



2026 Curricular Materials Review Invitation and Application

Arts & Humanities; Information & Communication Technology;
Computer Science; Driver's Education; CTE

SYNOPSIS OF PROGRAM

The Idaho Department of Education is requesting applications for review team members to examine curricular materials in Arts & Humanities, Information & Communication Technology, Computer Science, Driver's Education, and Career and Technical Education (CTE).¹

PURPOSE OF THE CURRICULAR REVIEW PROCESS

Ensuring that all Local Education Agencies (LEAs) have access to High Quality Instructional Materials (HQIM) that are aligned to Idaho Content Standards is a priority of the Idaho Department of Education and is upheld in Idaho Code.

PROCESS OVERVIEW

The Curricular Materials adoption process provides review and evaluation of new curricular materials, according to our six-year adoption cycle, in alignment with our Idaho Content Standards review cycle. Materials are first reviewed individually by Idaho Certified educators utilizing the evaluation tool aligned to the Idaho Content Standards.

SCOPE OF WORK

Review team members will examine curricular materials for both their alignment to the Idaho State Content Standards and any implementation requirements.

¹ Career Technical Education review: AFNR Agriculture Welding, AFNR Agriculture Small Engine Repair, AFNR Plant and Soil, TI Electronics Technology, TI Aircraft Maintenance, TI Welding, BME Business Management, ETE Network Support, ETE Programming and Software Development, FCSHS Cosmetology, HPPS Nursing Assisting

The Idaho Department of Education will provide training to the review team members via webinar, and a remote review period will follow. A virtual “face-to-face” consensus meeting for review partners will culminate the review in June. Review team members will examine full curriculum in the called content area(s).

The following areas are identified as the primary responsibilities for the review team:

PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITIES

Responsibilities	Explanation
Independent Webinar Training	View webinar during the weeks of January 20 – 27, 2026.
Content Specific Training Webinar	Attend February 2 – 6, 2026 (specific dates to be announced)
Material Shipments	February 3-10, 2026
Independent Review	Using SDE-provided evaluation rubrics, review assigned materials remotely during an eight-week open review period. Anticipate roughly a 10-20-hour time commitment per title. Independent review notes are required to be submitted prior to the consensus review.
Virtual Check-In Meetings	Attend two (2) virtual check-in meetings during the open review period (April 13 & May 12, 2026).
Consensus Review	Virtually attend the Consensus Review meeting June 15, 2026. <u>This is required.</u> Be available during additional review June 16-19, 2026

COMPENSATION

Upon completion of all requirements, reviewers will receive \$270 course/title/program reviewed. Review team members also get to keep all curriculum reviewed.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

This invitation is open to individuals who meet the following minimum criteria:

- Idaho certification
- Idaho educator with experience teaching in content area(s) specified in call

REVIEWER APPLICATIONS ARE OPEN

Applications will be evaluated by the Idaho Department of Education based on qualifications and need; applications must be received by January 16, 2026, to be considered.

[APPLY](#)

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