



# College Station Independent School District

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## PURCHASING OFFICE INTER-DEPARTMENTAL MEMO

DATE: July 14, 2021  
TO: Amy Drozd, CFO  
FROM: Carmella Shafer, Director of Purchasing  
SUBJECT: Purchase Renewal Annual license for NearPod using IMA funds

NearPod is an integrated digital curriculum resource, offering teacher and student access to materials that can be delivered digitally or printed and used in the classroom or remotely.

We began using NearPod district-wide during the school year 2019-20 and given the positive results, we recommend purchasing the renewal license for the SY 2021-22 (08/02/2021-08/01/2022). This resource allows digitally accessed materials to be integrated into Schoology and allow students the option to interact with the materials and submit their responses through the Active Classroom platform for teachers to grade. The Nearpod resource also supports differentiated instruction and experiential learning for students while also supporting teacher planning and assessment time. This allows for more efficiency in the teaching and learning process.

These online resources are available from NearPod Inc. through the Choice Partners Contract #18/056KD-39. All items on this contract have been competitively bid and awarded by the Cooperative's Board of Trustees based on state statutes and the purchase will cost \$74,157.60 and be paid from Instructional Materials Allotment (IMA) funds.

It is the recommendation of Carmella Shafer, Director of Purchasing, and Penny Tramel, Chief Academic Officer that CSISD purchase the renewal for the 2021-2022 school year using IMA funds.

  
Carmella Shafer, Director of Purchasing

  
Penny Tramel, Chief Academic Officer



Quote ID: 127280



## Sales Order

**Sales Order For:**  
Stephanie Ryon  
College Station ISD  
1812 Welsh Ave  
College Station, Texas 77840

**Nearpod Contact:**  
Carlo Amato  
1855 Griffin Rd. Suite A-290  
Dania Beach, FL 3300

**Service Start:** 08/02/2021    **Service End:** 08/01/2022  
Nearpod Premium + DCL

Description	Quantity	Volume List Price	Discount	Total
<p>Nearpod Premium - District:</p> <p>Nearpod Premium including unlimited access to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Nearpod's lesson, video, and activity creation and delivery platform</li> <li>- Nearpod Lesson Library with 7,500+ standards-aligned, interactive lessons for all K-12 subject areas, featuring favorite educational brands</li> <li>- District features including larger class sizes, unlimited storage, School and District shared Libraries, LMS, integration, and more</li> </ul> <p>Nearpod Digital Citizenship and Literacy:</p> <p>A K-12 solution to support instruction in computer science including digital citizenship, coding, applications of technology, and media literacy, featuring resources from Common Sense Education, Typesy, and Code Monkey.</p>	14000 - Students	\$75,600.00	(\$1,442.40)	\$74,157.60
Online Training: Up to 2-hour session with a Nearpod Trainer for up to 50 participants.	4 Sessions	\$1,800.00	(\$1,800.00)	\$0.00
			<b>Total</b>	<b>(USD) \$74,157.60</b>