

DESERT SANDS UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
EDUCATIONAL SERVICES DIVISION

INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAMS, GRADES K-5

Language Arts (District adopted Houghton Mifflin May 2003 and Open Court 2003 and Lectura and Avenues 2005)

***K-5 – Houghton Mifflin Reading Series Copyright 2003
LECTURA and Avenues – Standards aligned Supplementary, Copyright 2004
Open Court Reading Series Copyright 2002***

Mathematics (District adopted March, 2002)

K-5 – Harcourt Math Textbook Series Copyright 2002: Standards aligned mathematical skills, problem solving and conceptual understanding instructional program.

History/Social Studies (District adopted March 2006)

K-5 – Harcourt Reflections, California Series Copyright 2007: Develops literate citizens—individuals with knowledge, skills, and civic values needed to become active and reflective participants in the world of the 21st Century. Program weaves together values to form an integrated program.

Science (District adopted April, 2007) ***K-5 – California Science Series Copyright 2007, by Harcourt:*** Program provides age appropriate units of study for life science, physical science, and earth science with investigation and experimentation segments.

Health/Physical Education (District adopted 2005) ***K-5 –Health and Wellness California Series Copyright 2006, by Macmillin/McGraw Hill:*** Is a quality comprehensive health program that helps children to value personal health and make healthy personal choices. It helps children develop health literacy by accepting personal responsibility for lifelong health by respecting and promoting the health of others, by understanding the process of growth and development, and by demonstrating informed use of health-related information, products and services.

Visual Arts Curriculum (District adopted September 1994) K-2 - District developed curriculum and students learn the principles of organization and good design through a balanced program of demonstration and experimentation and creative expression. Grades 3-5 - District developed curriculum that emphasizes creative art expression, the development of knowledge and skills relating to art and continuing growth of aesthetic awareness; motors skills refined and intuitive abilities are sharpened; exposure to art heritage and development of visual form; use of art materials such as crayons, paints, drawing instruments, inks, and clay.

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INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAMS, GRADES 6-8

Language Arts (District adopted May, 2003)

Elements of Literature Textbook Series by Holt, Rinehart & Winston Publisher makes the connections between Literature and Life, Literature and Understanding, Literature and Writing, Literature and Language, and Literature Past and Present. The series expands on this primary connection between reader and writer, helping students understand the intricate relationships that shape our literature and lives. Using the world's greatest literature as a springboard, Elements of Literature takes students on a journey of discovery to explore the links that bind language and experience.

Grade 6 – Literature and Language Arts, Intro Course, **Holt**

Grade 7 – Literature and Language Arts, First Course, **Holt**

Grade 8 – Literature and Language Arts, Second Course, **Holt**

High Point Series for English Learners, (District Adopted 2000), **Hampton Brown**

Mathematics (District adopted March 2002)

Grade 6 – Mathematics Course I, **McDougal Littell**

Grade 7 – Mathematics Course II, **McDougal Littell**

Grade 8 – Algebra I, **McDougal Littell**

History/Social Studies (District adopted March, 2006)

Grade 6 – Discovering Our Past Series Ancient Civilizations, **Glencoe**, that develops literate citizens—individuals with knowledge, skills, and civic values who become active and reflective participants in the world of the twenty-first century. The program weaves together knowledge, skills, and citizenship to form an integrated program.

Grade 7 – Discovering Our Past Series; Medieval and Early Modern Times, **Glencoe**

Grade 8 – Discovering Our Past Series; The American Journey, **Glencoe**

Science (District adopted July 2007)

California Science Series by Holt, provides age appropriate units of study for earth science, life science, or physical science with investigation and experimentation segment.

Grade 6: *California Science, Focus on Earth Science, Holt*

Grade 7: *California Science, Life Science, Holt*

Grade 8: *California Science, Physical Science, Holt*

Health/Physical Education (District adopted 2005)

Grades 6 – 8, *Decisions for Health Series by Holt*, offers an integrated learning system comprised of print and multimedia components. The whole system offers a multitude of learning experiences and options for today's health classroom.

