

# Partnership for Reading Success – Massachusetts (PRISM II)

## Preschool Component

### Cohort 2 Track 1



PRISM II Cohort 2 Track 1 is intended for LEAs that have already completed a comprehensive curriculum evaluation and selection process and are prepared to purchase and implement HQIM. For grades K-3, the process is guided by DESE's IMplement MA. For PreK, the evaluation and selection process is EEC's Preschool Curriculum Review Process, as described below.

## What is EEC's Preschool Curriculum Review Process?

- Based on EEC Preschool Curriculum Rubrics (Holistic, Literacy, Math, SEL)
- Facilitated through multiple meetings with a trained EEC reviewer
- Considers local implementation context
- Uses rubrics and/or validated curriculum reports to review materials
- Concludes with an implementation plan

## Considerations for Including Preschool in PRISM II Track 1

- The proposed Preschool Curriculum was selected with EEC's Preschool Curriculum Review Process (see above)
- The selected Preschool Curriculum is one of the PRISM II Preschool Curriculum Options (see below)
- Preschool Publisher-Provided Professional Development has been arranged (e.g., a quote is provided)
- School leaders, preschool leaders, and preschool educators have interest in and capacity to engage in curriculum implementation activities
- Outreach has been made to community-based preschools (required if the grantee is in CPPI)

## PRISM II Preschool Curriculum Options

- Boston Public Schools Focus Curriculum Package (Foundations, Heggerty Phonemic Awareness, and Building Blocks)
- Every Child Ready (Appletree)
- Frog Street
- Great First Eight Preschool
- Launch for PreK (TeachTown)

