

K-4 Instructional Materials Review Committee

2021-22

Why review ELA instructional Materials?

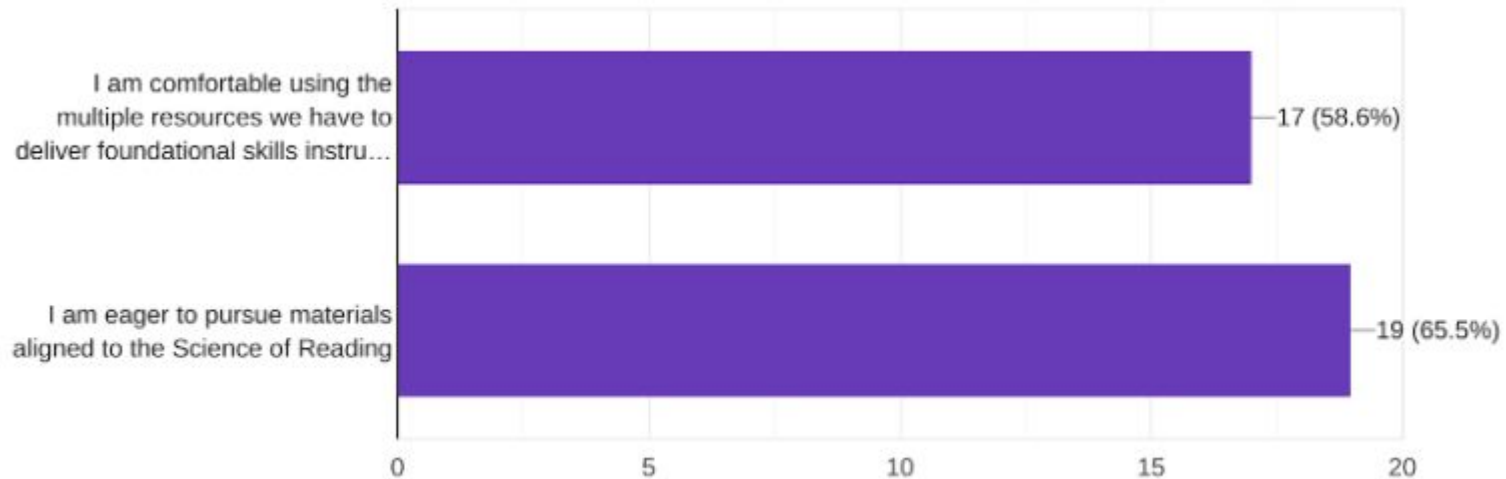
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1. 7 Year Cycle
2. Staff knowledge of The Science of Reading
3. Current Student Data
4. Multiple Materials being pulled together to accomplish research/science based lessons.

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6. Staff Survey Indicated they were ready to look at materials

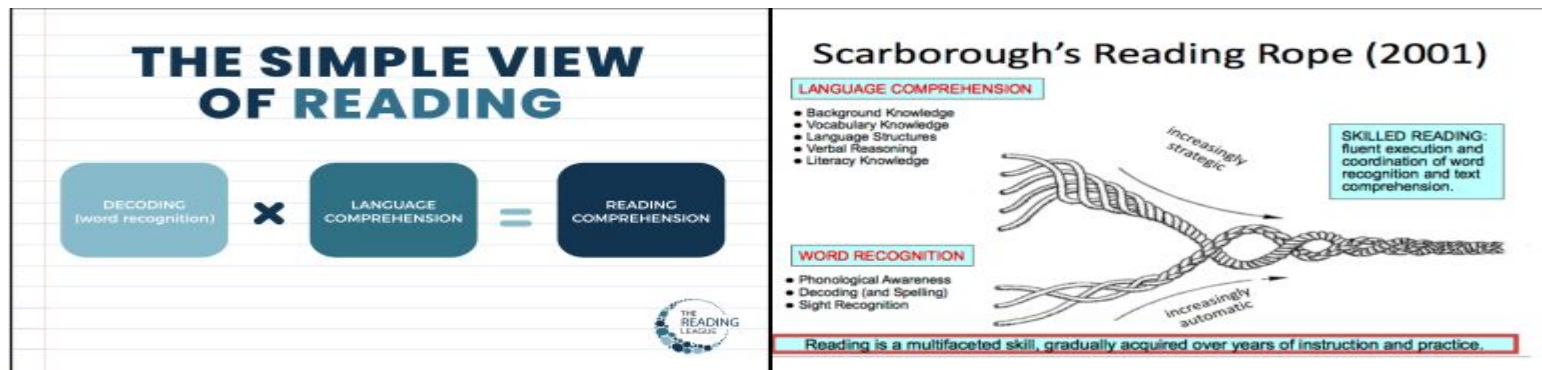


What did we look for?

