

October 25, 2021

Anna Bosko

VIA EMAIL

Re: FOIA request dated 10/22/2021

## Subject:

- 1.Please provide the name and purchase contract of the ""SEL curriculum software"" purchased for \$38,000.
- 2.Please provide the name of the company who develop(s)ed the curriculum and their website.
- 3. FOIA request 2021-63 also references ""\$1k cost of adding software function to student information system to conduct student health checks."" Please explain what these ""health checks"" are, and how that data is used."

Dear Ms. Bosko:

This letter will serve as Oswego Community Unit School District 308's response to your FOIA request received on October 22, 2021 under the Freedom of Information Act (5 ILCS 140/1 et seq.), in which you asked for the above referenced information. The district purchased Inner Explorer, by Inner Explorer, Inc. as an SEL resource. The website is <a href="http://innerexplorer.org">http://innerexplorer.org</a>

The add-on of a survey tool (\$1,000) to our student information system was done following the start of COVID when students returned to in person learning. The add on was used for the purpose of daily self-certification, as was required by the state at the time, however the function does allow us to use the survey tool to collect any replies needed from parents, it can launch any survey, not just COVID.

To promote district transparency and assist others who may have a similar question, this responsive document will be posted online on the district's website. To access it, go to <a href="www.sd308.org">www.sd308.org</a> and select Our District > Freedom of Information Act Request > FOIA Request Responses > FOIA Requests Responses -2021 > then select FOIA ID #21-76.

Please be advised that to comply with your FOIA request, the district incurred an expense that comprised of the cost of labor and resources used to search for records responsive to your request. Let me know if you have additional questions. Thank you.

John Petzke

John Petzke, CFO Freedom of Information Officer