

**K. Vasquez Recommendation to SPS Curric. & Instruction Comm.; Feb. 8, 2016**

Elements of Civics for All	Recommendation	Proposal for Implementation for School Year 2016-2017	Timeline	Budget
Annual mock elections K-12	K-3: Not recommended. Not aligned with WA state SS standards. <b>4-12: Recommended</b>	Continue to encourage participation in WA State sponsored mock election via multiple communication outlets; develop WA State SS Standards based lessons to support grade level understanding of core concepts and ideas of elections, government and civics involvement; pay school-based coordinator extra hours oversee logistics and report participation to the state.	Sept.- November 2016	Elections coordinator: 6hr X 40.00 per hour X 98= <b>\$23,520</b>
Essential Civics for All Question banners K-12	K-12: Not recommended in current form	<b>Revise essential questions to align with WA State SS grade level standards.</b> Essential questions should focus only on concepts, topics and themes that are connected to student learning. <b>Develop grade specific recommendation for essential questions.</b> Determine whether permanent banners reflect best practice.	Sept. 2016-June 2017	8 teachers X3 hrs. X\$40.00= <b>\$1,000</b>
Banners: Political Spectrum 6-8	<b>6-12: Recommended</b>	Gather team of SPS social studies teachers to develop standards aligned document reflecting appropriate activities, strategies and lessons.  Purchase political spectrum banners	Sept. 2016-June 2017	14 teachers X 3 hrs X \$40 = <b>\$1,680</b> 30 schools X 8 classrooms X 30.00 = <b>\$7,200</b>
Media literacy	<b>Recommended for grades 5-12</b>	Gather team of SPS teachers to develop standards aligned document reflecting appropriate activities, strategies and lessons to effectively and appropriately integrate	Sept. 2016-June 2017	16 teachers X 4 hours X \$40= <b>\$2,560</b>
Three Civics CBAs K-12	<b>Partially recommended for grades 4, 5, 7, 8, 11 and 12</b>	Reiterate the expectations of the RCW to require students in fourth, fifth, seventh, eighth, eleventh and twelfth to complete at least <b>one</b> classroom based assessment in civics.	Spring 2016 and ongoing	No cost
Civics website	<b>Recommended for K-12 teachers</b>	Schoology civics page has been developed for internal teacher communications and resources related to the teaching of civics. Curriculum specialist to work on developing grade appropriate resources for civics education.	February 2016-June 2017	No cost

**Total: 35,960**

Social Studies Curriculum Specialist	<b>Recommended for K-12 teacher supports</b>	Supports K-12 civics focus: CBA compliance, civics alignment supports for elementary and middle school, development of guiding documents to support strategic focus on civics	School year 2016-2017	1 FTE SS Curriculum Specialist = <b>\$118,000</b>
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**Grand total: \$153,960**