Visual Arts Curriculum (District adopted September 1994)

Grades 6 – 8, - Emphasis is placed on individual exploratory involvement; investigative experiences; greater depth of study; application soft art techniques.

Foreign Language

Grades 6 – 8, (District adopted 2001) Spanish, *Paso a Paso I, Prentice Hall*

Not adopted; just acquired

Grades 6 – 8, (District adopted 2004) French, *Discovering French Nouveau, McDougal Littell*

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INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAMS, GRADES 9-12

Language Arts (District adopted May, 2003)

Course	Textbook	Publisher
English I CP/HP	Literature Gold Level	Prentice Hall
English II CP/HP	Literature Platinum Level	Prentice Hall
English III CP/HP	Literature American Tradition	Prentice Hall
English IV CP/HP	Literature British Tradition	Prentice Hall
English Literature Comp AP	Literature: Intro to Fiction, Poetry, & Drama, Ninth Edition	Pearson
English Language Comp AP	Literature: Everything's an Argument, Third Edition	Bedford-St. Martin's
IB English A1 HL1	Literature American Tradition	Prentice Hall
IB English A1 HL2/AP	Literature British Tradition	Prentice Hall
English Language Development	Edge Series for English Learners	Hampton Brown

Mathematics (District adopted March, 2002)

Course	Textbook	Publisher
Algebra I	Algebra I Concepts and Skills	McDougal Littell
Geometry/PDHS CP	Geometry, Concepts and Skills	McDougal Littell
Geometry/PDHS HP Indio High CP & HP	Geometry, Applying, Reasoning and Measuring	McDougal Littell
Geometry/La Quinta High	Geometry	Glencoe
Advanced Algebra	Algebra II	Prentice Hall
College Algebra/Trigonometry	Algebra and Trigonometry	Prentice Hall
Statistics/IB Math Studies SL	Practice of Statistics	W.H. Freeman
Calculus	Calculus of a Single Variable	Houghton Mifflin
Pre-Calculus	Pre-Calculus with Limits	Houghton Mifflin

History/Social Studies (District adoption March, 2006)

Course	Textbook	Publisher
Constitutional Law	American Constitutional Law	Houghton Mifflin
Geography	World Geography Today	Holt
World Cultures	World History Modern Times	Glencoe
World History AP	World Civilizations Fourth Edition	Pearson
World History AP	Discovering the Global Past Volume I	Houghton Mifflin
World History AP	Discovering the Global Past Volume II	Houghton Mifflin
U.S. History	The Americans	McDougal Littell
U.S. History AP	The American Pageant Twelfth Edition	Houghton Mifflin
American Government	Magruders American Government	Prentice Hall
Government AP	Government in Action Twelfth Edition	Pearson

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History/Social Studies (District adoption March, 2006)

Course	Textbook	Publisher
Economics	Economics, New Ways of Thinking	E.M.C.
Economics AP	Economics, Sixth Edition	Houghton Mifflin
IB Economics SL	Economics: In Terms of the Good and the Bad	IBID Press
IB History of the Americas HL1	The American Pageant Twelfth Edition	Houghton Mifflin
IB History of the Americas HL1	Conflict/ Consensus in American History	Houghton Mifflin
IB History of the Americas HL1	History of Latin America Sixth Edition	Houghton Mifflin
IB History of the Americas HL2	3 Whys of the Russian Revolution	Vintage Press
Twentieth Century World History IB SL	Russia, America and the Cold War Second Edition	Martin McCauley
Twentieth Century World History IB SL	20th Century World	Wadsworth Publishers
Psychology	Understanding Psychology	Glencoe
Sociology	Sociology	Holt

Science (District adoption July, 2007)

