

**RANDOLPH TOWNSHIP SCHOOLS
TEXTBOOK ADOPTION REPORT**

Supervisor:	Paula Paredes-Corbel	Date of Report:	7/6/17
Subject Area:	World Language	Grade(s):	6-12
Course Title:	Mandarin Chinese I	Implementation Date:	September 2017

Textbooks/Publishers considered:			
Title	Author	Copyright	Publisher
Integrated Chinese I, 4th Edition	Liu, Yao, Bi, Ge & Shi	2017	Cheng & Tsui
Zhen Bang	Wong & Fang	2017	EMC
Easy Steps to Chinese	Yamin Ma & Xinying Li	2006	Beijing Language & Culture University Press

Stakeholders involved in the decision process:		
Name	Subject Area	School
Paula Paredes-Corbel	World Languages	District
Lei Huang	Chinese	RHS & RMS

Results of the Decision Analysis:
Integrated Chinese I is the most thematic and communicative of the three texts. It includes a student workbook as well as online resources for the teacher. It is a very pleasing text to look at and very well organized with cultural components throughout.

Answer the following questions:			
● Is the textbook provided to each student?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Classroom set?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
● Is the textbook new or a revision?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New	<input type="checkbox"/> Revision	On-line set? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
● What evidence indicates the textbook is suitable for the maturity level and educational accomplishment of the pupils who will be using the book? The book includes themes that are appropriate to middle and high school level 1 language learners, such as Family, School Life, Shopping. This is also the textbook used in similar school districts such as Livingston.			
● Is the textbook free from bias?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
● How is the textbook related to an approved curriculum? It is theme-based with real world scenarios and lends itself to a communicative curriculum.			
● How does the textbook fit within a continuous, multi-grade program? This textbook is part 1 of a 4 volume series that would take students through all four years of high school if desired.			
● What is the potential impact on community standards of taste?			
● Textbook selected:	Integrated Chinese I		
● What is the cost?	\$ 6,457.14	Quantity:	60 student texts, 60 student workbooks & teacher online resources