- Instructional materials aligned to The Science of Reading
 - Ensured alignment by using The Reading League Evaluation rubric



CURRICULUM EVALUATION TOOL



What did the committee look for?

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- Materials with a robust scope and sequence that include
 - Phonemic Awareness
 - Phonics (decoding)
 - Vocabulary
 - Background Knowledge
 - Oral Language
 - Fluency
- Lessons that are systematic and move from least to most complex
- Materials that have ease of use for teachers and substitutes
- Materials that provide enough practice opportunities that won't require additional supplemental materials

Our Process - Board Policy 2020P

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1. Staff survey to indicate the desire to look beyond our current materials
2. Gather committee members
 - a. 1 teacher from each grade level at each school
 - b. Principals
 - c. Coaches
 - d. LAP teachers
3. Research materials to review (Reading League Rubric)

January 6, 2022 SIPPS

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1 hour presentation (PD Specialist and Sales Rep)

2 hours for committee to review the materials

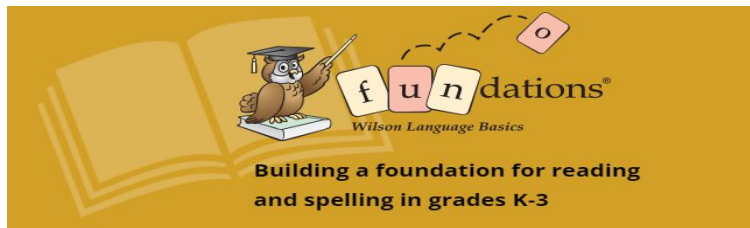
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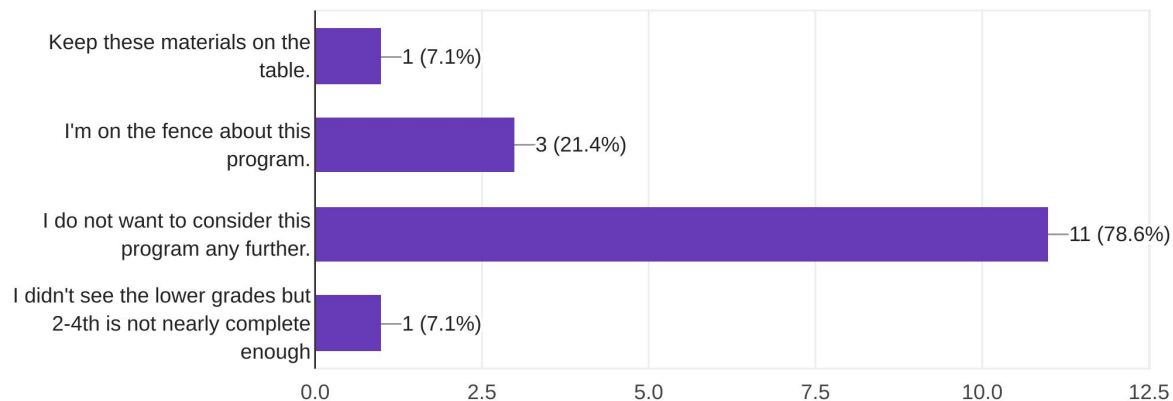
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SIPPS Committee Survey Results

