



135 Berkshire Street, Cambridge, Massachusetts 02141

May 4, 2021

TO THE HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE:

CONTRACT: Instructional Materials

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.

<u>Contractor</u>	<u>Period of Contract</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Scholastic, Inc. 5 Broadway New York, NY 10012	5/7/21 – 6/30/21	\$116,136.35

DESCRIPTION: This contract is for the purchase of reading books for students in grades K – 8.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

This contract will provide reading book packs to support and promote summer independent reading for students in grades K – 8. The summer reading book packs will include titles that reflect diversity in characters, authors, genres, and topics.

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

BUDGET REFERENCE:

Fund		Account		Dept.	
15000	General Fund	55103	Instructional Materials	869148	Instructional Support

Respectfully Submitted,

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Superintendent of Schools

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