

Alabama Courses of Study Standards and State Textbook Adoption Cycle⁺
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State Standards Development and Adoption	AL Textbook Adoption	Subject Area	LEA Textbook Adoption	State Contract Begins	LEA COS Implementation Begins	Expected DRAFT NAEP Framework Released	NAEP Framework Implementation
2022 (January) - 2023 (March)	2023 (December)	CTE--Cosmetology; Education and Training; Hospitality and Tourism Library Media	2023-2024 (May)	2024	SY 2024-2025	N/A	N/A
2023 (January) - 2024 (March)	2024 (December)	Science CTE--Arts, A/V Technology & Communications; Human Services; Health Science Counseling & Guidance	2024-2025 (May)	2025	SY 2025-2026	2022-2024	2028
2024 (January) - 2025 (March)	2025 (December)	Arts Education	2025-2026 (May)	2026	SY 2026-2027	N/A	N/A
2025 (January) - 2026 (March)	2026 (December)	Digital Literacy and Computer Science	2026-2027 (May)	2027	SY 2027-2028	N/A	N/A
2026 (January) - 2027 (March)	2027 (December)	Social Studies World Languages CTE--Agriculture Food & Natural Resources; Law, Public Safety, Corrections & Safety; STEM; Manufacturing	2027-2028 (May)	2028	SY 2028-2029	N/A	2012/2014*
2027 (January) - 2028 (March)	2028 (December)	Health Physical Education CTE--Architecture & Construction; Cosmetology; Hospitality & Tourism; Education & Training; Transportation, Distribution and Logistics	2028-2029 (May)	2029	SY 2029-2030	N/A	N/A
2028 (January) - 2029 (March)	2029 (December)	Mathematics CTE--Business Management & Administration; Finance; Marketing; Information Technology; Work-Based Learning	2029-2030 (May)	2030	SY 2030-2031	2019	2025
2029 (January) - 2030 (March)	2030 (December)	Digital Literacy and Computer Science	2030-2031 (May)	2031	SY 2031-2032	N/A	N/A
2030 (January) - 2031 (March)	2031 (December)	English Language Arts CTE--Arts, A/V Technology & Communications; Human Services; Health Science	2031-2032 (May)	2032	SY 2032-2033	2020	2026

*Indicates most recent publications of NAEP Frameworks for U.S. History, Civics, and Geography (2014) and Economics (2012). As of November 2021, NAEP has not published a schedule for updating these frameworks.

+The adoption schedule for each subject area shall be determined by the State Superintendent of Education based on the courses of study development schedule, knowledge-based changes, financial considerations, the need for staggered adoption schedules, needs expressed by the local superintendents, contract expiration dates, and other factors deemed appropriate by the State Superintendent of Education. Ala. Code 1975 § 16-36-61