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14 responses

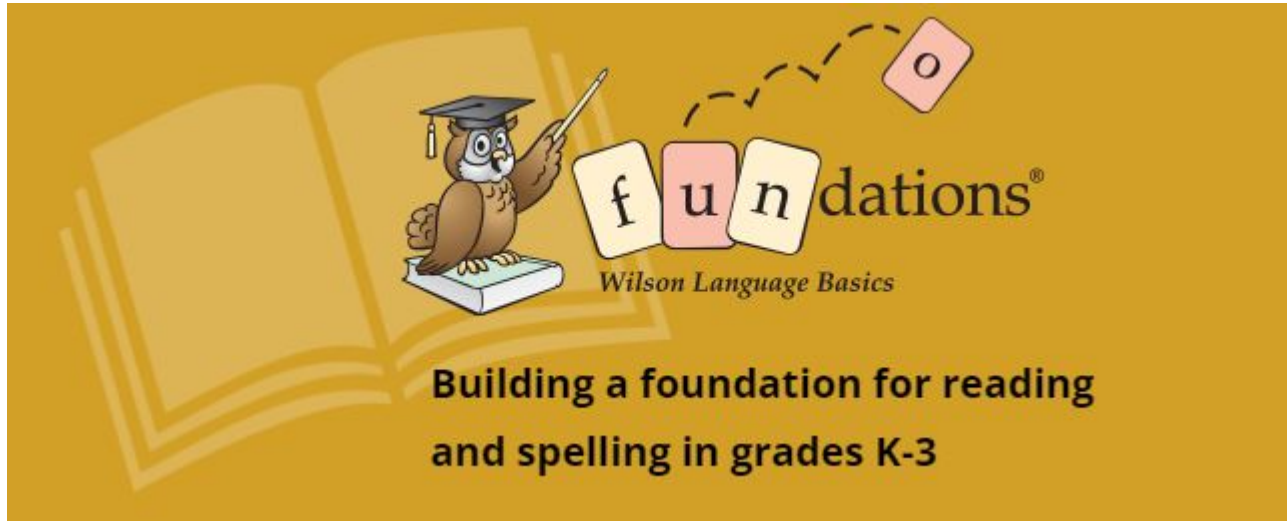


February 3, 2022 Foundations

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2 hours for committee to review the materials



Fundations Committee Survey Results

11 responses



Accepting responses



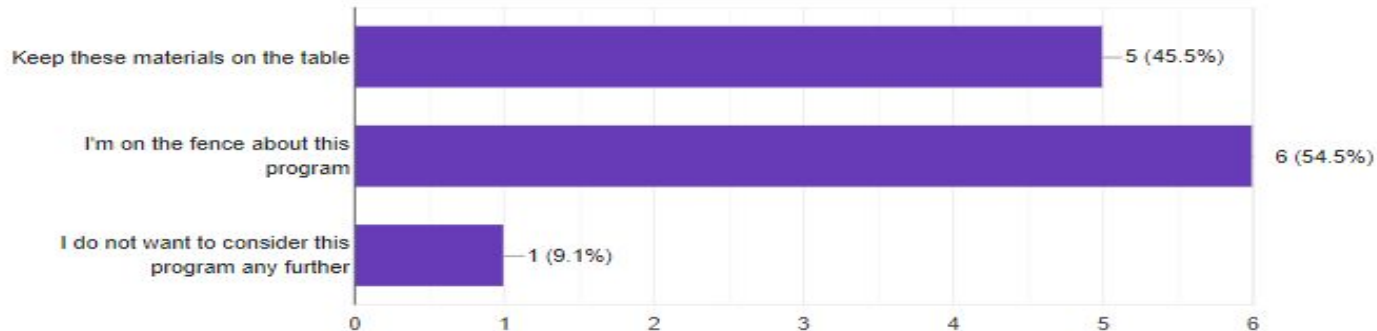
Summary

Question

Individual

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11 responses



January 20, 2022 Core Phonics

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2 hours for committee to review the materials

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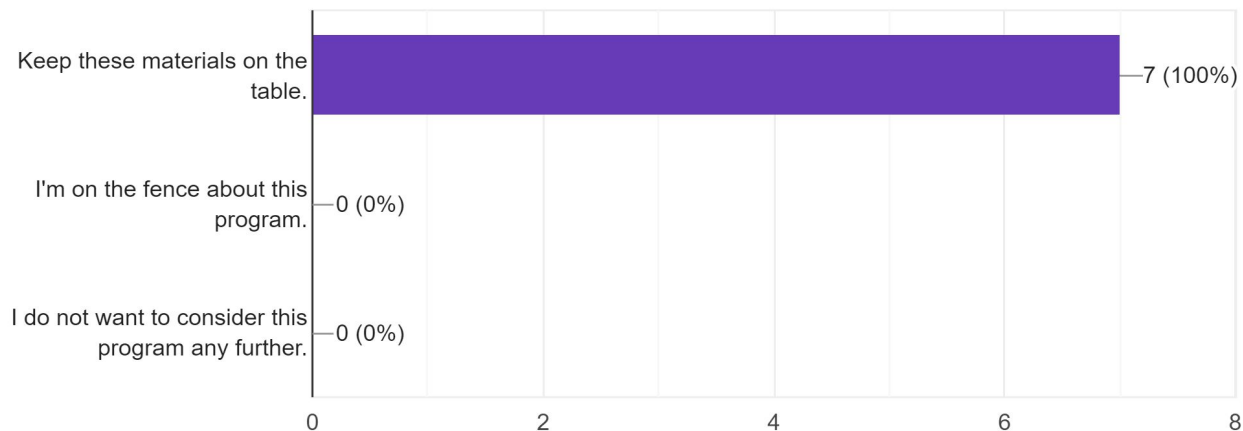


