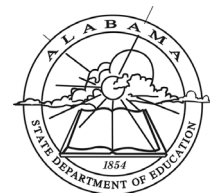




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**STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION RECEIVES RECOMMENDATIONS FOR
ADOPTION OF ARTS EDUCATION, GRADES K-12
TEXTBOOKS AND MATERIALS**

Montgomery, Ala. – At its monthly K-12 meeting on Thursday, October 9, 2025, the Alabama State Board of Education received recommendations for adoption and/or rejection of textbooks for Arts Education, Grades K-12.

In accordance with the State Textbook Law, §16-36-61, *Code of Alabama, 1975*, notice is hereby being given that the Alabama State Board of Education is scheduled to vote on the State Textbook Committee's Arts Education, Grades K-12 recommendations at the November 13, 2025 Board meeting. Persons interested in addressing the Board regarding any textbook should contact Ms. Nora Thorington prior to the meeting at 334-694-4903. Comments or concerns may also be emailed to Dr. Carolyn Jones at cajones@alsde.edu.

Examination copies of the books being considered are available at selected libraries. A list of libraries is available at the Alabama State Department of Education website on [the Textbook Adoption and Procurement page](#).

Please go to Adoption Process – Procedures to locate the Library Sites for Public Review of Textbooks.

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