVIDUALIZED EDUCATION PROGRAM (IEP)**

### **Head Start**

To participate with the parents in the IEP process for children who have been referred to and evaluated by the LEA, or children whose services may be shared by the LEA and Urban League Head Start.

When an LEA IEP is developed and the child is in Head Start, appropriate goals and objectives/benchmarks will be implemented in Head Start daily activities. Head Start will document the progress and share this information with the LEA.

A Head Start IEP meeting will be convened for a child who is determined to have a disability under Head Start criteria, but is ineligible for special education services through the LEA. The LEA will be invited to participate.

Head Start is responsible for the provision of related services to children with disabilities as defined in the Head Start IEP.

### **Area of Collaboration**

The child's family is a required member of the IEP team under IDEA and Head Start Performance Standards. Head Start and the LEA will include the family in planning for their child's IEP. The information contributed by the family will be instrumental in developing goals and objectives for the child and in determining the most appropriate placement in which those services can be delivered. LEAs are responsible for implementation of the IEP for children eligible under the Missouri State Regulations implementing Part B, and any revisions to the document are the responsibilities of the LEA IEP team. Head Start is not required to develop a separate. Effective collaboration will alleviate the need for two IEPs for children who are dually enrolled.

### **LEA**

With parental consent, the LEA will invite Head Start staff to participate in IEP meetings for ECSE eligible children who are enrolled in Head Start.

To develop with the IEP team an IEP for each child who meets the eligibility criteria as established by Missouri State Regulations for Part B of IDEA. For children enrolled in Head Start, information received from Head Start shall be reviewed by the IEP team for possible inclusion in the child's IEP, and for all subsequent reviews.

To provide a copy of the IEP to the parent.

With parental consent to share with Head Start a copy of the IEP developed by the LEA.

To document and share progress on goals and objectives/benchmarks with Head Start on children enrolled in Head Start and self-contained Early Childhood programs.

The LEA and Head Start will work collaboratively implementing the IEP and documenting the progress on goals/benchmarks of the IEP. LEA special education and related services staff will provide direct services to the child and/or consultation to Head Start as determined by the IEP team to implement strategies which will help the child meet the goals and objectives/benchmarks.

The Head Start teacher may fulfill the required role of regular education teacher in the child's IEP.

## **PLACEMENT**

### **Head Start**

The Head Start Performance Standards [45CFR § 1308.5 (c)] state that: "A grantee must not deny placement on the basis of a disability or its severity to any child when:

- 1) The family wishes to enroll the child,
- 2) The child meets the Head Start age and income eligibility criteria,
- 3) Head Start is an appropriate placement according to the child's IEP, and
- 4) The program has space to enroll more children, even though the program has made ten percent of its enrollment opportunities available to children with disabilities. In that case, children who have a disability and non-disabled children would compete for the available enrollment opportunities."

### **LEA**

To provide special education and related services based on the IEP goals and objectives/benchmarks in the least restrictive environment (LRE) to children who meet the ECSE eligibility criteria for special education services. As part of the IEP team, parents participate in placement decisions.

To consider delivering services in an early childhood setting, designed primarily for children without disabilities i.e. Head Start.

To obtain written consent of the parent prior to initial placement and provision of service.

### **Areas of Collaboration**

When enrollment in the Urban League Head Start program is being considered for a child with disabilities, consultation between the LEA representative and the Urban League Head Start program representative will take place to discuss if the Head Start program is appropriate and a funded slot is available. Special education and related services provided by the LEA should be delivered at the Head Start site whenever appropriate. To include the Urban League Head Start Center located at 8964 Jennings Station Road which is less than .5 miles from the city limit. The Urban League Head Start Program will provide appropriate accommodation for LEA staff at this facility as required.

## **FAMILY INVOLVEMENT**

### **Head Start**

To provide families with information, training and skills to advocate successfully for their child with disabilities.

Urban League Head Start will share with parent information about parent educational opportunities in the community.

### **LEA**

To report to parents on the child's progress toward achieving annual goals at least as frequently as for children without disabilities in the school.

### **Area of Collaboration**

The Urban League Head Start and the LEA will collaborate to make certain that the family is present at IEP meetings and is given an opportunity to participate. LEA will share information with the Urban League Head Start regarding parent education opportunities that their families could participate in.

## **STAFF DEVELOPMENT**

### **Head Start**

To schedule ongoing in-service training and technical support for staff, in order to increase their knowledge and skills in identifying and successfully integrating children with disabilities.

### **LEA**

To assess the needs of LEA staff in the planning and implementation of staff development activities for personnel working with children with disabilities.

### **Area of Collaboration**

The Urban League Head Start and the LEA will work together to develop a plan for training opportunities to meet their mutual needs. They will share information i.e. Center for Innovations in Special Education (CISE) Newsletter, National Head Start Bulletin, Quality Improvement Center for Disability resources, and statewide training opportunities.

## **TRANSITION**

### **Head Start**

To develop and implement a system to ensure smooth and effective transitions from Head Start to LEA services.

### **LEA**

To meet with the Head Start staff for the purpose of transition planning for children with disabilities.

To develop and implement a system to ensure smooth transitions from Head Start to LEA services.

### **Area of Collaboration**

Urban League Head Start and the LEA will develop a system to ensure transfer of information between agencies about children who will be leaving Head Start. This information should include, but is not limited to, health records, data on diagnosed disabilities, developmental status, and social services received. The Urban League Head Start and LEA will also work together to develop a plan for ensuring uninterrupted services and access to needed services.

## **DATA**

### **Head Start**

To report to the Administration for Children, Youth and Families (ACYF) the number of children with disabilities served on the annual Program Information Report (PIR). By December 1 of each year, Head Start will report to the LEA the number of children under a LEA IEP, not Head Start only IEP. Head Start will provide additional information when requested to assist the LEA in their planning.

To complete required state and federal reports.

## LEA

## FISCAL

### Head Start

Urban League Head Start is committed to fiscal support to ensure that services needed by children with disabilities will be provided in full, either directly or by a combination of Head Start funds and other resources.

### LEA

Under IDEA, the LEA is responsible for ensuring the identification, evaluation, and provision of a free appropriate public education for all children ages 3-21 found to be in need of special education and related services.

The LEA is responsible for ensuring that these services are provided, in accordance with the provisions of the IEP but may not be required to pay for these services.

The LEA is responsible for ensuring that these services are provided, in accordance with the provisions of the IEP but may not be required to pay for these services in every situation.

The LEA will complete all required paperwork related to the LEA ECSE budget and other data reports to obtain funding for appropriate special education and related services for children eligible for ECSE.

### **Area of Collaboration**

LEA and the Urban League Head Start are encouraged to share resources to ensure that eligible children receive appropriate services. In some cases Head Start may be able to assist with related services, such as transportation, paraprofessional support, etc. Specific fiscal responsibilities between the LEA and Head Start should be discussed as part of the process of developing the local agreement.

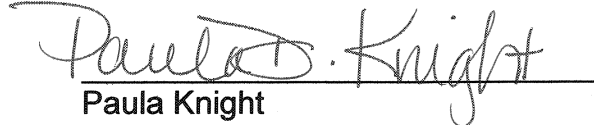


## REVIEW OF ADDEMDIUM INFORMATION

Unless representatives of the Urban League Head Start and the St. Louis Public Schools notify the other party that there is a need for revisions, or the desire to end the agreement, this agreement will be automatically renewed, as written, on an annual basis. Notification shall be provided at least 30 days prior to the annual renewal date, in the event of a proposed revision or cancellation.

