



Livonia Public Schools

Academic Services

To: Andrea Oquist, Superintendent
From: Theresa O'Brien, Chief Academic Officer
Date: May 27, 2020
Re: Sociology Textbook Recommendation

I am requesting to be placed on the agenda of the June 1, 2020 Curriculum Committee meeting to provide the Board of Education with a recommendation to purchase *The Real World: An Introduction to Sociology, 2020*. This year Mrs. Fankell completed the textbook adoption process with a committee of teachers from all three high schools. In her attached memo, she shares more details about the evaluation process used.

At this time, Sociology will only be offered at Stevenson High School in the fall of 2020. Due to that fact, we will only be purchasing materials for Stevenson at this time. The text was approved by all three high schools, but there are not enough students to run the course at Churchill and Franklin for fall of 2020. We will purchase more textbooks and licenses as the need arises.

Vendor: Norton and Company, Inc.
Office: (312) 720-8603
Textbook/Program: The Real World: An Introduction to Sociology, 7e, 2020,

Item Description	Unit Price	Free Quantity	Charged Quantity	Free Amount	Total Charged
PACKAGE: The Real World, 7th High School Edition + 12 semesters online student access to ebook, InQuizitive, Writing for Sociology Tutorials, Data Workshops	\$114.00		40		\$4,560.00
Teacher Resources: Instructor Desk Copy, Interactive Instructor Guide, Lecture Slides, Art Slides, Course packs		1		\$0.00	\$0.00
Shipping and Handling					
		1			\$193.80
Grand Totals					\$4,735.80

The cost for the Introduction to Sociology Textbook is \$4,735.80. The funds have been budgeted in the Secondary Textbook budget.

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