

How State-Level Curriculum Adoption Works

(AND WHERE IT BREAKS DOWN)



STANDARDS SET

1

States develop unique sets of standards for adoption, with many adapting modified versions of national standards

BREAKING POINT: Each State has their own take on the underlying concepts the standards are based upon

ExACT® offers powerful reporting features, such as GAP, which is designed to identify gaps between content and standards requirements on a state-by-state basis



INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS REVIEW

2

Curriculum alignments are evaluated within a specific timeframe, but their relevance evolves over time as new standards are introduced

BREAKING POINT: 30% of standards change year/year, requiring continual maintenance of alignment for compliance

ExACT® enhances all standards, including updates, with metadata, CASE identifiers, and detailed concepts to ensure precise alignment



CURRICULUM APPROVED

3

Approved materials are added to state adoption lists each year

BREAKING POINT: Every state has unique legislative requirements that can derail approvals. Understanding them is critical to long-term success

EdGate provides Third-Party review services, and our Subject Matter Experts (SMEs) are trained to understand the nuances of state requirements in order to facilitate the approval process



PURCHASE DECISIONS

4

Schools or Districts select curriculum for adoption in the upcoming year(s)

BREAKING POINT: Classroom adoption is not assured: Teachers have the final say as to what they will be included in their lesson plans

Aligning your content, supplemental materials, and assessments to standards and taxonomies in **ExACT®** boosts its appeal and adoption potential

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