

Carrollton-Farmers Branch Independent School District Executive Summary Report

Date	District Objective	Agenda Item #
January 12, 2012	Objective 1 – Continuously increase student achievement	III.B.16

Agenda Item: Consider RFP #11-11-021-1 for Elementary and Pre-K Classroom Materials		
<p>Summary:</p> <p>This is an as needed contract for the purchase of instructional Elementary and Pre-K classroom supplies and materials to be utilized by all Elementary and Pre-K schools. The total expenditure for these purchases from December 2010 through August 2011 was \$110,416.03. This figure indicates the need for the District to initiate a new contract for these products. Provisions of this RFP allow for a single one-year extension option.</p> <p>Fifty six (56) vendors received this proposal. Thirty Nine (39) vendors submitted proposals. Sixteen (16) proposals met the specifications and requirements of this RFP.</p> <p>Administration recommends that this contract be awarded to the vendors listed below.</p> <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; vertical-align: top;"> A Teacher's Aide Abrams & Company Accu Cut Services Constructive Playthings EAI Education Fat Brain Toys Lakeshore Learning Mindware NASCO </td> <td style="width: 50%; vertical-align: top;"> Nystrom-Herff Jones Education Oriental Trading Company Pyramid School Products Resources for Reading Really Good Stuff S & S Worldwide School Specialty </td> </tr> </table>	A Teacher's Aide Abrams & Company Accu Cut Services Constructive Playthings EAI Education Fat Brain Toys Lakeshore Learning Mindware NASCO	Nystrom-Herff Jones Education Oriental Trading Company Pyramid School Products Resources for Reading Really Good Stuff S & S Worldwide School Specialty
A Teacher's Aide Abrams & Company Accu Cut Services Constructive Playthings EAI Education Fat Brain Toys Lakeshore Learning Mindware NASCO	Nystrom-Herff Jones Education Oriental Trading Company Pyramid School Products Resources for Reading Really Good Stuff S & S Worldwide School Specialty	

Attachments:
Tabulation

Administrative Recommendation:
Administration recommends award of this contract to the vendors listed above.

Budget/Funding
2011-12 General Operating Budget

Recommended Vendors
RFP # 11-11-021-1
Elementary and Pre-K Classroom Materials

Vendor Name	Pricing & Discount Information
A Teacher's Aide	5-12% Free Local Delivery Items that require a freight carrier, they will be drop shipped to school. Call for quote.
Abrams Company Publisher	0% Discount; Discounts are built into catalog prices Shipping Cost is 10% of Total order or Minimum of \$8.00 whichever is greater
Accu Cut Services	30% Discount FREE SHIPPING
Constructive Playthings.	5% Discount from Current Constructive Playthings Catalog. Minimum Order \$25.00. Free Freight on orders \$400.00 or more of UPS size items
EAI Education	*15% Discount with exceptions Free Shipping on orders over \$100.00. Add \$7.00 shipping on orders under \$100.00.
Fat Brain Toys	5%, free shipping on orders over \$100 for more
Lakeshore Learning	5% Discount. Free Shipping t on minimum order of \$250.00 or more. Orders under \$250.00 estimate freight charges at 15% of subtotal (Minimum charge of \$5.00).
Mindware	0% Discount. Free Shipping on orders over \$500.00 with Key Code AC63X is included on the order
NASCO	\$50.00 Minimum Order Required. <u>Arts & Craft: 20% Discount (5% on "Z" items)</u> Elementary Math & Science, Geometry & Algebra, Math, Science: <u>15% Discount</u> Early Learning, Family & Consumer Sciences, Reading Resources, Special Education, <u>10% Discount</u>
Nystrom-Herff	4% Discount. Discount taken from current catalog prices at time order received; Exceptions: StrataLogica, EWW Hands-on-Programs, Atlases, & Texas materials not discounted Free Shipping & Handling; all prices are FOB Carrollton, Texas no additional charge
Oriental Trading Company	5% Discount. Free Standard shipping for orders over \$150.00. Request copy of ship chart for others
Pyramid School Products	*0% Discount *Various programs are discounted 5-10%. Online Pricing reflects discount. Free shipping on orders over \$95.00
Resources for Reading	*0% Discount (Printed Catalog prices already discounted up to 48% off List) Shipping Charges 10% of order subtotal, minimum shipping charge \$7.50 per order.
Really Good Stuff	3 - 15% when volume discount applied for totals over \$30.00, shipping based on sub total amounts up to 12%
S & S Worldwide	18% Discount. Discount applies to list price of the current catalog at the time of order placement. Free Shipping .
School Specialty	12% Discount off EP(Educators Price) on items with prefix 8 & 9, 10% on prefix 6 & 7 Education Essentials, Arts & Crafts, PE/Health & Early Childhood