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TO: Dr. Anna Nolin, Superintendent

FROM: Amy Mistrot, Director of Business Operations

DATE: January 22, 2024

RE: FY24 Grant Award

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I am pleased to inform you of the following FY24 grant award to the Newton Public Schools and request that the School Committee vote to accept these funds.

<u>Grant Name</u>	<u>Grant Type</u>	<u>Subtitle/#</u>	<u>Purpose</u>	<u>Amount</u>
High Quality Instructional Materials Purchase Grant	Federal - Competitive	165	The purpose of this competitive grant is to provide funding for districts to purchase recently selected (new adoptions) of core high-quality instructional materials (HQIM) in mathematics, ELA, or science.	\$1,010,194

This grant will serve to support LEAs in purchasing and implementing HQIM in alignment with their district's instructional vision and the DESE Educational Vision for deeper learning in the following ways:

- Defraying the costs of initial purchase of one coherent set of instructional materials for a given subject and grade span for up to all classrooms in the LEA.
- Overseeing the development and enactment of a comprehensive equity-driven curriculum implementation plan.