

# Supplemental Science

Timeline  
Grades 5-12

# April 29, 2011

- Deadline for bidders to file 1 complete official sample copy of instructional materials along with TEKS form with IMET (Instructional Materials and Educational Technology)
- Bidders should have all materials filed by 5:00 PM
- TEA provides instructions to bidders for delivery of materials for review.

# May 13, 2011

- Deadline for bidders to withdraw a submission prior to state panel review.
- TEA makes samples of instructional materials submitted for adoption available for public examination via the Division of Instructional Materials and Educational Technology (IMET) website: <http://www.tea.state.tx.us/imet>

# June 2011

- IMET conducts orientation and training sessions for State Review Panel.
- The State Review Panel evaluates instructional materials submitted in response to the Request for Supplemental Science Materials.
- Bidders must revise their submissions to address any TEKS that the State Review Panel determine are insufficiently covered.

# July 1, 2011

- Deadline for bidders to file Disclosure of Errors and Editorial Changes form listing the corrections to be made to the materials submitted for adoption.
- Deadline for Texas residents to file lists of alleged factual errors in instructional materials under consideration.
- Deadline for Texas residents to file official written comments concerning instructional materials.
- Deadline for persons to file complaints alleging violations of statutes, rules, or procedural irregularities.

# July 8, 2011

- Commissioner of Education releases *Recommendations for Adoption of Supplemental Science Materials*.

# July 2011 SBOE Meeting

- Prior to the SBOE meeting, TEA releases copies of official written comments from Texas residents via the IMET website.
- SBOE considers final recommendations of the Commissioner of Education regarding the adoption of supplemental science materials.

# July 29, 2011

- Deadline for bidders to provide each school district and open-enrollment charter school with information that fully describes adopted supplemental materials.
- School districts and open-enrollment charter schools begin to submit orders for supplemental instructional materials to IMET.

# August 2011

- Successful bidders make available adopted supplemental materials to school districts and open enrollment charter schools.
- Each successful bidder shall guarantee access to the adopted materials at least 10 days before the opening day of school of the year for which the materials are ordered if the orders are placed by a date specified in the sales contract.