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# SAINT LOUIS PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Date: September 21, 2010

To: Dr. Kelvin R. Adams, Superintendent

From: Dr. Carlinda Purcell, Dep. Supt. - Academics

## VENDOR SELECTION METHOD:

☐ RFP/Bid  
☐ Sole Source  
☐ Contract Renewal *Previous Bd. Res. #*  
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## SUBJECT:

To approve the Agency Agreement with Bridgeway Behavioral Health to provide a mandatory six-week in-school program with Alternative Education Students at Innovative Concept Academy to identify risk and protective factors in education and treatment intervention. The program will be for the period October 15, 2010 to June 30, 2011 and there will be no cost to the District.

## BACKGROUND:

The program provided by Bridgeway Behavioral Health will be at Innovative Concept Academy and will be funded through the Mental Health Board. The program will include in-school didactic substance abuse counseling, individual and group counseling, elective family education and counseling when requested.

CSIP: Goal # SLPS Goal #3 - Resource Row # 145 MSIP: 6.9.4

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Department: Parent & Student Engagement

Requestor: Debra Falkiner

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Dr. Kelvin R. Adams, Superintendent

AGENCY AGREEMENT  
BETWEEN  
St. Louis Public School SLPS  
AND  
BRIDGEWAY BEHAVIORAL HEALTH

THIS AGENCY AGREEMENT ("Agreement") is made and entered into as of the 16 day of August, 2010 by and between the St. Louis Public School SLPS ("SLPS"), a school SLPS organized and existing under the laws of the state of Missouri and Bridgeway Behavioral Health ("Agency"), a not-for profit corporation organized and existing under the laws of the state of Missouri. The taxpayer identification number, address, contact person, and telephone number for the Agency is as follows:

Taxpayer Identification Number: 43-1150435

Address: 1570 S. Main Street, St. Charles, MO 63303

Contact Person: Michael Morrison, CEO

Telephone Number: 636-757-2220

WHEREAS, the SLPS desires to [retain the services] proposed by the Agency and the Agency represents and warrants to the SLPS that the Agency has the requisite expertise and resources to perform its obligations under this Agreement.

THE SLPS and the Agency agree to the terms and conditions set forth below and in accompanying Exhibits, if any, attached hereto and incorporated herein. The Agency's proposal for services or like document is attached and is considered an Exhibit.

**Article 1. SCOPE OF SERVICES**

The Agency agrees to provide and fully execute the following services as outlined below and as further detailed in any Exhibits.

Bridgeway Behavioral Health will provide a mandatory six-week in-school program with Alternative Education students to identify risk and protective factors in education and treatment intervention, and will provide:

- In-school didactic substance abuse counseling
- Individual and group counseling
- Elective family education, and counseling when requested
- Teacher/Educator support
- Submit student data quarterly, in conjunction with grading periods, to reflect:
  - Number of students participating in the program
  - Number of students successfully completing the program
  - Level of parental participation/involvement
  - Demographic information on student participation (grades, age, gender, etc)
  - Three-month follow-up reflecting abstinence, school/family relations

## Article 2. LOCATION OF SERVICES

The Agency will provide the services described above at the following location.

Site: Innovative Concept Academy

Address: 1927 Cass Avenue, St. Louis, MO 63106

Contact Person: Jeff Rhoderick

Telephone Number: 314-361-0571 extension 13

The SLPS's contact person hereunder is Michael McCrory, Principal at 314-231-7738, school or 314-704-6635, cell and Joli Baker, Juvenile Court Contact, at 314-522-2536.

## Article 3. TERM AND TERMINATION

- 3.1 **Term.** The term of this Agreement ("Term") shall commence on the 16 day of August 2010 and shall be completed on the 15 day of August 2011, unless terminated earlier in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth herein.
- 3.2 **Termination without Cause.** This Agreement may be terminated without cause by either party by giving written notice of the intent to terminate at least thirty (30) days before the termination date set out in the notice.
- 3.3 **Termination with Cause.** Either party reserves the right to terminate this Agreement immediately if the other party fails to comply with any terms or conditions of this Agreement and such failure continues for five (5) days following receipt of written notice from the objecting party.

## Article 4. APPROVAL CONDITIONS

- 4.1 **Board Approval.** It may be necessary to obtain the approval of the SLPS's Special Administrative Board for this Agreement. If so, the Agency understands and agrees that the obligations of the SLPS are conditioned upon, and subject to, such approval. The SLPS will promptly notify the Agency of the approval or disapproval of the Special Administrative Board. The Agency understands that the SLPS shall not be obligated under this Agreement prior to approval by the Special Administrative Board. In the event of non-approval, the Agreement will not become effective and neither party will have any obligations to the other party arising out of the Agreement.
- 4.2 **Executed Agreement.** This Agreement will not become effective unless and until an understanding is reached between the parties and the Agreement has been fully-executed. The Agency understands and agrees that the obligations of the SLPS are conditioned upon, and subject to, such execution.

## **Article 5. AGENCY**

- 5.1 **Agency Status.** The parties agree the terms of this Agreement do not constitute a formation of a partnership, joint venture, employer-employee, or other relationship and no form of agency exists between the parties. The Agency represents and warrants that it is now and shall remain a separate and independent entity from the SLPS. Accordingly, no employee, contractor, subcontractor, agent, or representative ("Personnel") of the Agency shall be deemed to be the employee, contractor, subcontractor, agent, or representative of the SLPS and at no time shall any such employee, contractor, subcontractor, agent, or representative of the Agency hold himself or herself out to be an employee of the SLPS. The SLPS will not provide any retirement benefits, life insurance, vacation benefits, health benefits, or similar benefits that are afforded to permanent SLPS employees to the Personnel of the Agency. Further, the Agency will be solely responsible to train, hire, supervise, discipline, and terminate the Agency's Personnel. The Agency shall also be solely responsible for paying all invoice taxes, FICA, FUTA, and other tax liabilities for its Personnel. Finally, the Agency will be solely responsible for any acts or omissions of its Personnel and agrees to be liable consistent with the terms of Article 10.

## **Article 6. AGENCY'S PERSONNEL**

- 6.1 **Control of Personnel and Work.** The Agency understands and agrees that it is solely obligated to and responsible for the selection, qualification, performance, workmanship, quality of services, licensing, and compliance with the terms and conditions hereunder for all Personnel providing services relevant to this Agreement and that it shall have sole control over the means and details of performing the services, which shall be consistent with the SLPS's intent hereunder. The Agency shall use its best efforts, care, and diligence in the administration and performance of services hereunder. The Agency ensures the SLPS that it will properly supervise all Personnel during the performance of services and/or while any Personnel is on SLPS property.
- 6.2 **Cooperation.** During the performance of its services, the Agency shall cooperate with the SLPS and its employees, shall not interfere with the conduct of the SLPS's business, and shall observe all SLPS policies and procedures, as well as all rules, regulations, and security requirements concerning the safety of persons and property.
- 6.3 **Background Checks.** All Personnel providing services under this Agreement that may in any way come into contact with students must undergo background checks consistent with those used by the SLPS and state-licensed facilities; all such checks must be performed and passed prior to any Personnel providing any services hereunder. At a minimum, checks hereunder shall include a Department of Family Services background check, a criminal background check, and fingerprinting. The cost of all such background checks shall be borne by the Agency and the SLPS shall not be liable for such cost under any circumstance.

