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**UPDATED INFORMATION: STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO RECEIVE
 RECOMMENDATIONS FOR DIGITAL LITERACY AND COMPUTER SCIENCE**

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Montgomery, Ala. – At its monthly K-12 meeting on Thursday, September 13, 2018, the Alabama State Board of Education received recommendations for adoption of textbooks for Digital Literacy and Computer Science, Grades K-12.

Betty Peters
 District II

In accordance with the State Textbook Law, §16-36-61, *Code of Alabama, 1975*, notice was given that the recommendations were scheduled for consideration at a public hearing on July 18, 2018, in the auditorium of the Gordon Persons Building located at 50 North Ripley Street in Montgomery.

Stephanie Bell
 District III

The State Board of Education is scheduled to vote on the Digital Literacy and Computer Science Textbook Committee’s recommendations at the December 13, 2018, Board meeting. Persons interested in addressing the Board regarding any textbook should contact Ms. Ann Starks prior to the meeting at 334-694-4903.

Yvette M. Richardson, Ed.D.
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The digital literacy and computer science textbook recommendations are now available on the Alabama State Department of Education’s website. To view the list click here:

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<https://www.alsde.edu/sec/sct/Pages/textbooksbysubject-all.aspx?navtext=Textbooks:%20Textbooks%20by%20Subject>

Cynthia McCarty, Ph.D.
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Additionally, examination copies of the textbooks being considered for adoption are available for public review at the Alabama State Department of Education, 50 North Ripley Street, Montgomery, and at the following sites:

Jeff Newman
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University of Alabama at Birmingham (Mervyn-Sterne); Troy University Dothan; Wallace Community College in Hanceville; University of Alabama-Huntsville; Jacksonville State University (Houston Cole); Mobile Public Library, Mobile; Alabama Southern Community College, Thomasville; and The University of Alabama (McLure), Tuscaloosa.

Mary Scott Hunter, J.D.
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