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Greetings!

The 6-8* ELA Curriculum Materials Adoption Committee is being formed to recommend new curriculum materials for grades 6-8 English Language Arts (ELA) courses for implementation in the 2024-2025 school year. The committee will review curriculum materials submitted by vendors to assess alignment with specific criteria including alignment to the Arizona State Standards for ELA. The committee will also participate in vendor presentations and come to consensus on a recommendation of curriculum materials for each grade level.

Membership will be extended to 6th-8th grade DVUSD administrators, teachers, support staff, and district personnel. Representation from DVUSD parents and guardians of current 4th-6th grade students will also be sought.

All meetings will be held on Zoom from 4:00-6:00pm. The dates and times are as follows:

Meeting #1: April 25, 2023* - Purpose and focus of the committee, review and understand the scoring rubric

Meeting #2: May 2, 2023* - Evaluation of materials

Meeting #3: May 22, 2023 - Vendor Presentations

Meeting #4: May 23, 2023 - Vendor Presentations & Committee Discussion

If you are interested in participating on the 6-8 ELA Curriculum Materials Adoption Committee, please submit this application by April 14, 2023: <https://url.dvusd.org/ELAAdoptionApplication2023>.

Thank you,

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* *Grade levels revised from earlier communication.*

***Dates revised from earlier communications in order to solicit additional committee members.*

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