Within three (3) days of a written request by the SLPS, the Agency agrees to provide written confirmation that the background checks on all Personnel hereunder reflected no negative findings and said Personnel passed the background checks and are, therefore, eligible to provide services under this Agreement.

- 6.4 **Removal of the Agency's Personnel.** The Agency understands and agrees that the SLPS shall have the exclusive oversight of any interaction with SLPS students and it shall be at the sole discretion of the SLPS to determine the appropriateness of such. If the SLPS determines that any of the Agency's Personnel is not providing satisfactory service, or if any issues of behavior or inappropriate conduct or similar concerns occur, the SLPS shall notify the Agency in writing and the Agency shall remove that individual from his/her service for SLPS.

## **Article 7. AGENCY'S REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES**

- 7.1 **State Registration.** The Agency shall be properly registered with, and duly authorized by, the Missouri Secretary of State, as well as the proper state authority in its domicile state if other than Missouri, to perform services under this Agreement.
- 7.2 **Non-Discrimination.** During the performance of the Agency's obligations under this Agreement, the Agency agrees that it will not discriminate against any person on the basis of religion, color, ethnic group identification, sex, sexual orientation, age, physical or mental disability, or other protected class status.
- 7.3 **Compliance with Laws.** During the performance of the Agency's obligations under this Agreement, the Agency agrees to conduct its activities hereunder in strict compliance with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, as well as the policies and procedures of the SLPS.

## **Article 8. CONFIDENTIALITY**

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Nothing in the Agreement shall be construed as an indemnification by one party of the other for liabilities of a party or third persons for property or any other loss, damage, death, or personal injury arising out of the performance of this Agreement. Any liabilities or claims for property or other loss, damage, death, or personal injury by a party or its agents, employees, contractors, or assigns or by third persons arising out of and during this Agreement shall be determined according to applicable law.

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## **Article 12. EXHIBITS**

The parties agree to the terms and conditions of this Agreement and any Exhibits attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference. The parties agree that if there are any conflicting terms and conditions between this Agreement and Agency's Proposal of Services, Service Letter, or like document, then the terms and conditions of this Agreement shall prevail.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have caused this Agreement to be executed and do each hereby represent and warrant that their respective signatory whose signature appears below has been and is, on the day and year first written above, fully authorized by all necessary and appropriate actions to execute this Agreement.

### **ST. LOUIS PUBLIC SCHOOLS**

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: DR. KELVIN ADAMS

Title: SUPERINTENDENT

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### **BRIDGEWAY BEHAVIORAL HEALTH**

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: Michael Morrison

Title: CEO/Executive Director

Date: \_\_\_\_\_





# SAINT LOUIS PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Date: September 22, 2010

To: Dr. Kelvin R. Adams, Superintendent

From: Dr. Carlinda Purcell, Dep. Supt. - Academics

## VENDOR SELECTION METHOD:

☐ RFP/Bid  
☐ Sole Source  
☐ Contract Renewal *Previous Bd. Res. #*  
☒ Agency Partnership

Agenda Item:  
 Information:  
 Conference:  
 Action:

☐ 10-14-10-16  
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## SUBJECT:

To approve the Agency Agreement with Bridgeway Behavioral Health to provide a mandatory six-week in-school program with Alternative Education Students at Alternative Education South to identify risk and protective factors in education and treatment intervention. The program will be for the period October 15, 2010 to June 30, 2011 and there will be no cost to the District.

## BACKGROUND:

The program provided by Bridgeway Behavioral Health will be at Alternative Education South and will be funded through the Mental Health Board. The program will include in-school didactic substance abuse counseling, individual and group counseling, elective family education and counseling when requested.

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Department: Parent & Student Engagement

Requestor: Debra Falkiner

Dr. Carlinda Purcell, Dep. Supt. - Academics

Angela Banks, Interim Budget Director

Enos Moss, CFO/Treasurer

Dr. Kelvin R. Adams, Superintendent

AGENCY AGREEMENT  
BETWEEN  
St. Louis Public School SLPS  
AND  
BRIDGEWAY BEHAVIORAL HEALTH

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THIS AGENCY AGREEMENT ("Agreement") is made and entered into as of the 16 day of August, 2010 by and between the St. Louis Public School SLPS ("SLPS"), a school SLPS organized and existing under the laws of the state of Missouri and Bridgeway Behavioral Health ("Agency"), a not-for profit corporation organized and existing under the laws of the state of Missouri. The taxpayer identification number, address, contact person, and telephone number for the Agency is as follows:

Taxpayer Identification Number: 43-1150435

Address: 1570 S. Main Street, St. Charles, MO 63303

Contact Person: Michael Morrison, CEO

Telephone Number: 636-757-2220

WHEREAS, the SLPS desires to [retain the services] proposed by the Agency and the Agency represents and warrants to the SLPS that the Agency has the requisite expertise and resources to perform its obligations under this Agreement.

THE SLPS and the Agency agree to the terms and conditions set forth below and in accompanying Exhibits, if any, attached hereto and incorporated herein. The Agency's proposal for services or like document is attached and is considered an Exhibit.

**Article 1. SCOPE OF SERVICES**

The Agency agrees to provide and fully execute the following services as outlined below and as further detailed in any Exhibits.

Bridgeway Behavioral Health will provide a mandatory six-week in-school program with Alternative Education students to identify risk and protective factors in education and treatment intervention, and will provide:

- In-school didactic substance abuse counseling
- Individual and group counseling
- Elective family education, and counseling when requested
- Teacher/Educator support
- Submit student data quarterly, in conjunction with grading periods, to reflect:
  - Number of students participating in the program
  - Number of students successfully completing the program
  - Level of parental participation/involvement
  - Demographic information on student participation (grades, age, gender, etc)
  - Three-month follow-up reflecting abstinence, school/family relations

## Article 2. LOCATION OF SERVICES

The Agency will provide the services described above at the following location.

Site: Stevens Middle School

Address: 1033 Whittier, St. Louis, MO 63113

Contact Person: Jeff Rhoderick

Telephone Number: 314-361-0571 extension 13

The SLPS's contact person hereunder is Currey Cunningham, Principal at 314-652-9803, school or 314-393-5888, cell.

## Article 3. TERM AND TERMINATION

- 3.1 **Term.** The term of this Agreement ("Term") shall commence on the 16 day of August 2010 and shall be completed on the 15 day of August 2011, unless terminated earlier in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth herein.
- 3.2 **Termination without Cause.** This Agreement may be terminated without cause by either party by giving written notice of the intent to terminate at least thirty (30) days before the termination date set out in the notice.
- 3.3 **Termination with Cause.** Either party reserves the right to terminate this Agreement immediately if the other party fails to comply with any terms or conditions of this Agreement and such failure continues for five (5) days following receipt of written notice from the objecting party.

## Article 4. APPROVAL CONDITIONS

- 4.1 **Board Approval.** It may be necessary to obtain the approval of the SLPS's Special Administrative Board for this Agreement. If so, the Agency understands and agrees that the obligations of the SLPS are conditioned upon, and subject to, such approval. The SLPS will promptly notify the Agency of the approval or disapproval of the Special Administrative Board. The Agency understands that the SLPS shall not be obligated under this Agreement prior to approval by the Special Administrative Board. In the event of non-approval, the Agreement will not become effective and neither party will have any obligations to the other party arising out of the Agreement.
- 4.2 **Executed Agreement.** This Agreement will not become effective unless and until an understanding is reached between the parties and the Agreement has been fully-executed. The Agency understands and agrees that the obligations of the SLPS are conditioned upon, and subject to, such execution.

