



Sarasota County Schools 2023-24 Social Studies Textbook Adoption Timeline

May 16, 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Timeline and Process for Social Studies Adoption presented at SB Workshop ■ Timeline shared during Superintendent's Report at SB Meeting
May 17, 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Request digital samples from publishers ■ Call for adoption through EdCredible ■ Call for Committee members to serve on Social Studies Adoption ■ Adoption timeline posted on Instructional Materials Website
June 2, 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Meeting #1 – Opened and Noticed to the Public – School Board Chambers ■ Training Committee Members on Process and Logistics ■ All evaluations and materials released to committee and the public ■ 8:30-11:30 – Elementary Committee Members ■ 12:30-3:30 – Secondary Committee Members
June 14	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Meeting #2 – Open and Noticed to the Public –Landings Blue 221 ■ High School Committee Members 8:00-4:00 ■ Publisher Presentations
June 19, 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Meeting #2 – Open and Notice to the Public – Landings Blue 221 ■ Middle School Committee Members 8:00-4:00 ■ Publisher Presentations
June 20, 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Meeting #2 – Open and Noticed to the Public – Landings Blue 221 ■ Elementary Committee Members 8:00-4:00 ■ Publisher Presentations
June 22, 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Meeting #3 – Open and Noticed to the Public – Landings Blue 221 ■ Evaluation results and open discussion to determine top two (2) choices ■ Elementary - 8:00-10:00 ■ Middle School – 10:30-12:30 ■ High School – 1:30-3:30
August 4, 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ All Social Studies teachers trained regarding the opportunity to review committee's selection of top two (2) choices and vote for their preference (Review period Aug. 4 – Sept. 7)
Sept. 7, 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ School voting closes and votes are tallied
Sept. 12, 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ FINAL Recommendations submitted as Board Agenda Item for Sept. 19 SB Meeting
Sept. 19, 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ School Board votes to approve FINAL Recommendations 6:00PM
Sept. 20 – Oct. 19 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Social textbook recommendations are posted for public review for 30 calendar days
Nov. 7, 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ SB hears formal objections if submitted ■ If no objections are received, then order specifications are finalized
Nov. 8-10 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Orders placed with Florida School Book Depository
TBD	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Receive, process, and deliver adopted materials to school sites
October 16, 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Teacher Training - NEW textbook
TBD	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Distribution of NEW materials to students for instruction ■ Use of previous textbooks and resources will be discontinued immediately upon receipt of new materials