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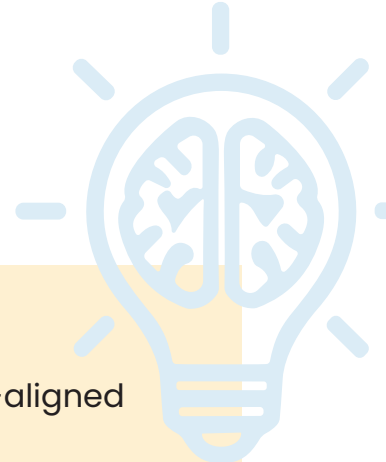
High-Quality Instructional Materials (HQIM)

Strengthening Instruction Across South Carolina

Every child in South Carolina deserves consistent, grade-level instruction that supports academic excellence and long-term success. With funding allocated by the General Assembly, the South Carolina Department of Education has prioritized High-Quality Instructional Materials (HQIM) to ensure classrooms are equipped with standards-aligned resources.

HQIM is a statewide effort to support the thoughtful, strategic implementation of materials aligned to South Carolina's College- and Career-Ready Standards.

What Does HQIM Do?



For Educators

- Anchors grade-level, standards-aligned instruction.
- Reduces planning burden by providing consistent, ready-to-use materials.
- Supports professional expertise within a clear, aligned instructional framework.
- Strengthens instructional impact without replacing professional judgment.
- Pairs materials with curriculum-based professional learning to support effective implementation.
- Promotes consistent implementation across classrooms to improve student outcomes.



For Students and Their Families

- Ensures consistent, standards-aligned materials in every classroom.
- Supports deeper understanding and long-term academic growth.
- Provides consistent learning experiences across schools, regardless of location.

Learn More About HQIM



SCDE is committed to a transparent, collaborative implementation process. Scan the QR code for updates, resources, and implementation guidance.