## **Article 5. AGENCY**

- 5.1 **Agency Status.** The parties agree the terms of this Agreement do not constitute a formation of a partnership, joint venture, employer-employee, or other relationship and no form of agency exists between the parties. The Agency represents and warrants that it is now and shall remain a separate and independent entity from the SLPS. Accordingly, no employee, contractor, subcontractor, agent, or representative ("Personnel") of the Agency shall be deemed to be the employee, contractor, subcontractor, agent, or representative of the SLPS and at no time shall any such employee, contractor, subcontractor, agent, or representative of the Agency hold himself or herself out to be an employee of the SLPS. The SLPS will not provide any retirement benefits, life insurance, vacation benefits, health benefits, or similar benefits that are afforded to permanent SLPS employees to the Personnel of the Agency. Further, the Agency will be solely responsible to train, hire, supervise, discipline, and terminate the Agency's Personnel. The Agency shall also be solely responsible for paying all invoice taxes, FICA, FUTA, and other tax liabilities for its Personnel. Finally, the Agency will be solely responsible for any acts or omissions of its Personnel and agrees to be liable consistent with the terms of Article 10.

## **Article 6. AGENCY'S PERSONNEL**

- 6.1 **Control of Personnel and Work.** The Agency understands and agrees that it is solely obligated to and responsible for the selection, qualification, performance, workmanship, quality of services, licensing, and compliance with the terms and conditions hereunder for all Personnel providing services relevant to this Agreement and that it shall have sole control over the means and details of performing the services, which shall be consistent with the SLPS's intent hereunder. The Agency shall use its best efforts, care, and diligence in the administration and performance of services hereunder. The Agency ensures the SLPS that it will properly supervise all Personnel during the performance of services and/or while any Personnel is on SLPS property.
- 6.2 **Cooperation.** During the performance of its services, the Agency shall cooperate with the SLPS and its employees, shall not interfere with the conduct of the SLPS's business, and shall observe all SLPS policies and procedures, as well as all rules, regulations, and security requirements concerning the safety of persons and property.
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### **ST. LOUIS PUBLIC SCHOOLS**

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: DR. KELVIN ADAMS

Title: SUPERINTENDENT

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### **BRIDGEWAY BEHAVIORAL HEALTH**

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: Michael Morrison

Title: CEO/Executive Director

Date: \_\_\_\_\_





# SAINT LOUIS PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Date: September 21, 2010

To: Dr. Kelvin R. Adams, Superintendent

From: Dr. Carlinda Purcell, Dep. Supt. - Academics

## VENDOR SELECTION METHOD:

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10-14-10-17

## SUBJECT:

To approve the MOU with the St. Louis University College of Education and Public Service to collaborate with Succeeding With Reading ("SWR") and to assist in its transition from a highly successful after-school program to an integrated part of the Communication Arts curriculum. The term of the MOU will be October 15, 2010 to July 31, 2011.

## BACKGROUND:


The program will originate at Jefferson Elementary School and may expand to other District schools. The success of the program will be measured by academic achievement improvements of the students in the program.

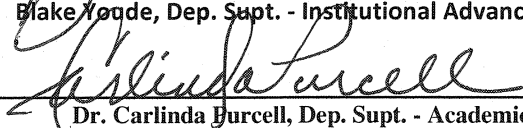
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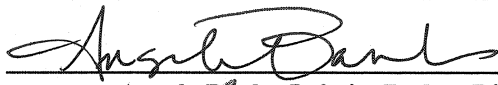
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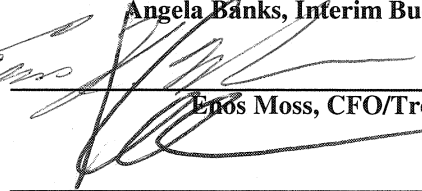
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Blake Youde, Dep. Supt. - Institutional Advancement

  
Dr. Carlinda Purcell, Dep. Supt. - Academics

  
Angela Banks, Interim Budget Director

  
Eros Moss, CFO/Treasurer

Dr. Kelvin R. Adams, Superintendent

## **MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING** **(NON-FUNDRAISING)**

This Memorandum of Understanding ("MOU") is entered into by and between the Saint Louis Public Schools ("SLPS") and Saint Louis University ("Agency") on this 30<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2010.

**The purpose of this Memorandum of Understanding is to establish a partnership between Saint Louis University and the St. Louis Public Schools in order for the College of Education and Public Service at Saint Louis University to collaborate with Succeeding With Reading ("SWR") and to assist in its transition from a highly successful after-school program to an integrated part of the regular school-day Communication Arts curriculum at Jefferson Elementary School.**

**1. Fundraising:** It is understood by The Agency that the SLPS does not endorse any fundraising efforts by the Agency, whether or not associated with the activities and duties contemplated by this MOU. To the extent that the Agency believes in the future that its activities require fundraising, the parties agree that all documents and activities associated with any such fundraising effort will be cooperatively prepared and separately agreed to, and **must be approved by the Special Administrative Board of the Transitional School District of the City of St. Louis prior to implementation.**

**2. Limitation of Liability:** Each party to this MOU shall be solely responsible for any and all actions, suits, damages, liability, or other proceedings brought against it as a result of the alleged negligence, misconduct, error, or omission of any of its officers, agents or employees. Neither party is obligated to indemnify the other party or to hold the other party harmless from costs or expenses incurred as a result of such claims, nor shall SLPS continue to enjoy all rights, claims, and defenses available to it under law, to specifically include Mo.Rev.Stat. §537.600, et seq. Nothing in the MOU shall be construed as an indemnification by one party or the other for liabilities of a party or third persons for property or any other loss, damage, death, or personal injury arising out of the performance of this MOU. Any liabilities or claims for property or other loss, damage, death, or personal injury by a party or its agents, employees, contractors, or assigns or by third persons arising out of and during this MOU shall be determined according to applicable law. SLPS does not relinquish or waive any of its rights under applicable state governmental immunities law.

**3. Background Checks:** All Personnel providing services under this MOU that may in any way come into contact with students must undergo background checks consistent with those used by the SLPS and state-licensed facilities; all such checks must be performed and passed prior to any Personnel providing any services hereunder. At a minimum, checks hereunder shall include a Department of Family Services background check, a criminal background check, and fingerprinting. The cost of all such background checks shall be borne by the Agency, and the SLPS shall not be liable for such cost under any circumstance. The Agency will provide written confirmation to SLPS that the background checks on all Personnel hereunder reflected no negative findings that said Personnel passed the background checks and are, therefore, eligible to provide services under this MOU.

**4. Student Information:** The Agency acknowledges that it shall now, and in the future may, have access to and contact with confidential information of students, including but not limited to the education and/or medical records of students. Both during the term of this MOU and thereafter, the Agency covenants and agrees to hold such information in trust and confidence and to exercise diligence in protecting and safeguarding such information, as well as any other information protected from public disclosure by federal or state law or by the policies or procedures of the SLPS. The Agency will not disclose any confidential information to any third party except as may be required in the course of performing services for the SLPS hereunder or by law, and any disclosure will be in compliance with the Family Education Rights and Privacy Act ("FERPA") and the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 ("HIPAA").

