

**GLENBROOK HIGH SCHOOLS
District Business Office**

TO: Dr. Mike Riggle

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RE: BOOKSTORE RECAP

The District is beginning the third year of a five year contract with Becks Bookstores (Becks). The District pays Becks an annual management fee of \$116,000 (\$96,000 for textbook management and \$20,000 for chromebook management).

At this time of year, the Board is provided a summary of the average price of textbooks sold during booksale. 50% of the cost of textbooks is returned to students at buy-back time, unless the school discontinues the textbook. Less than 1% of textbooks were discontinued and not bought back in FY 13/14. Becks estimates that 65% of textbooks are available used and that 75% of students buy the majority of textbooks through Becks at booksale. 430 titles will be sold this year at booksale, of which 3% are available in electronic format.

Attached is an eight-year history of the average cost of textbooks. Also attached is a list of textbooks available in electronic format.

AVERAGE COST of TEXTBOOKS

	<u>FRESHMAN</u>	<u>SOPHOMORE</u>	<u>JUNIOR</u>	<u>SENIOR</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
2007/08	\$452.00	\$484.00	\$382.00	\$452.00	
<i>Less buyback</i>	(226.00)	(\$242.00)	(\$191.00)	(\$226.00)	
Net Cost	\$226.00	\$242.00	\$191.00	\$226.00	
2008/09	\$458.00	\$492.00	\$380.00	\$462.00	
<i>Less buyback</i>	(229.00)	(246.00)	(\$190.00)	(231.00)	
Net Cost	\$229.00	\$246.00	\$190.00	\$231.00	
2009/10	\$451.00	\$457.00	\$395.00	\$471.00	
<i>Less buyback</i>	(225.50)	(228.50)	(197.50)	(235.50)	
Net Cost	\$225.50	\$228.50	\$197.50	\$235.50	
2010/11	\$465.00	\$478.00	\$371.00	\$489.00	
<i>Less buyback</i>	(232.50)	(239.00)	(185.50)	(244.50)	
Net Cost	\$232.50	\$239.00	\$185.50	\$244.50	
2011/12	\$482.00	\$451.00	\$375.00	\$493.00	
<i>Less buyback</i>	(241.00)	(225.50)	(187.50)	(246.50)	
Net Cost	\$241.00	\$225.50	\$187.50	\$246.50	
2012/13	\$463.00	\$437.00	\$385.00	\$488.00	
<i>Less buyback</i>	(231.50)	(218.50)	(192.50)	(244.00)	
Net Cost	\$231.50	\$218.50	\$192.50	\$244.00	
2013/14	\$446.00	\$456.00	\$404.00	\$475.00	
<i>Less buyback</i>	(223.00)	(228.00)	(202.00)	(237.50)	
Net Cost	\$223.00	\$228.00	\$202.00	\$237.50	
2014/15	\$418.00	\$404.00	\$394.00	\$426.00	
<i>Less buyback</i>	(209.00)	(202.00)	(197.00)	(213.00)	
	\$209.00	\$202.00	\$197.00	\$213.00	
8-year average	\$227.18	\$228.69	\$192.88	\$234.75	
2014/15 Percentage Over/(Under) Ave	(8.0%)	(12.0%)	2.0%	(10%)	(7%)

TITLES AVAILABLE IN DIGITAL FORMAT

Title	Department	Year in School	Price	Book Price
Glenco Health	PE/HLTH	10	\$ 7.10	106
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Calculus: Early Transcendentals	MATH	11 & 12	\$ 46.55	225
Living by Chemistry	SCI	10, 11, 12	\$ 25.85	124
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Physics -VS EBK, Cutnell	SCI	11, 12	\$ 104.10	154.99
Forensic Science: Fundamentals and Investigations	SCI	11, 12	\$ 20.35	108.99
Forensic Science: Advanced Investigations	SCI	11, 12	\$ 20.35	106
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Forensic Science: Advanced Investigations, 1e	SCI	11, 12	\$ 20.35	106
Enviornmental Sci for AP	SCI	12	\$ 30.25	150
People + A Nation	SOC STD	11	\$ 25.15	137.25
Promenades	WORLD LANG	9,10,11	\$ 63.95	249.99
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VISTAS:INTRO...VTEXT+SS.PLUS-ACCESS	WORLD LANG	9,10,11	\$ 151.20	229
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Enfoques - Supersite Plus	WORLD LANG	11, 12	\$ 100.00	120
Americas History (HS) Henretta- bfw	SOC STD	11	\$ 31.40	145.3
The Western Heritage since 1300, kagan	SOC STD	10	\$ 23.30	130.2
Algebra and Trig, Larson 8th	SOC STD	9,10,11	\$ 28.50	244.2