Course	Textbook	Publisher
Anatomy & Physiology CP	Human Anatomy & Physiology Seventh Edition	Pearson
Anatomy & Physiology HP	Principles of Anatomy & Physiology Eleventh Edition	Wiley
Astronomy	Foundations of Astronomy Ninth Edition	Thompson
Earth Science	Earth Science	McDougal Littell
Environmental Science AP	Environment Fifth Edition	Wiley
Life Science	Biology	McDougal Littell
Agricultural Biology & Biology CP	Biology	Prentice Hall
Biology HP	Biology Concepts and Applications Sixth Edition	Thompson
Biology AP	AP Edition Biology Seventh Edition	Pearson
Human Biology	Biology	Glencoe
IB Biology SL and HL1 and HL2	AP Edition Biology Seventh Edition	Pearson

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Science (District adoption July, 2007)

Course	Textbook	Publisher
Chemistry CP	Chemistry	Prentice Hall
Chemistry HP	Modern Chemistry	Holt
IB Chemistry SL and HL1/HL2	Chemistry Eighth Edition	Thompson
Physics CP	Physics Principles and Problems	Glencoe
Physics HP	Physics Principles and Problems	Glencoe
Physics AP B	Physics Seventh Edition	Wiley
Physics AP C	Physics for Scientists and Engineers Seventh Edition	Thompson
Geology	Geology Today	Wiley
Health	Health	Glencoe

Visual Arts Curriculum (State implements framework January 2004)

Grade 9-12: broader range of concentration from basic introductory courses to more specialized natural; greater diversity of art offerings and depth of artistic interests.

Foreign Language (State implements framework 1997-98)

Course	Textbook	Publisher
French I CP/Honors	Discovering French Bleu	McDougal Littell
French II CP/Honors	Discovering French Blanc	McDougal Littell
French III CP/Honors	Discovering French Rouge	McDougal Littell
French IV CP	Une Fois Pour Toutes	Longman
French IV Honors	Tresors Du temps	Glencoe
French Language AP/Honors	Une Fois Pour Toutes	Longman
IB French B SL	Une Fois Pour Toutes	Longman
German I CP	Komm Mit 1	Holt
German II CP	Komm Mit 2	Holt
German III CP	Komm Mit 3	Holt
German IV CP	Komm Mit 3	Holt
Italian I CP/Honors	Un Giorno En Italia I	Bonacci
Italian II CP/Honors	Parliamo Italiano	Houghton Mifflin
Italian III CP/Honors	Con Fantasia	Wiley
Italian IV CP/Honors	Con Fantasia	Wiley

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Foreign Language (State implements framework 1997-98)

Course	Textbook	Publisher
Latin I Honors	Cambridge Latin Course Unit 1	Cambridge University Press
Latin II Honors	Cambridge Latin Course Unit 2	Cambridge University Press
Latin III Honors	Cambridge Latin Course Unit 3	Cambridge University Press
Latin: Literature Advance Placement (AP)	Cambridge Latin Course Unit 3	Cambridge University Press
Latin: Virgil Advanced Placement (AP)	Cambridge Latin Course Unit 3	Cambridge University Press
Spanish I CP/Honors	Expresate 1	Holt
Spanish II CP/Honors	Expresate 2	Holt
Spanish III CP/Honors	Expresate 3	Holt
Spanish IV CP/Honors	Abriendo Paso: Lectura	Prentice Hall
Spanish for Spanish Speakers I CP	Nuevas vistas Curso uno	Holt
Spanish for Spanish Speakers II CP/Honors	Nuevas vistas Curso dos	Holt
Spanish for Spanish Speakers III CP	Galeria de arte y Vida	Glencoe
Spanish for Spanish Speakers IV CP	Galeria de arte y Vida	Glencoe
Spanish Language and Composition (AP)/Honors	AP Spanish-preparing for the Language Examination	Prentice Hall
Spanish Literature and Composition (AP)/Honors	Momentos de los literaturas hispanicas	Prentice Hall
IB Spanish B SL	Repase y escriba	Dominicis/Reynolds
IB Spanish B HL1	Repase y escriba	Dominicis/Reynolds
IB Spanish B HL 2	Repase y escriba	Dominicis/Reynolds