**5. Obligations of SLPS:**

(a) To allow SLU Graduate Assistants to work in SLPS Schools for collaborative purposes with area nonprofit organizations.

(b) Working with the SLPS Department of Accountability, to provide feedback and contributions to ensure proper and fair data collection for purposes of proving impact through the SLU collaborations.

(c) To provide collaboration from SLPS Accountability professionals with SLU statisticians to ensure proper data collection and interpretation in the effort to provide third-party evaluation of SWR in SLPS schools.

(d) The terms of the document titled "SLU Collaboration" for SLPS and attached hereto as Exhibit A are also incorporated herein, except where specifically noted.

**6. Obligations of Agency:**

(a) To abide by SLPS rules and regulations for data collection.

(b) To provide open access to data collected that is relevant to the collaboration and mutually agreed upon in advance from SLPS schools for purposes of collaboration with SLPS in assessment of the program and its impact.

(d) The terms of the document titled \_\_\_\_\_ and attached hereto as Exhibit A are also incorporated herein, except where specifically noted.

**7. Success of this program will be measured using the following Performance Standards:**

All Performance Standards will aim to improve academic achievement and will be agreed upon in advance and reported at least annually and semiannually when requested.

**8. Term and Termination:** The term of the MOU will be one year from the Effective Date, unless earlier terminated by either party by providing thirty (30) days' written notice to the person who has signed as a representative of each party below.

Saint Louis Public Schools

College of Education and Public Service  
Saint Louis University

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: Dr. Kelvin Adams

Title: Superintendent

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: Gerard Arthur Fowler PhD

Title: Interim Dean







# SAINT LOUIS PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Date: September 22, 2010

To: Dr. Kelvin R. Adams, Superintendent

From: Althea Albert-Santiago, Director, Food Services

## VENDOR SELECTION METHOD:

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10-14-10-18

## SUBJECT:

To approve the MOU with the Washington University School of Medicine faculty to establish a partnership with the District to enhance and facilitate the procedures for assessing health parameters and physical fitness of SLPS students. The term of the MOU will be October 15, 2010 to July 31, 2011.

## BACKGROUND:

The programs offered will include gardening programs, age and grade appropriate after school Nutrition Cookbook Programs, and health and physical fitness assessments. Washington University will collect the data on the programs, analyze the data, and discuss the results with SLPS to help improve the health status of the students.

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Department: Food Services

Angela Banks, Interim Budget Director

Blake Youde, Dep. Supt. - Institutional Advancement

Enos Moss, CFO/Treasurer

Althea Albert-Santiago, Director, Food Services

Dr. Kelvin R. Adams, Superintendent



## **MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING** **(NON-FUNDRAISING)**

This Memorandum of Understanding ("MOU") is entered into by and between the Saint Louis Public Schools ("SLPS") and faculty within the Program in Physical Therapy of Washington University School of Medicine ("Agency") on this 16<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2010.

**The purpose of this Memorandum of Understanding is to establish a partnership between Washington University School of Medicine faculty and the St. Louis Public Schools in order to enhance and facilitate the procedures for assessing health parameters and physical fitness of students attending Saint Louis Public Schools.**

**1. Fundraising:** It is understood by The Agency that the SLPS does not endorse any fundraising efforts by the Agency, whether or not associated with the activities and duties contemplated by this MOU. To the extent that the Agency believes in the future that its activities require fundraising, the parties agree that all documents and activities associated with any such fundraising effort will be cooperatively prepared and separately agreed to, and **must be approved by the Special Administrative Board of the Transitional School District of the City of St. Louis prior to implementation.**

**2. Limitation of Liability:** Each party to this MOU shall be solely responsible for any and all actions, suits, damages, liability, or other proceedings brought against it as a result of the alleged negligence, misconduct, error, or omission of any of its officers, agents or employees. Neither party is obligated to indemnify the other party or to hold the other party harmless from costs or expenses incurred as a result of such claims, and the SLPS shall continue to enjoy all rights, claims, and defenses available to it under law, to specifically include Mo.Rev.Stat. §537.600, et seq. Nothing in the MOU shall be construed as an indemnification by one party or the other for liabilities of a party or third persons for property or any other loss, damage, death, or personal injury arising out of the performance of this MOU. Any liabilities or claims for property or other loss, damage, death, or personal injury by a party or its agents, employees, contractors, or assigns or by third persons arising out of and during this MOU shall be determined according to applicable law. SLPS does not relinquish or waive any of its rights under applicable state governmental immunities law.

**3. Background Checks:** All Personnel providing services under this MOU that may in any way come into contact with students must undergo background checks consistent with those used by the SLPS and state-licensed facilities; all such checks must be performed and passed prior to any Personnel providing any services hereunder. At a minimum, checks hereunder shall include a Department of Family Services background check, a criminal background check, and fingerprinting. The cost of all such background checks shall be borne by the Agency, and the SLPS shall not be liable for such cost under any circumstance. The Agency will provide written confirmation to SLPS that the background checks on all Personnel hereunder reflected no negative findings, that said Personnel passed the background checks and are, therefore, eligible to provide services under this MOU.

**4. Student Information:** The Agency acknowledges that it shall now, and in the future may, have access to and contact with confidential information of students, including but not limited to the education and/or medical records of students. Both during the term of this MOU and thereafter, the Agency covenants and agrees to hold such information in trust and confidence and to exercise diligence in protecting and safeguarding such information, as well as any other information protected from public disclosure by federal or state law or by the policies or procedures of the SLPS. The Agency will not disclose any confidential information to any third party except as may be required in the course of performing services for the SLPS hereunder or by law, and any disclosure will be in compliance with the Family Education Rights and Privacy Act ("FERPA") and the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 ("HIPAA").

**5. Obligations of SLPS:**

- a) To collaborate with the Washington University team in obtaining parental/guardian permission using consent forms jointly approved by SLPS and Washington University School of Medicine's Human Research Protection Office (HRPO). This will involve sending the approved permission/consent forms home with students, and facilitating a mechanism for collecting the signed permission forms.
- b) To provide access to gardens and classrooms for the conduct of gardening programs at selected schools (e.g., Cote-Brillante Elementary School, Stevens Middle School, and Sumner High School).
- c) To provide access to classrooms for an after-school Nutrition/Cookbook Program at 2 selected schools (i.e., those with after-school programs).
- d) To assist the Washington University team with scheduling health assessments during physical education classes (or other convenient times) for students at selected schools during academic year 2010-2011.
- e) (1) To collaborate with the Washington University team in compiling fitness data by providing the Missouri DESE physical fitness test results obtained by the Physical Education teachers from students throughout the district. This data will be reported to the SLPS PE supervisor (or other appropriate district official) and used for the preparation of future collaborative grant funding opportunities to benefit the SLPS district. (2) To permit longitudinal assessment of trends in physical fitness across academic years (2008-2009, 2009-2010, and 2010-2011 academic years).
- f) To allow students in grades 2-5 in 2 schools to participate in a recess intervention.
- g) The terms of the document titled \_\_\_\_\_ and attached hereto as Exhibit A are also incorporated herein, except where specifically noted.