Core Phonics Committee Survey Results

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7 responses



February 24, 2022 Super Kids

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1 hour presentation (PD Specialist and Sales Rep)

2 hours for committee to review the materials



A Motivating Framework for Literacy Learning Unlike Any Other

Captivating stories about the Superkids keep students consistently motivated to read and eager to find out what happens next, from semester to semester and from grade to grade.

Their ongoing adventures from kindergarten through second grade provide an engaging and cohesive framework for building concept knowledge, vocabulary, and comprehension and for connecting to informational text.

Kindergarten		First Grade		Second Grade	
1 st Semester Meet the Superkids	2 nd Semester Superkids' Club	1 st Semester Adventures of the Superkids	2 nd Semester More Adventures of the Superkids	1 st Semester The Superkids Hit Second Grade	2 nd Semester The Superkids Take Off
					

Super Kids Committee Survey Results

9 responses



Accepting responses ☒

Summary

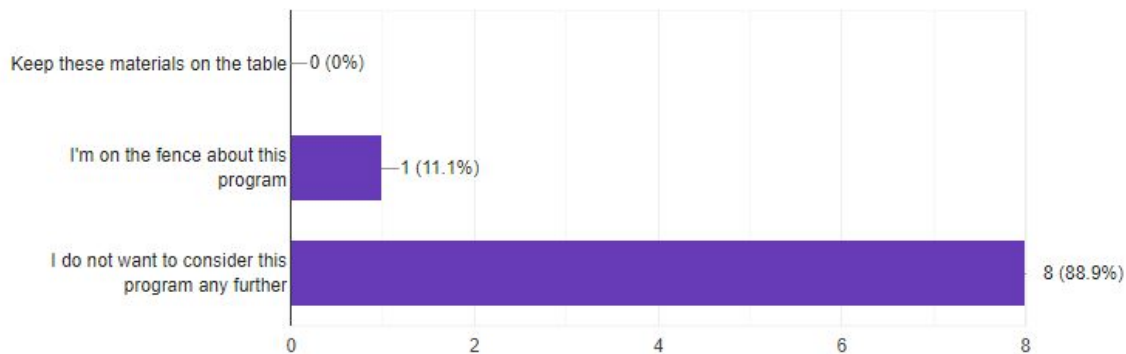
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9 responses

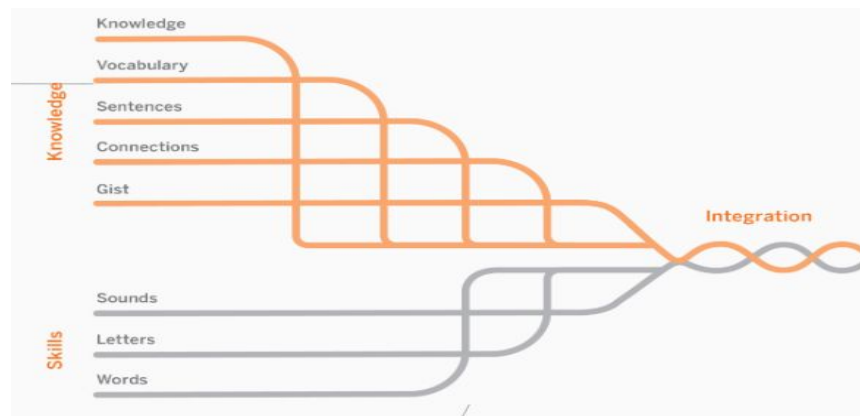


February 18, 2022 Core Knowledge Language Arts AmplifyCKLA

With knowledge at the center, the possibilities are endless.

