135 Berkshire Street, Cambridge, Massachusetts 02141



April 15, 2025

TO THE HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE:

CONTRACT: Instructional Materials & Professional Development (FY26 Contract)

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

That the School Committee approve a contract with the following vendor, funds to be provided in accordance with the budget reference listed below. Procurement procedures for this purchase have complied with Chapter 30B of the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Contractor Imagine Learning 8860 E. Chaparral Road Scottsdale, AZ 85250 Period of Contract 7/1/25-6/30/26 <u>Amount</u> \$92,715.00

DESCRIPTION: This contract is for a district wide Math Curriculum for Grades K-5.

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

See attached supplemental information for additional details.

SUPPORTING DATA, RULES OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE: Chapter II, Section 12..." motions calling for the appropriation or expenditure of money require the affirmative vote of four members."

#### **BUDGET REFERENCE:**

Fund		Account		Dept.	
	General		Computer		Mathematics
15000	Fund	55804	Software	851635	Administration

Respectfully Submitted,

David Murphy

Interim Superintendent of Schools

# SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION: Imagine Learning

**Purpose:** Imagine Learning is a teaching and learning platform that provides digital access to the Illustrative Mathematics curriculum in grades K-8. We use the Illustrative Mathematics curriculum as a Tier 1 elementary math curriculum for grades K-8.

Amount of Contract: \$92,715.00

# **Description/Scope of Services:**

Imagine Learning is the online platform for teaching our Tier 1 math curriculum, Illustrative Mathematics. The platform provides educators with all the resources they need to plan and teach lessons. This includes unit overview videos, planning maps with materials needed, inspirational readworld videos to introduce the concepts of each unit to students, and overview videos for educators with the key learning goals and strategies highlighted in each unit. The platform allows easy access to daily lesson slides with teaching notes, virtual manipulatives, online games that can be assigned to students, and access for students to complete and submit work online. The platform also has family-facing resources such as family letters and videos for each unit.

This contract with Imagine Learning will support the renewal of the online curriculum in grades K-8.