

BOARD OF EDUCATION OF HARFORD COUNTY

INFORMATIONAL REPORT

DECISION ON CONTRACT AWARD FOR SECONDARY ENGLISH PROGRAM,
GRADES 6-10

Board Meeting Date:	March 10, 2025
Contract Number and Title:	25-DS-012 – Secondary English Program, Grades 6-10

Procurement Type:	Request for Proposal (RFP)
# of Responses Received:	4

Term:	July 1, 2025 – June 30, 2031
Renewals:	No Renewals

Value of Contract:	\$2,299,491
Funding Source:	Charged to Curriculum and Instruction Operating Budget
Department:	Reading, English and Language Arts Department

Description:

<ul style="list-style-type: none">• The current English curriculum is being phased out by the publisher and will no longer be available after the end of the 24-25 school year.• The six (6) year contract will provide teacher materials, consumable books, online digital resources for students, teachers, and parents, for all students in grades 6 through 10. New consumable books will be provided to students each year.• The total cost also includes annual professional development for three (3) years and the shipping costs for the consumable books.• The <i>MyPerspectives</i> program is aligned to the Maryland College and Ready Standards.• The consensus committee reviewed and scored the four (4) technical proposals submitted using the criteria established.• The two highest scoring publishers were asked to present their program to the Reading Ad-Hoc Committee. The selection of <i>MyPerspectives</i> was unanimous among all grade levels.• After scoring the cost proposals, the consensus committee approved the recommendation of awarding Savvas for their <i>MyPerspectives</i> program.• The General Curriculum Counsel (GCC) approved the secondary English textbook adoption on January 15, 2025.
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- Award was based on the following matrix:

Evaluation Criteria Matrix	Maximum Possible Points
Technical Proposal:	
Profile and Submittal Letter	5
Technical Approach	25
Training and Professional Development	15
References	10
Presentation	25
Cost Proposal	20
Combined Total	100

Recommended Award To:

Savvas Learning Company	Paramus, NJ
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