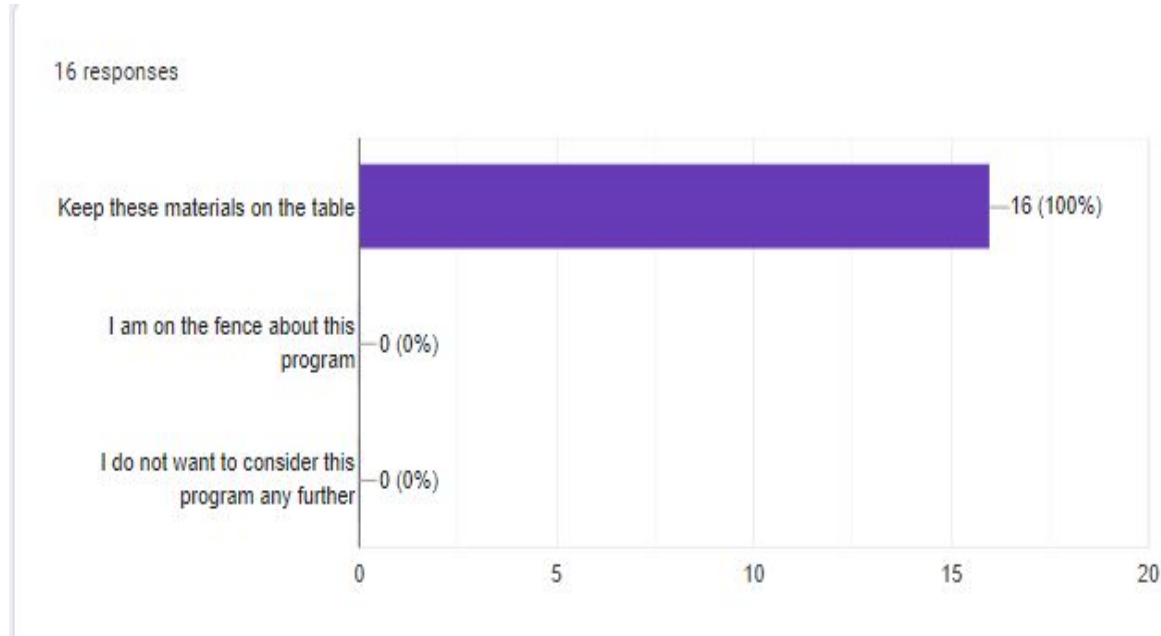
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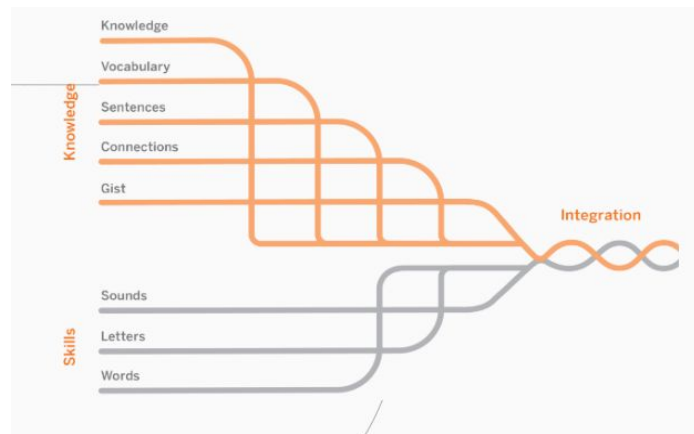
Core Knowledge Language Arts Committee Survey Results

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Final Choice

Amplify CKLA



Leveraging the science of reading

Watching students learn to read: magic. Knowing how they get there: science. Amplify CKLA is grounded in the science of reading, bringing those researched insights and proven practices into your classrooms (remote or otherwise).

Next Steps: Parent Review

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What did parents have to say?

- Excited for the increased rigor
- Interested in the content (Egypt, human body systems, fables, nature, astronomy)
- Appreciation of staff knowledge in The Science of Reading

Rolling Implementation Schedule

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Fall 2022 K-1 Full Implementation

Fall 2022 2-4 Pilot

Fall 2023 2-4 Full Implementation

- Each implementation will receive training from Amplify's PD team
- All trainings have been scheduled with an in person trainer

The Materials

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AmplifyCKLA

Skills K-2

- Phonemic Awareness
- Decoding
- Fluency
- Handwriting
- Composition

Knowledge K-2

- Background Knowledge
- Vocabulary
- Comprehension

2nd-4th Grade

Skills and knowledge are integrated into comprehensive ELA lessons and units that include: Advanced Decoding, Fluency, Morphology, Background Knowledge, Vocabulary, Comprehension.

The committee is seeking board approval of our review process and the green light to move forward