## **6. Obligations of Agency:**

- a) To offer gardening programs, led by Gateway Greening personnel, at selected schools (e.g., Cote-Brilliant Elementary School, Stevens Middle School, and Sumner High School). Please note that Gateway Greening is the community partner on the "Nourishing an Urban Community II" project funded by the Community University Health Research Partnership.
- b) To provide an age- and grade-appropriate after-school Nutrition/Cookbook Program, led by a registered dietitian, at 2 selected schools (i.e., those with after-school programs).
- c) To conduct or assist with conducting health and physical fitness assessments during physical education classes (or other convenient times) for students at selected schools during academic year 2010-2011.
- d) (1) To collaborate with the SLPS district in compiling health and physical fitness results. Our Washington University research team will enter the health and physical fitness data into a database, summarize the data, compare it to MO DESE and/or national standards, and report the summary results to the SLPS PE supervisor (or other appropriate district official). This data may be also used for the preparation of future collaborative grant funding opportunities to benefit the SLPS district. The database into which the data will be entered is located on a secure network at Washington University School of Medicine. (2) To conduct longitudinal assessment of trends in physical fitness across academic years (2008-2009, 2009-2010, and 2010-2011 academic years). These activities will enable data-driven curricular enhancements and facilitate best-practices instruction in order to help the SLPS district achieve the goals of its Health and Wellness Policy.
- e) To evaluate the quantity and intensity of physical activity achieved during recess and to provide a recess intervention for students in grades 2-5 at 2 schools.
- f) All faculty, staff and students representing our research team will conduct assessments in a professional manner and will maintain privacy and confidentiality of all health and physical fitness information of SLPS students.
- g) The terms of the document titled "SLPS Application to Perform Research – Racette" and attached hereto as Exhibit A are also incorporated herein, except where specifically noted.

## **7. Success of this program will be measured using the following Performance Standards:**

**Performance Standards:** Agency performance at the end of the term of this Memorandum of Understanding will be measured by the Agency's compliance with the following performance standards:

- a) Gardening programs implemented at 3 SLPS schools during the 2010-2011 academic year.
- b) Nutrition/ Cookbook program implemented as an after-school program at 2 schools.

- c) Health assessments conducted successfully at a maximum of 25 SLPS schools during the 2010-2011 academic year.
- d) Data from the health assessments entered into the database, summarized, analyzed, and reported back to SLPS district officials.
- e) A follow-up meeting of SLPS district representatives and Washington University School of Medicine research faculty to discuss the results that may be used to help improve the health status of students.

**8. Term and Termination:** The term of the MOU will be one year from the Effective Date. Either party shall have the right to terminate this MOU without cause with thirty (30) days written notice to the person who has signed as a representative of the parties below.

Saint Louis Public Schools

Washington University School of Medicine

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Title: \_\_\_\_\_

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: Susan B. Racette, Ph.D.  
Title: Associate Professor

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: B. Ruth Clark, P.T., Ph.D.  
Title: Assistant Professor

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Title: \_\_\_\_\_

**APPLICATION TO PERFORM RESEARCH  
ST. LOUIS PUBLIC SCHOOLS**

Chairman, Research Review Committee  
Division of Evaluation and Research  
801 North 11<sup>th</sup> Street  
St. Louis, Missouri 63101  
(314) 345-2428

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The completed application should be returned with the following items:

- a short statement of the purpose of your research and how the study will be used,
- (b) a brief list of sources providing direction to your study, and
- (c) an explanation of the methodology, which should include copies of questions, surveys, or data collection instruments to be administered to St. Louis Public School students, parents, or staff, if you are using surveys or questionnaires.

St. Louis School Board Policy requires that research be well designed, adhere to child protection laws, not place unreasonable demands on students, staff, or parents nor interfere with regular system operations, and it must be in the interests of the school system to participate. If student contact or access to student records is requested, you will need to provide a letter of approval from the Human Subjects Board or its equivalent from your home institution before you can begin research.

**Note that all approved research projects must update their application at the beginning of each school year.**

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I.     **Name of Investigator** Susan B. Racette, PhD     **Position** Associate Professor  
**Affiliation(s)** Washington University School of Medicine     **Date** September 4, 2010  
**Office Address** Campus Box 8502, 4444 Forest Park Avenue, St. Louis, MO 63108  
**Home Address** 7100 Washington Avenue, St. Louis, MO 63130  
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II.     **Project**

**Project Title:** Nourishing an Urban Community II

**Purpose:** The goals of this project are to implement and evaluate sustainable school-based gardening, nutrition, and physical activity programs in selected Saint Louis Public Schools (SLPS). This proposed project will help SLPS achieve three of the eleven goals stated in the SLPS *Health and Wellness Policy Action Plan* (Draft 2010-2011): SLPS Goal 1 - Provide 150 minutes of moderate to vigorous physical activity per week for elementary school students; SLPS Goal 7 - SLPS employees will incorporate physical activity, other than PE, into the school day; and SLPS Goal 11 - SLPS will provide comprehensive health and wellness education to students including but not limited to nutrition education, farming, etc.



**Project Description:** The major aims of this project are:

- **Aim 1 – Gardening Programs:** Evaluate the feasibility and impact of school-based Gardening Programs for youth.
- **Aim 2 - Nutrition & Cookbook Project:** Develop, implement, and evaluate a school-based, hands-on Nutrition & Cookbook Creation Project. An optional component will be a *Family Plus Nutrition Cooking Class*.
- **Aim 3 - Health Assessments:** Conduct Health Assessments and obtain fitness test results of SLPS students district-wide to assess the prevalence of obesity, hypertension, poor fitness, low physical activity patterns, and adverse dietary patterns.
- **Aim 4 - Recess Intervention:** Evaluate the quantity and intensity of students' physical activity during recess before and in response to a recess intervention in selected SLPS elementary schools.

**Methodology:**

- **Aim 1 - Gardening Programs:** Under the direction of Gateway Greening's Community Development Coordinator (Hannah Reinhart MS), a community garden educator from Gateway Greening will implement garden-based education programs at one elementary school, one middle school, and one high school (Cote Brillante Elementary School, Stevens Middle School, Sumner High School). Other schools may be selected depending on need and suitability. The community garden educator, with support from Washington University students enrolled in Community-Based Teaching and Learning courses, will help school teachers (and/or after-school staff) lead these programs after completing train-the-trainer sessions with Gateway Greening staff. Gateway Greening will provide a garden-based curriculum tied to state standards for all educators involved in this program. The comprehensive program teaches students how to garden, provides nutrition education, and encourages community involvement. The program will be implemented during one or two quarters of the academic year. Outcomes will be evaluated using grade-appropriate attitude surveys and knowledge-based pre- and post-tests about growing vegetables and basic nutrition.
- **Aim 2 - Nutrition & Cookbook Project:** Dr. Racette, Cindi Inman (a registered dietitian), and Irene Tran will develop and deliver a 6-week curriculum of age-appropriate lessons to include nutrition facts, nutrient analysis, food preparation, and modification of favorite family recipes with seasonal ingredients that are economical and safe for students with food

allergies, and when possible, locally grown. During this novel project, students will learn about general nutrition, macronutrients in foods, the importance of nutrients on body function, reading food labels, modifying recipes, and preparing healthful yet simple snacks and meals. The final product will be a cookbook of favorite recipes that the students brought from home and helped to modify. This will be conducted as either an in-school or after-school program held twice per week for six weeks. Program activities will be evaluated at the beginning and end of the 6-week program by assessing nutrition knowledge and dietary patterns of children in this program, and comparing their results with children in classrooms that did not participate. Knowledge-based evaluation tools will incorporate grade-level expectations outlined in the Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education (MO DESE) goal document. Dietary patterns will be evaluated using questions from the Youth Risk Behavior Surveillance System, the Cullen Food Recognition Form, and a food preference questionnaire for children less than 10 years old. The opportunity may arise for families within the SLPS district to participate in the *Family Plus Nutrition Cooking Class* developed and facilitated by medical students from Washington University School of Medicine. This free class is designed to provide family units with 1 session per week for 4-6 weeks of age-appropriate instruction in nutrition and cooking. Each evening consists of classroom instruction (children and adult classes) followed by preparation of a healthy meal. At the end of each session, families gather for a family-style dinner. Adult participants are provided with a notebook of nutrition information and healthful recipes. The medical students will administer a survey at the end of the program. The schools in which this *Family Plus Nutrition Cooking Class* will be held will be chosen based upon their kitchen facilities, availability, and principal agreement.

- **Aim 3 – Health Assessments:** Weight status will be determined by measuring weight with a scale and height with a stadiometer, and then computing body mass index (BMI)-for-age percentile using sex-specific standards and the program EPI INFO or HealthWatch Pro. Waist circumference will be measured using a flexible tape measure placed above the iliac crest over a thin layer of clothes. Resting blood pressure and heart rate will be measured in duplicate using an Omron automated professional monitor and an appropriate-sized cuff after the child has been seated quietly for 5 minutes. Hypertension and pre-hypertension will be determined using sex-, age, and height-specific blood pressure criteria. Fitness will be assessed by SLPS physical education teachers using the President’s Challenge fitness tests

conducted routinely each fall and spring in the physical education curriculum. Fitness data may include results from one or more of the following tests: 1-mile endurance run, push-ups, sit-ups, sit-and-reach, and shuttle run. Fitness percentiles will be computed using sex- and age-specific standards and compared to MO DESE standards and national Presidential fitness standards. Dietary and physical activity patterns will be assessed with questions from the Youth Risk Behavior Surveillance System survey. An outcome of this aim will be the submission of summary reports to the SLPS Health and Wellness Coordinator/Food Service Coordinator (Althea Albert-Santiago) and the SLPS Physical Education Supervisor.

- **Aim 4 – Recess Intervention:** We will implement an enhanced recess program comprised of active games and fun activities to promote quality movement throughout the recess period. Activities may include capture the flag, jumping rope, relay races, Frisbee games, and hip-hop dance. The enhanced recess intervention will be conducted for six weeks with facilitation from the Washington University team twice per week. Four randomly-selected recess classes from grades 2-5 will be chosen per school: two classes per school will receive the intervention and two will serve as controls. Outcome measures will include the quantity and intensity of physical activity during the recess period. These will be assessed using Omron HJ-151 pedometers and Polar heart rate monitors two to three times per week at baseline (weeks -1 and 0), mid-intervention (week 3), and end-of-intervention (week 6).

**Sources Providing Direction for this Project:**

\*WU = Washington University

Name	Credentials / Position	Affiliation
Susan Racette	PhD / Associate Professor	*WU School of Medicine
B. Ruth Clark	PT, PhD / Assistant Professor	*WU School of Medicine
Cindi Inman	MS, RD / Clinical Specialist	*WU School of Medicine
To Be Named	MS or EdS / Physical Education Supervisor	Saint Louis Public Schools
Hannah Reinhart	MS / Community Development Coordinator	Gateway Greening

**Funding Source(s) for this Project:**

Grant Title	Funding Source	Start Date
Nourishing an Urban Community: Phase I	WU Institute for Public Health	June 2009
Nutrition and Physical Education Intervention to Promote Health and Wellness in SLPS	National Institutes of Health, WU Institute of Clinical and Translational Sciences	June 2010
Nourishing an Urban Community: Physical Activity Interventions for SLPS Students	Program in Physical Therapy Research Division Pilot Award Program	June 2010
Nourishing an Urban Community II	Community/University Health Research Partnership	September 2010

### III. Participant Involvement:

<u>Number of Subjects</u>	<u>Time Requirements</u>
• <u>Aim 1 – Gardening Programs:</u> <u>Pupils:</u> Dependent upon class size at each selected school	10 minutes for test/survey completion
• <u>Aim 2 – Nutrition &amp; Cookbook Project:</u> <u>Pupils:</u> 80 20-40 for the <i>Family Plus Nutrition Cooking Class</i>	20 students per session, 2X/wk for 6 wks 2 hrs/wk for 4-6 weeks
• <u>Aim 3 – Health Assessments:</u> <u>Pupils:</u> 2,000-6,000 for health assessments and surveys <u>Pupils:</u> 2,000-20,000 for physical fitness assessments	~10-15 min per student 30 students assessed per 45-min class period no additional time (already part of standard PE curriculum)
• <u>Aim 4 – Recess Intervention:</u> <u>Pupils:</u> 160	20 students per recess period 2-3X/wk for 6 wks

Number of persons visiting sites in connection with project: 2-8 per visit

#### What involvement is required of the subjects?

- Aim 1 – Gardening Programs: Participants will garden outdoors, and learn about nutrition and community involvement. Students will complete grade-appropriate knowledge-based tests and attitude surveys.
- Aim 2 – Nutrition & Cookbook Project: Participants will learn about general nutrition, food labels, modifying recipes and preparing healthy snacks/meals. They will complete a nutrition knowledge-based test, and dietary questionnaires; participants in the *Family Plus Nutrition Cooking Class* will complete a survey.
- Aim 3 – Health Assessments: Students will: a) sit at rest for 5 minutes to have resting blood pressure and heart rate measured, b) remove shoes and sweatshirts/sweaters to have height, weight, and waist circumference measured, and c) complete questionnaires.
- Aim 4 – Recess Intervention: Students will wear pedometers during recess; a subset will also wear heart rate monitors during recess. Students in the intervention classes will participate in enhanced recess activities.

IV. Requirements:

- **Aim 1 – Gardening Programs:**

**Number and Type of School:**

Elementary (K-5): 1      Middle (6-8): 1      High: 1

Total Number of Schools: 3      Total Number of Classrooms: 1-4 per school per principal agreement

- **Aim 2 – Nutrition & Cookbook Project:**

**Number and Type of School:**

Elementary (K-5): 2      Middle (6-8): 2      High: 0

OR

Elementary (K-8): 2      Secondary: 0

Total Number of Schools: 2      Total Number of Classrooms: 2

\* Families participating in the *Family Plus Nutrition Cooking Class* may come from different schools than participants in the Nutrition and Cookbook Project.

- **Aim 3 – Health Assessments:**

**Number and Type of School:**

BMI & Additional Outcomes:

Elementary (K-5): 4-6      Middle (6-8): 8-12

Elementary (K-8): 1-3      Secondary: 4-6

Physical Fitness data: all K-12 schools

Total Number of Schools: 23-25      Total Number of Classrooms: no specific requirement; dependent upon size of school and students per grade

- **Aim 4 – Recess Intervention:**

**Number and Type of School:**

Elementary (K-5): 2      Middle (6-8): 2      High: 0

OR

Elementary (K-8): 2      Secondary: 0

Total Number of Schools: 2      Total Number of Classrooms: 8

Grades Required: K-12

Other School Characteristics: none

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**Do you require any specific schools?** For Aim 1, we have chosen Cote Brillante Elementary School, Stevens Middle School, and Sumner High School based upon their location in The Ville neighborhood, agreement from the principals to implement the gardening curriculum, and existing relationships with Gateway Greening.

**Starting Date of the Research:** September 2010

**Ending Date of the Research:** (Note that applications must be updated annually) August 2012

**Frequency of Contact:**

- **Aim 1 – Gardening Programs:** 6-12 times per student per school year.
- **Aim 2 – Nutrition & Cookbook Project:** 4-12 times per student per school year.
- **Aim 3 – Health Assessments:** 1-2 times per student per school year.
- **Aim 4 – Recess Intervention:** 8-14 times per student per semester.

**Names of persons entering the school(s) for research:**

<b>– Name</b>	<b>Credentials / Position</b>	<b>Affiliation</b>
Susan Racette	PhD/ Associate Professor	Washington University School of Medicine
B. Ruth Clark	PT, PhD/ Assistant Professor	Washington University School of Medicine
Cindi Inman	MS, RD / Clinical Specialist	Washington University School of Medicine
Irene Tran	DPT Student/ TL1 Trainee	Washington University School of Medicine
Jacqueline Castillo	DPT Student	Washington University School of Medicine
Nathaniel Royer	DPT Student/Research Assistant	Washington University School of Medicine
April Williams	DPT Student/Research Assistant	Washington University School of Medicine
To Be Named	Washington University Medical Students	Washington University School of Medicine
To Be Named	Graduate and undergraduate students	Washington University in Saint Louis
Hannah Reinhart	MS, Community Development Coordinator	Gateway Greening
To Be Named	Community Garden Educator	Gateway Greening
To Be Named	MS or EdS/ Physical Education Supervisor	Saint Louis Public Schools

V. Results:

What is the anticipated value of the research?

In general?

- **Aim 1 – Gardening Programs:** Access to fresh produce is associated with better health and lower risk for disease. School-based gardens will provide urban children with greater access to and appreciation for fresh produce. Greater availability and consumption of fresh vegetables and fruit may enhance a child’s health.
- **Aim 2 - Nutrition & Cookbook Project:** There is great potential for far-reaching beneficial health effects when children share their new cookbook, skills, and knowledge with families and friends. Preparing and eating dinner as a family may provide improvements in healthy behavior and family interactions.
- **Aim 3 - Health Assessments:** Obesity, hypertension, poor fitness, physical inactivity, and adverse dietary patterns have increased among children and adolescents and are significant risk factors for diabetes and cardiovascular disease. Awareness of the prevalence of these health risks among urban students and recognition of the associated health consequences will justify enhancements in school Health and Physical Education curricula. The impact will be curricular activities that actively promote healthy weight, blood pressure, and fitness levels. Curricular enhancements are expected to help students adopt healthier lifestyle behaviors and achieve the recommended amounts of daily physical activity. The long-term impact will be improved health and reduced risk for several diseases.
- **Aim 4 - Recess Intervention:** This research will provide data on the quantity and intensity of physical activity that students achieve during recess in public urban schools. In addition, it will provide novel information regarding the potential benefits of an enhanced recess intervention and promote greater amounts and intensity of physical activity during the school day.

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- **Aim 1 – Gardening Programs:** School-based gardens will provide SLPS students with greater access to and appreciation for fresh produce. Greater availability and consumption of fresh vegetables and fruit may enhance SLPS students’ health.
- **Aim 2 - Nutrition & Cookbook Project:** Through the Nutrition & Cookbook creation project, SLPS students will learn new skills that can help promote healthy nutrition behaviors. The

*Family Plus Nutrition Cooking Class* may increase family interaction and may result in improved intra-family relationships. It may also improve dietary behaviors in SLPS students and their families. Novel and creative school-based nutrition experiences can be implemented district-wide.

- **Aim 3 - Health Assessments:** Awareness of the prevalence of obesity, hypertension, and poor fitness among SLPS students and recognition of the associated health consequences will justify enhancements in the SLPS Health and Physical Education curricula. The aggregate data provided by this aim can contribute to further funding for the SLPS district. The impact will be data-driven curricular enhancements that will include school-based nutrition & fitness education activities, with the goal of enhancing student health. Curricular enhancements are expected to help students adopt healthier lifestyle behaviors and achieve the recommended amounts of daily physical activity. The long-term impact will be improved health and reduced risk for several diseases. Importantly, these activities will help the SLPS district to achieve the goals of its Health and Wellness Policy.
- **Aim 4 - Recess Intervention:** This aim will promote best-practices instruction during recess, with the goal of improving physical activity behaviors of SLPS students and helping them to achieve the recommended amount of daily physical activity.

**Do you plan to publish the results of this research? If so, list target journals?**

Yes. Potential journals include: Archives of Pediatric and Adolescent Medicine, Preventive Medicine, Medicine and Science in Sports and Exercise, International Journal of Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity, Journal of Pediatrics.

Results of the research may also be published and disseminated in abstracts, posters, and brochures.

VI. IF YOU HAVE EXTENDED CONFIDENTIALITY, NAMES MAY BE OMITTED FROM THIS ITEM.

**Are other school systems involved in this research?** No

**Please name:**

**Have you conducted research in other school systems?** I have collaborated with a dietitian from BJC HealthCare's School Outreach & Youth Development on a classroom-based nutrition program as part of an American Dietetic Association grant.

**Please name:** Ritenour School District (elementary schools)

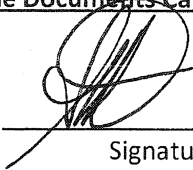


VII. **UPON COMPLETION OF THE RESEARCH, YOU WILL BE REQUIRED TO SUBMIT TWO COPIES OF THE REPORT (OR SUMMARY).**

A MEMORANDUM INDICATING PROCEDURAL PROBLEMS, UNUSUAL EXPERIENCES, RECOMMENDATIONS, COMMENTS AND OBSERVATIONS WOULD ALSO BE WELCOMED.

The Documents Can Be Expected By (date): September 2012

1)



Signature of Applicant

9/4/2010

Date

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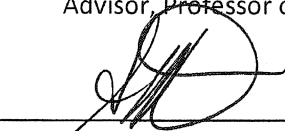
Susan B. Racette, PhD

PRINT – Name of Institutional  
Advisor, Professor or Supervisor

Washington University School of Medicine

Institution

3)



Signature of Advisor, Professor  
Or Supervisor

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With the above information, research requests are assessed, submitted to appropriate district administrators for approval, and accepted or rejected based on the merits of the proposal, its value to the St. Louis Public Schools, and considerations for the welfare of our students and staff.





# SAINT LOUIS PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Date: September 23, 2010

To: Dr. Kelvin R. Adams, Superintendent

From: Dr. Carlinda Purcell, Dep. Supt., Academics

## VENDOR SELECTION METHOD:

- ☐ RFP/Bid  
☐ Sole Source  
☐ Contract Renewal  
☒ Approval of Charter Renewal

Previous Bd. Res. #:

Agenda Item: 10-14-10-19  
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## SUBJECT:

To approve the extension of the sponsorship of the Construction Careers Center charter school for five (5) additional years.

## BACKGROUND:

Construction Careers Center has completed their accountability plan, as well as been approved for a 1003(g) Student Improvement Grant for the next three years.

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Department: Academics

Requestor: Michael Haggen

  
Dr. Carlinda Purcell, Dep. Supt., Academics

  
Angela Banks, Interim Budget Director

  
Enos Moss, CFO/Treasurer

  
Dr. Kelvin R. Adams, Superintendent